RESOLUTION NO. 2009 - 10

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY RECOGNIZING THE SERVICE OF BOARD MEMBER KEVIN RAYMOND

WHEREAS, KEVIN RAYMOND of Seattle, Washington was appointed by Governor Gary Locke on August 25, 1999 to serve on the Western Washington University Board of Trustees and was reappointed to a second Board term by Governor Locke on October 1 2003; and

WHEREAS, KEVIN RAYMOND brought to his appointment as trustee exceptional knowledge, experience, and insight stemming from his experience as General Counsel and Director of External Relations for Pacific Coast Canola and McKinstry Reklaim; and

WHEREAS, KEVIN RAYMOND also brought to the University experience gained as State Director for the Pacific Forest Trust; as Director of Government Relations with the Seattle Monorail Project; as Senior Assistant City Attorney for the City of Seattle; as a partner with the law office of Cairncross and Hempelmann in Seattle; as the Chief of Staff to King County Executive Gary Locke; as Chief Counsel for the Metropolitan Services Section of the King County Prosecuting Attorney's office; and as Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for King County; and

WHEREAS, KEVIN RAYMOND earned his bachelor of science degree in environmental studies from Western's Huxley College of Environment in 1980, and a law degree from the University of Washington School of Law in 1984, and a master of divinity from Seattle University in 2008; and

WHEREAS, KEVIN RAYMOND as a resident of Seattle and having served two terms as trustee on the Board, contributed his time to the stewardship of the University above and beyond the usual expectations for board service and at considerable personal sacrifice; and

WHEREAS, KEVIN RAYMOND contributed to the increased stature and the future potential of Western Washington University through his participation in numerous activities and decisions affecting the University, including during his service as Board Chair those related to the establishment of Western House, the ratification of the first collective bargaining agreement between Western and the United Faculty of Western Washington; and the Presidential Search process resulting in the appointment of President Bruce Shepard;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees that **KEVIN RAYMOND** be and is hereby honored for outstanding service and dedication to the University and is extended the gratitude and best wishes of the entire University community.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University at its regular meeting on August 14, 2009.

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Philip E. Sharpe, Jr., Chair

ATTEST:

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Dennis Madsen, Secretary