

TO: President Jack Miller  
FROM: President of the University Senate

1. The attached motion of the University Senate, dealing with  
Dr. Timothy Rickard  
is presented to you for your consideration. Two additional copies are included for your use.

2. This motion was adopted by the University Senate on Dec. 10, 2007

3. After considering this motion, please indicate your action on this form, and return it together with the original copy to the President of the University Senate.

4. Under the By-Laws of the University Senate, Section 3.8, the following schedule of action is to be observed.

a) By \_\_\_\_\_, Senate action reported to the President of University.  
(Date)

(Within five school days of the session in which they are adopted).

b) By \_\_\_\_\_, President of the University to return the motion to the  
(Date)

President of the Senate. (Within 10 school days of its receipt).

Dec. 17, 2007  
(Date)

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President, University Senate (Tim Craine)

ENDORSEMENT:

TO: President of the University Senate

FROM: President Jack Miller

1. Motion Approved \_\_\_\_\_

2. Motion Disapproved \_\_\_\_\_  
(Explanatory statement must be appended)

3. Action "is deferred" \_\_\_\_\_

4. Resolution Noted \_\_\_\_\_ ✓

5. Other \_\_\_\_\_

12/21/07  
Date

John W. Miller  
President

Senator Kyem moved the following resolution, which passed unanimously:

A **motion** to honor Dr. Timothy J. Rickard, Professor, Department of Geography, Central Connecticut State University, New Britain, CT on the eve of his retirement.

**Preamble:** During his 35 years service to the University, Dr. Timothy J. Rickard served as director of the George Muirhead International Education Center from 1991-1995 and the Interim Director of the Center for International Education from 1996-1998. He spent 11 years as chair of the Geography Department and was even drafted to chair the History Department for a year.

Dr. Rickard has volunteered for service positions on many University Committees including the Faculty Senate, Curriculum and other committees. He is an exceptional teacher and researcher who has worked very hard on behalf of CCSU students to facilitate their success. For his meritorious contributions to the University, Dr. Rickard was awarded the prestigious CCSU Distinguished Service Award in 2007.

**Whereas Dr Timothy Rickard has shown long and outstanding service to Central Connecticut State University and**

**Whereas Dr Rickard has distinguished himself in the field of geographic enquiry and**

**Whereas Dr Rickard has dedicated himself to bringing about a better world for his students and community**

**Be it resolved therefore:** That the Faculty Senate of Central Connecticut State University recognizes and honors Dr. Timothy J. Rickard for his dedicated and praiseworthy services to the students, University, and the Community at large.