



RESOLUTION HONORING

JAMES M. DEAL, JR.

MEMBER, THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

WHEREAS, JAMES M. DEAL, JR., has served as a valued member of the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina since 2009; and

WHEREAS, He served with distinction on two of the board's standing committees, leading the Committee on Educational Planning, Policies, and Programs throughout his tenure, from 2009 until 2013, serving as its chairman from 2010 until 2012; and the Committee on Public Affairs from 2009 until 2011, serving as its secretary from 2009 until 2010, and then again from 2012 until 2013, serving as its vice chairman; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Deal provided strong leadership to special committees of the board, including the Committee on the Award for Excellence in Public Service in 2010; the 2010 Presidential Search Committee; and the UNC Academic Review Panel from 2012-2013; and

WHEREAS, He formally began his service to the University when he was elected to the Appalachian State University Board of Trustees from 2001 until 2009, serving as its chairman from 2006 until 2008; and

WHEREAS, This respected attorney has never shied away from a leadership opportunity, proving to be a strong advocate for public higher education and shared governance; recognizing the importance of identifying efficiencies and best practices across our campuses by establishing work groups to examine the academic program review process and studying faculty teaching workloads; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Deal has carried out his duties as a member of the Board of Governors with dignity and resolve, providing sound discretion and wise counsel throughout his service;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina express its sincere gratitude to **JAMES M. DEAL, JR.,** for his long standing and loyal service to the University and to the State of North Carolina.

This the 14th day of June 2013

Peter D. Hans, *Chairman*

Ann B. Goodnight, *Secretary*