

BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE DR. KEVIN BAILEY

WHEREAS, DR. KEVIN BAILEY HAS SERVED WITH DISTINCTION AS VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA SINCE AUGUST 1, 2010, AND

WHEREAS, DR. BAILEY, AFFECTIONATELY KNOWN AS BAILEY, HAS PROVIDED LEADERSHIP AND OVERSIGHT FOR UNIVERSITY-WIDE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES RELATED TO THE PERSONAL, CULTURAL AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE UWF STUDENT BODY, AND

WHEREAS, BAILEY HAS SERVED IN STUDENTS AFFAIRS FOR TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS AND HE CONTINUES TO SERVE IN ELECTED AND APPOINTED POSITIONS WITHIN STATE, REGIONAL AND NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, AND

WHEREAS, IN 2015, BAILEY WAS HONORED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATORS FOUNDATION AS A "PILLAR OF THE PROFESSION," DISTINGUISHING HIM AS A LEADER WHO HAS MADE SIGNIFICANT LIFETIME CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FIELD OF HIGHER EDUCATION, AND

WHEREAS, BAILEY IS AN AUTHOR, PRESENTER, CONSULTANT, INVITED SPEAKER, TEACHER, EDUCATOR AND MENTOR TO UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS AND PROFESSIONAL COLLEAGUES, AND

WHEREAS, BAILEY LOVES STUDENTS AND STUDENTS LOVE BAILEY! BAILEY HAS A PASSION FOR LIFE! HIS CONTAGIOUS ENTHUSIASM CONNECTS HIM IN A VERY SPECIAL WAY WITH STUDENTS AND ALL PEOPLE AND PLACES HE HOLDS DEAR, AND

WHEREAS, BAILEY HAILS FROM PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, HOME TO THE LIBERTY BELL AND HIS PHILADELPHIA EAGLES, "HIT 'EM LOW, HIT 'EM HIGH, AND WATCH OUR EAGLES FLY. . . FLY, EAGLES, FLY!" AND

WHEREAS, IT MAY COME AS NO SURPRISE, BAILEY ATTENDED THE SAME HIGH SCHOOL AS TELLER OF PENN, TELLER AND LARRY OF THE THREE STOOGES, AND

WHEREAS, ON ANY GIVEN WEEKEND, YOU MAY FIND BAILEY IN THE QUARTER OF ONE OF HIS FAVORITE SOUTHERN CITIES, WHERE HE DELIGHTS IN KING CAKE, MARDI GRAS AND ALL THINGS N'AWLINS, AND

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA, ON THIS 25TH DAY OF MAY IN THE YEAR OF 2017, DOES HEREBY RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND DR. KEVIN BAILEY FOR HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA, AND A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION PRESENTED SERVES AS A TOKEN OF THE BOARD'S SINCEREST THANKS.

J. MORT O'SULLIVAN, III, CHAIR

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DR. MARTHA D. SAUNDERS, PRESIDENT