RESOLUTION FOR

Michael H. Hurst

WHEREAS, Michael H. Hurst has aided the Department of Public Safety by strengthening and supporting the mission of Southeast Missouri State University; and

WHEREAS, he served as one of a group of over one and a half million dedicated people engaged in the operation of emergency response systems throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, he has aided and enhanced the personal, social and cultural needs of the University by providing dedicated and quality 9-1-1 communications services in the protection of human life; and

WHEREAS, he has contributed to the safe and favorable learning environment for students, faculty, staff and visitors by providing accurate information and prompt service to the public in countless ways with little recognition; and

WHEREAS, he has unselfishly and with intense dedication vowed to aid the police officer, whose life and welfare he safeguards; and

WHEREAS, he has achieved the Department’s goals by displaying a strong commitment to the diverse community he serves; and

WHEREAS, he has faithfully performed the duties of Deputy with the Cape Girardeau County Sheriff’s Office, achieving the rank of Lieutenant, from 1977 until 1997; and

WHEREAS, he has faithfully served as Coroner of Cape Girardeau County from 1998 until 2002; and

WHEREAS, he has faithfully performed the duties of Communications Officer with the Department of Public Safety from January 1997 until August 2014; and

WHEREAS, he leaves behind a large group of colleagues who hold him in the highest regard, both professionally and personally;

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