

**WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2010 – 09
RECOGNIZING THE SERVICE OF
*Kathy Wetherell***

WHEREAS, in March, 2009, **KATHY WETHERELL** was appointed by President Bruce Shepard as Interim Vice President for Business and Financial Affairs; and

WHEREAS, **KATHY WETHERELL** brought to her appointment as Interim Vice President for Business and Financial Affairs, one year of experience as Western Washington University's Assistant Vice President for Financial Services; and

WHEREAS, **KATHY WETHERELL** brought to her appointment a 27 year career, including 19 years of experience in higher education having worked as the Associate Vice President for Finance and Administration at the University of Redlands in Southern California; as the Director of Finance and Administration for the Computing and Communications department, as the Associate Director of Physical Plant, and as the Principal Auditor at the University of California, Riverside; and

WHEREAS, **KATHY WETHERELL** earned a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Alberta and achieved Chartered Accountant designation in 1982; and

WHEREAS, **KATHY WETHERELL** provided university-wide leadership during a period of financial uncertainty and budgetary challenges; and

WHEREAS, **KATHY WETHERELL** provided guidance to the Business and Financial Affairs unit during a time of significant transition; and

WHEREAS, under **KATHY WETHERELL'S** leadership, the university addressed a number of significant goals, including the completion of Phase I of the Banner Finance and HR Initiatives Project; the redesign of the capital planning process; and reduced the planning and construction timeline to accomplish projects faster.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University hereby offers thanks and commendation to Kathy Wetherell for her many achievements and for her service as Interim Vice President for Business and Financial Affairs.

Dated and signed this 20th day of August, 2010.

Dennis Madsen, Chair

ATTEST:

Betti Fujikado, Secretary