RESOLUTION

honoring

SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

1995 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP SOCCER TEAM

NCAA DIVISION II

FEBRUARY 16, 1996

WHEREAS, The Southern Connecticut State University soccer team is the 1995 champion of the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division II, and

WHEREAS, This latest title is the fourth national championship won by the SCSU soccer team during the past decade, and

WHEREAS, Southern’s soccer team has played in the NCAA Division II tournament in 18 of the past 20 years and reached the Final Four contests in 13 of those years, and

WHEREAS, Raymond Reid, has been named National Coach of the Year three times during his seven years as head coach of Southern’s soccer team, and

WHEREAS, Numerous players on Southern’s teams, during two decades, have been chosen as All-Americans by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America, and

WHEREAS, Southern’s soccer teams are consistently among the finest teams in the United States, and

WHEREAS, Their success has brought pride to SCSU and to the Connecticut State University System and to the citizens of Connecticut, and

WHEREAS The outstanding achievements of the SCSU soccer program have focused international attention on the University and attracted students from around the world, and

WHEREAS The excellence of Southern’s soccer team reflects the commitment to academic excellence that defines the University’s mission as a whole, therefore be it
RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System extends its congratulations to the 1995 SCSU soccer team, and to its head coach Raymond Reid, upon the occasion of the team's Division II national championship, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees commends the entire Southern Connecticut State University community for supporting the goals of excellence in both its academic and athletic programs.

A Certified True Copy:

Lawrence D. McHugh, Chairman

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