UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA BOARD OF TRUSTEES RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Mike McKee has been a trusted leader at the University of Florida since 2002, serving as Vice President and Chief Financial Officer and previously serving as assistant vice president and university controller, and

WHEREAS, Mr. McKee has a keen understanding of financial guidance and oversight of the University's \$3 billion dollar budget, and his relentless efforts to improve business processes in the University community to strengthen campus financial skills and knowledge, assist with business decision-making, optimize unit resources, enhance customer service, and create and share training guides and resources, and to adapt to changing legislation and reporting requirements, and has been a collaborative partner with all areas of campus, and

WHEREAS, Mr. McKee has served on and with a variety of Boards including as the Vice President Liaison to the Board of Trustees' Finance, Strategic Planning & Performance Metrics Committee, University of Florida Foundation, UF Research Foundation, UF Health, UF Investment Corporation, GatorCare Health Corp among others and serving as a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accounts, the National Association of College and University Business Officers, the Doctoral Committee of Southern Association of College and University Business Officers, and

WHEREAS, Mr. McKee's expertise in accounting having not only received a bachelor's degree majoring in accounting but as a certified public account and a certified government financial manager, have continued to guide the Office of the Chief Financial Officer to ensure proper financial health of the University, and provide assistance and leadership for all financial professionals at UF, and

WHEREAS, with his strategic direction, Mr. McKee helped guide the University of Florida through some of its most challenging budget crises, allowing the University to emerge even stronger and better-prepared,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the University of Florida Board of Trustees at its regular meeting this 5th day of June 2020, does hereby recognize and commend Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Mike McKee for his contributions to the University of Florida and Board of trustees, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be included in the minutes of this meeting, and a copy be presented to Mike McKee as a token of the Board's appreciation and admiration.

Morteza Hosseini, Chair	W. Kent Fuchs, President and Corporate
	Secretary