Resolution

2-10-19-2018

Commending Dr. Patricia Sims

For Professional Achievement and Dedicated Service to Athens State University

WHEREAS, Dr. Patricia Sims has served Athens State University as the Dean for the College of Education since January 2014; and

WHEREAS, she was instrumental in establishing the College of Education Reading Lab and the We TEACH Conference to support current and future teachers; and

WHEREAS, she expended considerable energy and countless hours as an advocate for the University and its students across the State of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, she represents the State of Alabama on the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) regional accreditation commission; and

WHEREAS, the Athens State University Board of Trustees wishes to formally extend appreciation of Dr. Sims' contributions to public education and to the University; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this the 19th day of October 2018, by the Athens State

University Board of Trustees, that Dr. Patricia Sims is most highly commended for her diligent service and dedication to Athens State University and its students and that the Board extends congratulations to Dr. Sims on her appointment as President of J.F. Drake State Community and

Technical College.

Ronnie Chronister, Chair pro tempore

Macke Mauldin, Vice Chair pro tempore

Jackie Gooch, Secretary to the Board