RESOLUTION

honoring

THE VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM
at
EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

June 12, 1998

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WHEREAS, The Team, competing in the national tournament, defeated the University of Wisconsin at Oshkosh, Aurora (Ill.), and Montclair (New Jersey) State University twice, and

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WHEREAS, The Team, under the leadership of Head Coach William P. Holowaty, Assistant Coaches Ron Jones, John Risley, Scott Smith, and Bob Wojcik and Co-Captains Jon Gerz and Chris D’Amato completed its 1998 schedule with a school record forty victories against only eleven defeats, and

WHEREAS, The success of the Team has brought pride to ECSU and to the Connecticut State University System, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees extends its congratulations to the ECSU Varsity Baseball Team on earning honors as NCAA Division III National Champions for 1998 while noting that this achievement is Eastern’s third NCAA National Championship in baseball.

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