## The University of West Florida Board of Trustees

## In Recognition and Appreciation of Distinguished Service

Trustee Roy W. Smith, Jr.

WHEREAS. Trustee Roy W. Smith, Jr.., a charter member of the Board of Trustees in 2001 appointed by the Board of Governors, eloquently serving as Vice Chair; previously served as the Chair for the Academic & Student Affairs Committee and is also a member of the Executive Committee.

WHEREAS, Trustee Smith loyally provided service to the University as a member of the Board of Trustees, representing well the University and the Board in all his activities, including the selection and appointment of Dr. Judy A. Bense as the fifth UWF President, as well as securing Dr. John C. Cavanaugh, former President, and

WHEREAS, Trustee Smith used his position as trustee to encourage discussion and interest in the issues affecting University of West Florida students, faculty and staff, and

WHEREAS, Trustee Smith, served as a faculty member in the UWF College of Business; proudly served in the United States Air Force as a First Lieutenant from 1951 – 1954; served at Exxon Corporation locations in Japan, Malaysia, Hong Kong and Australia, and

WHEREAS, Trustee Smith, an alumnus of North Carolina State University class of '51 where he received a BS in Industrial Engineering, as well as the Harvard Graduate School of Business where he received his MBA, and

WHEREAS, Trustee Smith recently celebrated his 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday on December 6. 2009, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the University of West Florida Board of Trustees, meeting at the University of West Florida on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2009, hereby commend Trustee Roy W. Smith, Jr. for his contributions to the University of West Florida, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution is included in the minutes of this meeting and a copy presented to Trustee Smith as a token of the Board's appreciation.

Mr. K. C. Clark, Chair, Board of Trustees University of West Florida Dr. Judy A. Bense, President University of West Florida 5mith. R. R2009.5