

APPENDIX C

RESOLUTION

Commending Daniel Kenneth Steen, Rector of the University of Mary Washington for his work with the Board of Regents

October 17, 2012

WHEREAS, Daniel Kenneth Steen graduated magna cum laude from the University of Mary Washington in 1984 and earned a law degree from the University of Virginia in 1987; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Steen serves as Vice President of Government Affairs for Owens-Illinois, Inc., has served on several state and national boards, and is currently the chair of the National Association of Manufacturers' National Public Affairs Steering Committee; and

WHEREAS, in July 2010 Mr. Steen began a two-year term as Rector of the University of Mary Washington, during which tenure the University maintained budget stability, opened two new colleges, hired three new college deans, planned a Comprehensive Campaign, and continued a considerable expansion of physical facilities; and

WHEREAS, as Rector, Mr. Steen played a critical role in helping revitalize the working relationship between the University of Mary Washington and the Board of Regents of the James Monroe Museum and Memorial Library; and

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2012, Mr. Steen convened the first meeting of the Board of Regents held after the appointment of new members by Governor Robert McDonnell in November 2011; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Steen's term as Rector of the University of Mary Washington concluded as of July 22, 2012 with the election of the Honorable Pamela J. White as Rector by the University's Board of Visitors;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Regents of the James Monroe Museum and Memorial Library, with the concurrence of the Rector and Visitors of the University of Mary Washington, that **Daniel Kenneth Steen** is hereby commended and thanked for his dedicated service as Rector of the University of Mary Washington, and particularly for his role in fostering a productive working relationship with the Board of Regents to preserve and interpret the legacy of James Monroe.