



**BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
IN RECOGNITION AND PROFOUND APPRECIATION  
OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE  
TRUSTEE RICHARD M. HOUGH, ED.D.**

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE RICHARD M. HOUGH SERVED ON THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA BOARD OF TRUSTEES FROM AUGUST 2013 THROUGH AUGUST 2015, AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH SERVED WITH DISTINCTION ON THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE DURING THOSE YEARS, AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH, HAS GIVEN EXEMPLARY SERVICE TO THE FACULTY SENATE, THE PRINCIPAL GOVERNANCE BODY OF THE UWF FACULTY, SERVING AS ITS PRESIDENT FOR TWO TERMS, AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH, DISTINGUISHED INSTRUCTOR IN THE UWF DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE, HAS A WEALTH OF KNOWLEDGE AND WORK EXPERIENCE IN LAW ENFORCEMENT, INVESTIGATIONS AND JUVENILE JUSTICE, AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH SERVES AS AN EXPERT WITNESS IN "USE OF FORCE" CASES INVOLVING LAW ENFORCEMENT, AND IS WELL CONNECTED IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMUNITY ACROSS THE STATE OF FLORIDA, AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH'S AREAS OF PROFESSIONAL EXPERTISE AND INTERESTS INVOLVE HOMICIDE, SERIAL KILLERS, COLD CASES AND INCARCERATION, AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH ENJOYS HIS MORNING CUP OF COFFEE FROM A MUG INSCRIBED "HOMICIDE...OUR DAY BEGINS WHEN YOURS ENDS," AND

WHEREAS, TRUSTEE HOUGH CONSIDERS HIS GREATEST HONOR IS SERVING AS LOVING AND PROUD FATHER TO HIS BABY GIRL, #1 SON, #2 SON, AND #3 SON, AND

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA BOARD OF TRUSTEES, AT ITS REGULAR MEETING ON THIS 30TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, THE YEAR OF 2015, DOES HEREBY RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND TRUSTEE RICHARD M. HOUGH FOR HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA, AND

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THIS RESOLUTION IS INCLUDED IN THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING AND A COPY PRESENTED TO TRUSTEE RICHARD M. HOUGH AS A TOKEN OF THE BOARD'S APPRECIATION AND SINCERE THANKS.

**LEWIS BEAR, JR., CHAIR**  
UWF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

**DR. JUDITH A. BENSE, PRESIDENT**