



THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
IN RECOGNITION & PROFOUND APPRECIATION OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE  
SENATOR DOUG BROXSON

WHEREAS, Senator Doug Broxson has diligently, and with dedication, served the citizens of Northwest Florida since 2010 as a Florida State Representative and Florida State Senator; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure, Senator Broxson has served in multiple chairmanship roles, representing Northwest Florida in House and Senate leadership; and

WHEREAS, Senator Broxson sponsored successful funding requests on behalf of the University of West Florida and supported the legislative requests of the university, and continually advocated for those requests as both a member of the House and Senate; and

WHEREAS, Senator Broxson sponsored a Senate Resolution commending the UWF football team on their historic National Championship title during the 2020 legislative session; and

WHEREAS, Senator Broxson supported the legislative priorities of the University of West Florida as Chair of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Education, while maintaining fairness and equitable allocations for the State University System; and

WHEREAS, Senator Broxson demonstrated funding support for multiple ongoing programs at the University of West Florida, including the Joint Doctor of Nursing Program, the Joint Doctor of Physical Therapy Program, the Physician's Assistant Program, the Cybersecurity Program, the Military and Veterans Resource Center, and the Office of Economic Development and Engagement; and

WHEREAS, Senator Broxson led in securing an increase in the University of West Florida's operational budget for the first time since 2015; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the University of West Florida Board of Trustees and President Martha Saunders, meeting this day, June 16, 2022, hereby recognizes and commends Senator Doug Broxson as a University of West Florida Legislative Champion due to his contributions to the university and the State of Florida;

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

*Suzanne Lewis, Chair, Board of Trustees  
University of West Florida*

*Martha D. Saunders, Ph.D., President  
University of West Florida*

