

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

CONGRATULATING THE WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY 2022 WOMEN'S SOCCER TEAM

WHEREAS, on December 3, 2022, the Western Washington University Women's Soccer Team captured the 2022 NCAA Division II National Championship; and

WHEREAS, they defeated West Chester University 2-1 in front of a sold-out crowd, capping off a historic season by the now two-time national champions; and

WHEREAS, the Vikings finished the season with an impressive 19-2-4 record, winning the GNAC Conference Championship Title, the GNAC Conference Tournament, and the West Regional Final on the road to the National Championship; and

WHEREAS, the Vikings had four players selected to the 2022 NCAA Division II Women's Soccer Championships All-Tournament Team, led by Most Outstanding Player *Estera Levinte*. Junior defender *Katie Watt*, senior midfielder *Tera Ziemer* and junior goalkeeper *Claire Henninger* were also selected to the all-tournament team; and

WHEREAS, *Tera Ziemer* was named the NCAA Division II Women's Soccer Player of the Year and *Tera Ziemer*, *Morgan Manalili* and *Estera Levinte* were all recognized as All-Americans, and *Tera Ziemer* and *Claire Henninger* were named Scholar All-Americans; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University officially recognizes the Western Washington University Women's Soccer Team for their outstanding accomplishments and extends to the team the Board's sincere congratulations on behalf of the entire University community.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University at its meeting on February 10, 2023.

ATTEST:

John M. Meyer, Chair

Faith Li Pettis, Vice Chair