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Recommended Action - Resolution for Missouri University of Science and Technology 150 Year Anniversary

It was endorsed by President Choi, recommended by Chair Chatman, moved by Curator ______________ and seconded by Curator ________________, that the following resolution recognizing the Missouri University of Science and Technology 150 Year Anniversary be approved:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Missouri University of Science and Technology (Missouri S&T) was established in 1870 as the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy and was one of the first technological learning institutions west of the Mississippi River; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T’s 150-year heritage of discovery, creativity and innovation continues to attract world-class students, faculty and staff from Missouri and around the world; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T has over 7,600 students from across the U.S. and around the world engaged in 99 Degree Programs in 40 areas of study, including business, computer science, engineering, sciences, education, humanities and liberal arts; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T is home to award-winning student design teams that give students the opportunity to develop their problem-solving, teamwork and business skills while designing and building race cars, robots, rockets, Mars rovers and more; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T’s 65,000 alumni use their skills by looking beyond the surface, merging creativity and analysis, and developing innovative solutions for societal challenges; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T is home to the Kummer Institute for Student Success, Research and Economic Development. The institute will transform Missouri S&T and the state by cultivating leadership and technological innovation; promoting an entrepreneurial mindset; fostering expansion of academic-industry partnerships to address emerging needs of industry; and creating jobs and economic growth for the region; and

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WHEREAS, Missouri S&T is highly recognized for providing an outstanding return on investment, is ranked as the No. 1 public engineering university in the nation, and is the No. 1 university in Missouri for alumni salary potential; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T is committed to environmental sustainability and home to one of the nation’s most comprehensive geothermal energy systems, which has reduced energy usage by over 50 percent campus wide; and

WHEREAS, Missouri S&T provides significant economic development to the state of Missouri through high-impact research, engineering, business, the sciences, education, and the humanities:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Curators, on behalf of the students, faculty, staff and alumni of the University of Missouri, and on behalf of the citizens of the state of Missouri, hereby adopts this resolution to honor Missouri University of Science and Technology for 150 years of extraordinary accomplishments as an institution of higher learning; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the Board of Curators cause this resolution to be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and that a duly inscribed copy thereof be furnished to Chancellor Mohammad Dehghani as representative of the entire Missouri S&T community.

Roll call vote:      YES      NO
Curator Brncic
Curator Chatman
Curator Graham
Curator Graves
Curator Hoberock
Curator Layman
Curator Steelman
Curator Wenneker
Curator Williams

The motion _______________.

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