## RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND CONCERNING THE EXEMPLARY SERVICE OF

## Tom Slater

## **University System of Maryland Board of Regents**

**WHEREAS**, Tom Slater served as a member of the University System of Maryland Board of Regents from July 1, 2007 through to June 30, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, during his tenure, Regent Slater demonstrated a deep and unwavering commitment to the quality of public higher education in Maryland; and

**WHEREAS**, he provided tremendous passion and insight toward issues that are of great importance to the University System of Maryland and the students we serve, notably in his service on the Committee on Finance, the Committee on Organization and Compensation, and the Effectiveness and Efficiency (E&E) Workgroups; and

**WHEREAS**, his service as Vice Chair and Chair of the Committee on Education Policy and Student Life had a significant impact on the implementation and review of new programs, making campuses more diligent in their projections and proposals; and

**WHEREAS**, his tenure on the Board of Regents was marked by a deep and passionate belief in the ability of the USM to elevate the citizens of Maryland and strengthen the state's economic future; and

**WHEREAS**, his insight and experience influenced the work of the Board in ways that will be felt for years to come,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Board of Regents of the University System of Maryland gratefully acknowledges Tom Slater's outstanding contributions to the University System of Maryland and to the entire State of Maryland; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Board of Regents extends to Tom Slater its best wishes for success in all his future endeavors, and its sincere gratitude for his dedicated service.

James Brady Chair, Board of Regents Robert L. Caret Chancellor, University System of Maryland

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