



A RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING

John S. Turner

for his service to the Council on Postsecondary Education

WHEREAS, John S. Turner served on the Council on Postsecondary Education from January 2004 to May 2009; and

WHEREAS, John was an active leader on the Council, serving as vice chair during 2005 and 2006 and chair during 2007 and 2008, and on numerous committees throughout his tenure, including the STEM Task Force, Kentucky Developmental Education Task Force, President Search Committee, Distance Learning Advisory Committee, Governance Board of the Lung Cancer Research Project, and others; and

WHEREAS, he has dedicated countless hours to his work for the Council in Frankfort and across the state participating in public forums, meetings, and other activities; and

WHEREAS, his service as Council chair was just the most recent example of a lifetime dedicated to strengthening Kentucky and improving the quality of life for all citizens through his affiliation with numerous organizations, including the Kentucky Advocates for Higher Education, the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, and the board of Saint Catharine College; and

WHEREAS, through his professional career in manufacturing and plant operations, John has consistently advocated the need for Kentucky educators and employers to work together for the common good; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Council will miss his wit, his generous spirit, and his commitment to the citizens of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the Council is heartened by the knowledge that, even though his formal service has ended, John Turner always will be a trusted and valued colleague in the cause of education;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council on Postsecondary Education does hereby adopt this resolution July 24, 2009, thanking John S. Turner for his dedication and service, and wishing him and his wife, Suzanne, best wishes and good fortune.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Paul E. Patton'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Paul E. Patton, Chair

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Robert L. King'. The signature is cursive and includes a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Robert L. King, President