SC.02.03 Resolution of Appreciation to Professor Robert F. Rich

At its meeting on August 27, 2001, Senate Council unanimously approved the following Resolution of Appreciation to Professor Robert F. Rich:

To Professor Robert F. Rich, senior faculty member from the College of Law and the Institute of Government and Public Affairs, and immediate past Chair of Senate Council, the members of this body express appreciation for his leadership, his vigorous support of academic excellence at this institution, and his relentless efforts on behalf of its faculty and students.

Professor Rich was first elected to the post of Senate Council Chair for the 1999-2000 academic year and was re-elected Chair the following year. During this time, he led the Senate through several significant changes and dealt with many important issues. He demonstrated fortitude in guiding the Senate and its committees to effectively manage the challenges that came before this institution, and he saw opportunities for the campus in meeting these challenges as well.

The initiatives he furthered to enhance the quality of this campus and the University, and his commitment to shared governance have been and will remain of lasting importance.

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