RESOLUTION FOR

Lynn R. Moore

WHEREAS, Lynn R. Moore has distinguished herself as a successful business woman, an innovator/entrepreneur, a university instructor, a retro fashion model, a curriculum coordinator for the fashion merchandising program and a passionate mentor for university students and young professionals in the fashion industry; and

WHEREAS, she spent most of her early career in fashion retail and wholesale, including co-creating and running a very successful business; which provided Lynn a wealth of experience in merchandising, business management and marketing. This practical experience along with her Master's in Business Administration provides valuable lessons for our students; and

WHEREAS, she began her work at Southeast Missouri State University over seven years ago as a Senior Administrative Assistant with the Dean's Office in the College of Liberal Arts. It was in this position that Lynn's people skills, communication and ability to network were known and appreciated; and

WHEREAS, in 2010, Lynn became an Instructor in the Department of Human Environmental Studies bringing with her an extensive background in the fashion industry, business and her ability to network and collaborate; and

WHEREAS, shortly after having joined the Human Environmental Studies Department she assumed the lead as Curriculum Coordinator for the Fashion Merchandising Program. The program has doubled under Lynn's strong leadership. The entire curriculum was redesigned and updated which includes travel course options to New York, Paris and in the near future El Salvador; and

WHEREAS, she has worked tirelessly, serving on a large number of department and university committees. One of the most notable has been her involvement from the very beginning in the development of the "Incubation Labs" now referred to as "Catapult." This project spanned almost two and a half years and is now a reality partly because of the leadership of Lynn; and

WHEREAS, she has also served the community in a large array of activities including fund raising events for the Safe House for Women (Fashion Shows) and the utilization of seventy-five donated brides dresses to enhance a student group; and

WHEREAS, Lynn's valuable contributions and devotion to Southeast Missouri State University will never be forgotten, she is ready for a new chapter in her life; which will include, travels that will allow Lynn once again to hit the road to find new challenges with her family and friends because that is what creative entrepreneurs do;

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Board of Regents expresses its appreciation and congratulations on behalf of the University and its students, faculty, staff, and administration on this first day of May, Two Thousand Fifteen.

Jay B. Knudtson

President, Board of Regents
Southeast Missouri State University