Faculty Senate Resolution #15-79

Approved by the Faculty Senate: September 8, 2015

Approved by the Chancellor: October 6, 2015

Commendation for Professor Andrew Morehead, Chair of the Faculty, as follows:

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead served as Chair of the Faculty from Fall 2014 through Spring 2015, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead, during that time, invested extensive time and notable efforts to strengthen East Carolina University and advance its mission, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead has maintained fidelity to the foundational principles of shared governance and served to uphold them, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead has provided steady leadership through the establishment and commencement of work groups for the implementation of recommendations of the University Committee of Fiscal Sustainability, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead has provided skillful leadership during fiscally-challenging times and reorganizations of colleges and departments, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead has strived to encourage collaboration of faculty and administrators and worked to ensure that faculty voice was effectively represented in discussions impacting university culture, policies, and processes, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead expertly managed the sensitive and complex university conversation about the renaming of a dormitory, sensitively guiding diverse constituents to resolution, and

WHEREAS, Professor Andrew Morehead has been thoroughly engaged with all stakeholders and is to be commended for his admirable representation of the faculty of the university at meetings with the university administration, the Board of Trustees, the Faculty Assembly, and others.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Professor Andrew Morehead is commended for his excellent leadership as Chair of the Faculty.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we, the members of East Carolina University's Faculty Senate, hereby express our deep appreciation to Professor Morehead for his tireless efforts to support shared governance and foster collaborative relationships among administrators, faculty members, and university stakeholders. His vision, intelligence, and willingness to invest significant personal energy and effort advanced the aims of the faculty and strengthened the university community during his tenure as Faculty Chair of East Carolina University.