

RESOLUTION

Recognition of the 2023 MLK Celebration “Remembering the Dream”

WHEREAS, the 37th annual MLK Celebration commemorated the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., inspiring the Eastern community by recognize the ongoing importance of using our collective voices to address racial injustice; and,

WHEREAS, Eastern was honored to welcome keynote speaker Dr. Sampson Davis, an emergency physician, TV personality, author, and humanitarian, who spoke about the power of having a dream and how an investment into humanity will produce a community filled with hope, love, and insurmountable achievement; and,

WHEREAS, scholarships were awarded to undergraduates Alex Blanco, Jemone Cochran, Naomi Hardin, Monena Lamb, Jada Norman, Te’Nia Richardson, and Makaiya Snead as recognition for their commitment to promote respect, understanding, and acceptance during their time at Eastern; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents congratulates the MLK Celebration Planning Committee, co-chairs Doris Fields and Tray McGuire, and all who contributed to the celebration, and encourages the entire campus community to continue to support Eastern’s commitment to inclusion, diversity, equity, and equality.

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