WHEREAS, The Trustees have grave concern because Wells Street, which bisects the campus of Central Connecticut State College, is a hazard for the thousands of students and staff members who must cross it daily when the College is in session, and

WHEREAS, The elected officials of New Britain have indicated a willingness to close Wells Street provided the Southern Bypass Road is built, and

WHEREAS, The Trustees have endorsed the construction of the Southern Bypass Road and the General Assembly has authorized the issuing of bonds to build it, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Trustees hereby request the State Bond Commission to proceed with the issuing of bonds to finance the construction of the Southern Bypass Road and request that the Governor authorize its construction, provided, however, that the construction of the Southern Bypass Road not be begun until Wells Street is ceded to the State by the City of New Britain, and be it

RESOLVED, That the appropriate state officials be requested to close Wells Street upon the opening of the Southern Bypass Road, and be it

RESOLVED, That when Wells Street is closed by the State, the Trustees request that Wells Street be placed under their jurisdiction for use by Central Connecticut State College and the Board of Trustees, and be it

RESOLVED, That, recognizing the need for certain easements, the Trustees authorize the Commissioner of Public Works, the Attorney General and/or other agents of the State, in negotiating to take possession of Wells Street, to provide appropriate easements to the City of New Britain and to such public or private agencies as may maintain utilities, sewers, and water lines which may be affected by the closing of Wells Street.

A Certified True Copy:

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Executive Director