

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-04

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

WELCOMING TRUSTEE FAITH LI PETTIS

WHEREAS, on October 22, 2018, Governor Jay Inslee appointed **FAITH LI PETTIS** of Seattle, Washington to serve a six-year term on the Western Washington University Board of Trustees ending on September 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, FAITH LI PETTIS brings to her appointment as a trustee years of professional experience as bond counsel and outside counsel to state and local governments, with a primary focus on housing, education, and nonprofit finance; and

WHEREAS, FAITH LI PETTIS has received numerous professional honors, including election as a Fellow of the American College of Bond Counsel, and served two terms on the Board of Directors of the National Association of Bond Lawyers; and

WHEREAS, **FAITH LI PETTIS** was appointed in 2015 by the Mayor of Seattle to co-chair the City's Housing Affordability and Livability task force, and was appointed in 2012 by Washington Governor Christine Gregoire to chair the statewide Affordable Housing Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, FAITH LI PETTIS has shown remarkable commitment to the community, serving as a trustee for College Spark Washington, an education grant-making organization, and the Seattle Children's Theatre; and

WHEREAS, FAITH LI PETTIS received her bachelor's degree in Russian language and Russian/East European area studies from the University of Washington, and her law degree from Harvard Law School; and

WHEREAS, FAITH LI PETTIS has declared her commitment to serve as a member of the Western Washington University Board of Trustees;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University officially extends a warm welcome to **FAITH LI PETTIS** as she begins her term on the Board.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Trustees of Western Washington University at its meeting on December 14, 2018.

ATTEST:

Carl W. Questrul T

Earl W. Overstreet II, Chair

John Meyer, Secretary