

Resolution

In Support of

JOHN M. ANDERSON, PH.D.

by the Council of Trustees
of Millersville University of Pennsylvania

Whereas, the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania conveys our unequivocal support and utmost respect for President John M. Anderson and expresses our continued confidence in his leadership of Millersville University;

Whereas, the Council of Trustees supports President Anderson because of his sense of duty, his measured judgment and his dedication to the principles of community and integrity. He has risen to and overcome the challenges of University leadership, and has built strong and positive relationships with the campus and Lancaster communities;

Whereas, the Council of Trustees stands united behind President Anderson and his vision for the campus community. We commend him for leading the University to think big and go far, and we are confident in his professional and executive judgment. We respect that he often must make difficult decisions based on information and perspectives that cannot be immediately shared. In those extraordinary events, he strives to help the campus community understand the context and reasoning, and takes responsibility for his decisions;

Whereas, since taking the helm a little more than three years ago, President Anderson has successfully closed a \$10 million structural deficit; developed a new strategic plan, Our BOLD Path; created and implemented a new per-credit tuition policy for in-state undergraduate students which, in its first two years, has produced more than \$9.1 million in additional revenue, surpassing the projected \$8.5 million goal one year ahead of schedule; launched three new doctoral programs; developed and implemented a Climate Action Plan, which emphasizes sustainability throughout campus and has resulted in private funding for the Lombardo Net Zero Energy Building, which will serve as a new welcome center; planned residence hall construction and replacement to recruit and retain students; increased resources to recruit and retain more out-of-state, international and diverse students; and raised private giving to \$4.7 million, surpassing the goal of \$3.5 million;

Whereas, the Council of Trustees supports President Anderson because we believe that, through these accomplishments, he has demonstrated sound leadership skills and commitment to the campus community, therefore proving himself well accomplished and knowledgeable to continue to lead the University; therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania respectfully supports and stands united with President John M. Anderson.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
this fifteenth day of June, two thousand and sixteen.

Michael G. Warfel
Chairman
Millersville University Council of Trustees