Resolution Honoring Cheryl L. Roberto

WHEREAS, Cheryl L. Roberto was appointed as Commissioner of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) in 2008 by Governor Ted Strickland; and

WHEREAS, From April 2008 through December 2012, Cheryl Roberto has served as Commissioner of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, doing so ethically, judiciously and unselfishly, working exceptionally on behalf of Ohioans and earning the respect, admiration, and trust of those who have had the honor to serve with her; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Roberto has served the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) as Vice Chair of the Committee on Critical Infrastructure, member of its Task Force on Environmental Regulation and Generation, and member of the Committee on Electricity; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Roberto has distinguished herself nationally as Co-Chair, State and Local Energy Efficiency Action Network (SEEEAction) Utility Motivation Working Group and Chair, Sub-Committee for Utility Financial Incentives, and Co-Chair, 2012 National Electricity Forum, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy and NARUC; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Roberto served as Advisory Board Member of the Financial Research Institute at the University of Missouri-Columbia, and Member of the Board of Directors of the National Regulatory Research Institute; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Roberto’s quest is to achieve positive change to make the world better by serving the public good; and for more than 25 years, she has brought to every job a desire to address intellectually challenging and complex problems; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Roberto ably represented the nation’s regulatory community by participating in a joint NARUC/U.S. Agency for International Development exchange to the Ukraine in 2011 and hosted regulatory delegations from the Ukraine and Armenia when they visited the PUCO in 2012; and

WHEREAS, All of us have benefited greatly from Commissioner Roberto's hard work, dedication, and passion for promoting critical infrastructure protection, cybersecurity, cost-effective energy efficiency and protecting the environment; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2013 Winter Committee Meeting in Washington, D.C., commends Cheryl L. Roberto on her outstanding and dedicated service, and wishes her every happiness and success in the future.

Sponsored by the Committee on Critical Infrastructure
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