WHEREAS Professor Stephen Cohen was unanimously elected President of the Faculty Senate on September 23, 2013, on April 14, 2014, and on April 4, 2016;

WHEREAS he has guided the faculty through on-campus challenges such as departmental realignment, General Education reform, academic assessment, and the appointments of new deans of all four academic schools, of a new Provost, and of a new President of the university;

WHEREAS he has worked successfully with faculty leaders from CCSU and across the state colleges and universities on issues such as transfer articulation, Transform CSCU 2020, the 120-credit mandate, faculty contract renegotiations, and "Students First;"

WHEREAS his leadership over the past five years has positioned us well to confront future challenges while maintaining academic rigor;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate expresses its sincere gratitude to Professor Stephen Cohen for his service as President of the Faculty Senate of Central Connecticut State University.