Honorary Resolution for Commissioner Emeritus Greer J. Gillis

Whereas Greer J. Gillis served on the District of Columbia Public Service Commission as a Commissioner from December 2018 through April 2020;

Whereas prior to this appointment, Greer J. Gillis served with honor as Director of the District of Columbia Department of General Services ("DGS");

Whereas in this role at DGS, Greer J. Gillis oversaw the agency responsible for managing capital improvement and construction programs for a variety of District government agencies, including DC Public Schools, as well as sustainability initiatives across the agency's efforts specifically championing building energy performance standards for the government portfolio and implemented agreements to reduce greenhouse gases through efforts on installing green roofs and solar installations across government buildings;

Whereas prior to her role at DGS, Greer J. Gillis served as Deputy Director of the District of Columbia Department of Transportation ("DDOT"); Deputy Chief Engineer of the DDOT; and Area Manager, WSP USA (formerly Parsons Brinckerhoff, Inc.);

Whereas in her role at DDOT, Greer J. Gillis oversaw infrastructure projects pertaining to the Anacostia Waterfront Initiative program, Stormwater Management Branch, Safety Standards and Quality Control Division, ITS Division, and Citywide Special Projects;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis is a certified Professional Engineer in both Washington, DC and Virginia and is a certified Lean Six Sigma Black Belt;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis, while a Commissioner, was an active member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners ("NARUC"), serving with distinction;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis was appointed as Co-Vice Chair of the NARUC Committee on Gas in December 2019;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis also served as a member on the NARUC Committee on International Relations and Staff Subcommittee on Supplier & Workforce Diversity;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis ably represented the District of Columbia Public Service Commission on the Board of the Directors for the Organization of PJM States Inc. and serving as a member of the Governance Committee;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis, upon joining the District of Columbia Public Service Commission, served as a dedicated Commissioner strongly focused on prudent utility infrastructure improvements and innovative upgrade initiatives;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis was recognized by then-President Barack Obama and then-United States. Secretary of Transportation Anthony Foxx as a White House Champion of Change: Transportation

Ladders of Opportunity for her tireless efforts in diversity and inclusion, including mentoring and championing the participation of women and minorities in the engineering industry;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis, with her thoughtful policy and technical expertise, became known as a committed leader within the energy infrastructure;

Whereas Greer J. Gillis is deeply missed on a personal level; her intellect, kindness and champion of diversity and inclusion were truly appreciated; and

Whereas Commissioner Emeritus Greer J. Gillis's impact will be long-standing both at District of Columbia and on a national level; now therefore be it

Resolved that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Commissioners, convened at its 2020 Summer Policy Summit conducted virtually, congratulates Commissioner Emeritus Greer J. Gillis on her tenure at the Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia and offers heartfelt gratitude for her strong dedication to public service, and expresses its best wishes for her future endeavors.

Sponsored by the Committee on Gas Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors on July 22, 2020