



RESOLUTION NO. 2022-01

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY**

**RECOGNIZING THE SERVICE OF TRUSTEE
*BRUCE HARRELL***

WHEREAS, on January 22, 2021, Governor Jay Inslee appointed **BRUCE HARRELL** of Seattle, Washington to serve a term on the Western Washington University Board of Trustees ending on September 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, **BRUCE HARRELL** brought to his appointment as a trustee a distinguished career in law and civic leadership, representing children and seniors, union members, non-profits, and affordable housing companies, including service as chief legal advisor to the Rainier Valley Community Development Fund, the First A.M.E. Church and First A.M.E. Housing Corporation, and chief counsel to US West; and

WHEREAS, **BRUCE HARRELL** served with distinction on the Seattle City Council from 2007 through 2019, serving two terms as City Council President, and as interim Mayor, and chaired the Governance, Equity, and Technology Committee, served as vice chair of the Human Services, Equitable Development, and Renter Rights Committee, and as a member of the Finance and Neighborhoods Committee; and

WHEREAS, **BRUCE HARRELL** took office on January 1, 2022 as the 57th mayor of Seattle, further deepening his lifelong commitment to the City of Seattle as a native son, resident, and leader; and

WHEREAS, **BRUCE HARRELL** has contributed his time, energy, and expertise toward the sound governance of Western Washington University, and to increasing its stature locally and in the region;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University that **BRUCE HARRELL** is hereby honored for his service and dedication to the University and is extended gratitude and best wishes for his past service to Western and future service to the people of Seattle.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University at its meeting on February 11, 2022.

ATTEST:

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John M. Meyer, Chair

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Chase Franklin", written over a horizontal line.

D. Chase Franklin, Vice Chair