Resolution Honoring LEE WILLIAMS Member, State Board of Education 2008-2015

Whereas, Dr. A. Lee Williams served as a dedicated member of the State Board of Education and its Council of Higher Education since her appointment by Governor Edward Rendell in February 2008; and
 Whereas, In that capacity, she served with distinction as Co-Chair of the Board's Standing Committee on Academic Standards and Assessment and as a member of the Standing Committee on Teacher and School Leader Effectiveness; and
 Whereas, Through her distinguished career as a collegiate faculty member in the field of early childhood education and her prior service as an educator, Dr. Williams

early childhood education and her prior service as an educator, Dr. Williams brought a crucial perspective to the deliberations of the Board informed by vast experience and sound judgment; and

Whereas, Her understanding of the structure and history of the Commonwealth's education preparation programs proved invaluable to the work of the Board; and

Whereas, Dr. Williams' has been an integral voice in Board policymaking who viewed each issue before the Board as an opportunity to have a positive impact on Pennsylvania's students; now therefore be it

Resolved: That the members of the State Board of Education extend their sincere appreciation and highest tribute to our friend and colleague, Lee Williams, for her outstanding service and invaluable contributions to education in this Commonwealth; and be it further

Resolved: That the members of the State Board of Education wish Lee Williams continued professional achievement and personal fulfillment in all her future endeavors.

Given under my hand and our seal this 9th day of July 2015

Larry Wittig
Chairman