

RESOLUTION

**Recognition of the 2016-17 Cartwright Award
Eastern Michigan University Department of Athletics**

WHEREAS, the Eastern Michigan University Athletic Department won the 2016-17 Cartwright Award presented by the Mid-American Conference for program excellence in academics, athletics and citizenship; and,

WHEREAS, along with its second Cartwright honor, Eastern also finished a school-best 81st in the Learfield Directors' Cup for Division I, which honors an institution's overall success in many sports; and,

WHEREAS, Eastern earned five MAC team titles and 29 individual MAC titles during the season; and,

WHEREAS, the 2016-17 academic year marked the 15th consecutive term during which EMU student-athletes earned over a 3.0 GPA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents congratulates the EMU Athletic Department and Athletic Director Scott Wetherbee for outstanding success, and commends them for the honor and distinction they have brought to themselves as well as to Eastern Michigan University.

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