

**RESOLUTION**

**Recognition of Donald M. Loppnow**

WHEREAS, Dr. Donald Loppnow has proudly served for 40 years at Eastern Michigan University in the roles of professor, administrator, mentor and friend; and,

WHEREAS, he provided distinguished leadership as a founder, professor and department head of the School of Social Work, and dedicated service as interim University president, provost, and vice president of advancement and executive director of the EMU Foundation; and,

WHEREAS, as an accomplished researcher, Dr. Loppnow garnered more than \$3.6 million dollars in grants to support Eastern's mission, enabling faculty and students to support and strengthen the local community; and,

WHEREAS, organizations such as the Riverside Arts Center, Meals on Wheels, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, and the Ypsilanti Area Community Fund have greatly benefited from his vast knowledge and generosity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents expresses its great appreciation to Donald M. Loppnow for 40 years of boundless leadership and graciousness, and thanks him for his extraordinary commitment to the institution.

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