

Proposition: 10-16/17

Title: A Memorial in Appreciation of Dr. Stuart Munson McGee's Service to New Mexico State University (NMSU) and the NMSU Faculty Senate

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Sponsor(s): Brown (A&S), Heien (Library), Rayson (A&S), Sassenfeld (ENG)

Proposed Committee: Faculty Affairs

Assigned Committee: Faculty Affairs

Prior Approvals: None – N/A

Whereas shared governance is an important function at NMSU that provides faculty the opportunity to assist NMSU's Central Administration in exercising needed leadership on academic issues;

Whereas the Faculty Senate is the primary mechanism by which shared governance is advanced at NMSU;

Whereas serving as Faculty Senate Chair is a demanding job requiring a major commitment of time, considerable stamina, and the ability to adequately advance a range of faculty concerns through a complex process to advance relevant Senate Legislation;

Whereas the Senate also serves as the primary voice of NMSU faculty to NMSU's Central Administration on a range of issues outside regular Senate process; and

Whereas Stuart Munson McGee has discharged all duties of the Senate Chair with hard work, honor, and effectiveness.

Let it be resolved on this day that the Faculty Senate formally acknowledges Dr. Munson-McGee's exceptional skills in carrying out the duty of Chair in an honorable, respectful and highly effective manner. Stu, thanks for all you have done for the Senate, NMSU faculty, and the institution as a whole.