WHEREAS, David Farnsworth has energetically, wisely and with good humor provided leadership for the NARUC Staff Subcommittee on Gas, by assuring that its meetings and regular conference calls would be interesting; and

WHEREAS, David Farnsworth has assisted and led many of the projects completed for the NARUC Committee on Gas, including its participation in the development of NARUC's National Electricity Policy, and has taken minutes for the meetings of the NARUC Committee on Gas; and

WHEREAS, For four-and-a-half-years, David Farnsworth has served as a dedicated member of the Staff Subcommittee on Gas, most recently for five months as Vice Chair; and

WHEREAS, As a member and as Vice Chair of the NARUC Staff Subcommittee on Gas, David Farnsworth has worked tirelessly, serving as a constant source of advice and encouragement; and

WHEREAS, David Farnsworth has earned the respect, and affection of his NARUC colleagues; and

WHEREAS, David Farnsworth currently serves as Staff Attorney and Hearing Officer for the Vermont Public Service Board; and has served as a Policy Analyst and Partner for Royalton Research Associates; as a Researcher for the U.S. District Court, District of Vermont; and as a Language Instructor for the Portland (Maine) School Department, the King Faisal University (Saudi Arabia), and the U.S. Peace Corp (Rwanda); WHEREAS, David Farnsworth holds a B.A. in Religion from Colby College; an M.A. in English from the University of Maine at Orono; and a J.D., and Master of Studies cum laude in Environmental Law from the Vermont Law School; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), convened at its July 2002 Summer Meetings in Portland, Oregon, extends its sincerest appreciation to David Farnsworth for his years of service in advancing the public good, and wishes him good fortune, happiness, and prosperity in all his future endeavors.

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