



*Resolution of Appreciation
for Patricia V. Reser*

Resolution No. 17-13

WHEREAS, the Oregon Legislature established the Board of Trustees of Oregon State University in 2014 to govern this institution, and

WHEREAS, the Oregon Senate confirmed the Governor's appointment of Patricia V. Reser (Pat) on November 22, 2013, as one of the first Trustees to this Board, and

WHEREAS, Pat has served as a member of this Board and as its founding Chair since the Board's inception, as a member of the OSU Foundation Board, and as co-chair of the Foundation's Capital Campaign Steering Committee, and

WHEREAS, her impact has transformed this University through her years of exemplary service in these many leadership roles, her deep generosity, and her truly unique combination of pragmatic and visionary leadership, and

WHEREAS, in serving as this Board's founding leader, she has set the highest possible standards of ethical and inclusive governance for those who will follow in the years ahead, and

WHEREAS, Pat led the establishment of Board policies and standards based on nationally-recognized best practices grounded in the University's mission, principles, and values and its commitment to shared governance, and

WHEREAS, she has demonstrated a remarkable ability to build community through respect, thoughtfulness, and genuine concern for all of its members, and

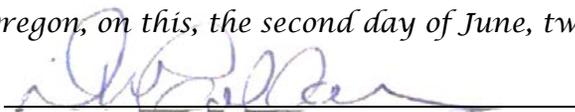
WHEREAS, we, the Trustees of Oregon State University, have benefited from her extraordinary creativity, authentic leadership, grace under pressure, and good humor in helping us establish this Board's governance for the benefit of this University, its students and the State of Oregon that it serves, now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the members of the Board of Trustees, hereby extend to Patricia V. Reser our sincere gratitude and appreciation for her outstanding service to this Board, the University and its students, as well as the State of Oregon, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we extend our best wishes to her for continued happiness and good health with her husband, Bill Westphal, in the years to come, and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that Pat's exemplary performance as the founding Chair of this Board shall be a part of the permanent history of Oregon State University and will never be forgotten.

Done in Corvallis, Oregon, on this, the second day of June, two thousand seventeen.


Darald W. Callahan, Vice Chair


Edward Ray, President