

# **HONORARY RESOLUTIONS**

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**2018 SUMMER POLICY SUMMIT  
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REGULATORY UTILITY COMMISSIONERS**

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## *Honorary Resolution for Commissioner Lorraine Akiba of Hawaii*

*Whereas* Lorraine H. Akiba was appointed by then-Hawaii Governor Neil Abercrombie as a Commissioner for the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission in January 2012, for a term to expire June 30, 2018;

*Whereas* in this role, Commissioner Akiba presided over all regulated public utility matters in the State of Hawaii, including electric, gas, private water and wastewater, telecommunications, water transportation, and motor carrier transportation utilities;

*Whereas* prior to this appointment, Commissioner Akiba worked in the private practice as a law partner at McCorriston Miller Mukai MacKinnon LLP and Cades Schutte LLP, where she headed the Environmental Practice Groups at both law firms with an emphasis in environmental and natural resources law in addition to her commercial and business litigation practice;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba served previously as Director of the State of Hawaii Department of Labor and Industrial Relations and as Chair of the State of Hawaii Environmental Council;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba holds a Juris Doctor from the University of California, Hastings College of Law, and graduated with honors from the University of California at Berkeley with a Bachelor of Arts in political science;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba has held leadership positions at a number of national and state professional organizations, including the American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division, the Hawaii Women's Legal Foundation, and the National Conference of Women's Bar Associations;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba served as a member of the Advisory Council to the Board of Directors of the Electric Power Research Institute, the U.S. Department of Energy and Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Future Electric Utility Regulation Advisory Group, and the State and Local Efficiency Action Network (SEE Action Network) Financial Solutions Working Group;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba co-chairs the Low Income Community Solar Working Group of the Low Income Issues Forum and serves as a member of the Resiliency Strategy Steering Committee for the City and County of Honolulu; *and*

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba has been an active member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), serving on its Board of Directors, its Energy Resources and Environment Committee, its Electricity Committee, and its Task Force on Innovation;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba regularly moderated NARUC panels, and always treated panelists to Hawaii's finest specialties, including macadamia nuts, cookies, and leis;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba is a recognized thought leader, with experience and knowledge in the development of Hawaii's renewable and clean energy policy and regulatory framework;

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba always seems to know the correct postage no matter where around the world she is sending a Hawaii "postcard from the future;"

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba invariably greets everyone with a genuinely friendly "aloha" and on conference calls provides a reminder about what a bright and early time of day it is in Hawaii; *and*

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba was able to leap multiple time zones in a single bound and always brought her creative thinking and energy to NARUC and in other many utility sector meetings; *and*

*Whereas* Commissioner Akiba's infectious energy, vision, and policy leadership will be greatly missed; *now, therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the NARUC Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summer in Scottsdale Arizona extends to Lorraine H. Akiba its utmost gratitude and appreciation for her years of public service to the State of Hawaii and wish Commissioner Emeritus Akiba success and happiness as she continues exemplary work upon her return to the private sector.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on Energy and the Environment*  
*Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors on July 18, 2018*

***Resolution Honoring Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board Member Murray E. Doehler***

*Whereas* Murray E. Doehler soon will complete his service as a member of the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board and as co-vice chair of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners Committee on International Relations;

*Whereas* Murray Doehler was named to the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board in 2005 and has served with distinction for nearly 13 years;

*Whereas* Murray Doehler has been an active member of and an advocate for CAMPUT: Canada's Energy and Utility Regulators, has served as chair of the organization, and has worked tirelessly to convince U.S. utility regulators to attend CAMPUT meetings;

*Whereas* Murray Doehler has served his community as a member of the City of Halifax Board of Aldermen, chair of the Halifax District School Board, and a professor (of the year) at St. Mary's University;

*Whereas* Murray Doehler's civic involvement has included the Red Cross, Neptune Theatre, Cathedral Church of All Saints, the Anglican Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, Symphony Nova Scotia, and Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Network;

*Whereas* despite the demands of his many professional and civic responsibilities, Murray Doehler has been an active and engaged member of the Committee on International Relations, ably moderating panel discussions with no advance notice and serving as co-vice chairman since January 2016;

*Whereas* Murray Doehler was an active member of the International Confederation of Energy Regulators (ICER) since 2009, generously allocating his time to read and evaluate articles for both the triennial ICER Distinguished Scholar Award and the biannual *ICER Chronicle*;

*Whereas* before becoming an energy regulator, Murray Doehler was engaged in international work in Vietnam, Thailand, Fiji, Tonga, Niue, Federated States of Micronesia, Marshall Islands, Palau, Tuvalu, Samoa, and the Cook Islands (perhaps coincidentally, all a bit warmer than Nova Scotia, eh?);

*Whereas* Murray Doehler was honored in 2011 by his colleagues at the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board with the coveted *Where's Waldo Award*, in recognition of the difficulty of determining his precise location at any given time, and he is known to this day as MIA Murray;

*Whereas* one might think that Murray Doehler holds a second job with Tourism Nova Scotia, given his unceasing promotion of the province's many attractions (You have to go to Aspotogan; it's much nicer than Peggy's Cove, eh?);

*Whereas* Murray Doehler has been a gracious and generous host to NARUC members who visit Halifax (This place has the best mussels you will ever taste, eh?);

*Whereas* despite holding professional credentials as both an accountant AND an engineer, Murray Doehler is known for his sense of humor and appreciation of a good time (A president's reception is just a dressed-up kitchen party without the music, eh?); *and*

*Whereas* according to reliable sources, there are stories we could tell, but shouldn't - and won't, eh?; *now, therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends its gratitude to Murray Doehler for his leading role on NARUC's Committee on International Relations and for his efforts to develop closer ties between utility regulators in the United States and Canada, and expresses its best wishes for his future endeavors.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on International Relations*

*Adopted by the Board of Directors July 18, 2018*

## ***Honorary Resolution for Commissioner Emeritus Sherina Maye Edwards of Illinois***

*Whereas* Sherina Maye Edwards was appointed by then-Governor Patrick Joseph Quinn as a Commissioner for the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) in February 2013, serving with honor and distinction until December 6, 2017, when she voluntarily decided to pursue other opportunities;

*Whereas* Sherina, at the time of her appointment, became the youngest commissioner ever appointed in the state of Illinois;

*Whereas* during her tenure at the ICC, Commissioner Emeritus Edwards was an active and engaged member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC);

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Edwards served when she was a state commissioner as the Chair of the Subcommittee on Pipeline Safety as well as Chair of the Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity, and as a member of the Committee on Gas, with previous service on the Committee on Water;

*Whereas* in 2016 Commissioner Emeritus Edwards was appointed as one of the state regulators to Co-Chair the U.S. Department of Transportation's Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration's (PHMSA) Voluntary Information-Sharing System Working Group, where she provided recommendations to the Secretary of Transportation on information-sharing matters and best practices for the protection of proprietary and security-sensitive information;

*Whereas* in her role as a regulator, Commissioner Emeritus Edwards was a tireless advocate and nationally recognized champion for diversity and inclusion within the utility and energy space;

*Whereas* her passion and dedication led her to found the Women's Energy Summit as an annual forum for select women across the nation to discuss pertinent issues in the energy industry, highlight accomplishments, uplift rising stars, and break down barriers;

*Whereas* in 2015, she co-founded the Chicago chapter of the Women's Energy Network, an organization that attracts, educates, and develops professional women across the energy value chain;

*Whereas* because of her leadership traits and diverse experience, she was selected for the highly competitive 2017 Eisenhower Fellowship, where she served as an ambassador for the United States in South Africa and Australia to establish relationships with leading international experts in the energy industry;

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Edwards holds a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology from Spelman College, *cum laude*, and a Juris Doctor from Howard University School of Law in Washington, D.C., where she was a merit scholar;

*Whereas* prior to her serving at the ICC, Sherina was an accomplished attorney for Locke Lord LLP where she focused on business and consumer finance litigation;

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Edwards was noted for her supportive mentorship and warm rapport in helping to show other females and people of color that they too could have successful careers in the energy industry;



*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Edwards was a highly respected and active volunteer, who introduced the topic of energy to children in the Chicago Public Schools attending a STEM based program focused on “Think Energy;”

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Edwards also continued to play a very significant mentoring role by helping to bring more women and people of color into the field by starting a job shadow day at the ICC;

*Whereas* Sherina Maye Edwards and her beloved husband reside in Chicago and are the proud parents of an amazing baby daughter, who will no doubt grow into a strong confident woman who will be all that she wants to be; *and*

*Whereas* Sherina Maye Edwards is greatly missed by the Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity and the Committee on Gas and her NARUC colleagues who are honored to call her a true friend who embodies what NARUC should be: professional, thoughtful, mentoring, dedicated, inclusive, intelligent, and honorable, as well as an innovative trailblazer; *now therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends and expresses its deepest and sincerest appreciation and gratitude to Sherina Maye Edwards for her outstanding years of dedicated public service in advancing the public good and wishes her continued good fortune, happiness, success, and health in all her future endeavors professionally and personally.

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*Sponsored by the Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity and the Committee on Gas*  
*Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors on July 18, 2018*

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***Resolution Honoring Commissioner Elizabeth (Lib) Fleming***

*Whereas* Elizabeth B. (Lib) Fleming is a true Southern lady born and raised in Spartanburg County, South Carolina, having attended Boiling Springs High School and graduated from Converse College;

*Whereas* Lib initially honed her skills as a public servant by serving on the Spartanburg City Council, the Spartanburg Development Council, and the Development Corporation Loan Review Committee, as well as Mayor Pro-Tem of Spartanburg, Board Member on the Appalachian Council of Governments, and a dedicated representative of the City of Spartanburg in its membership with the National League of Cities;

*Whereas* Lib is a devotee of civic involvement and improvement, serving as a Member on the Boards of the Spartanburg Urban League, the Urban League of the Upstate, the American Red Cross, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Phyllis Wheatley Association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Cultural Center Foundation, Friends of the Arts, and Spartanburg County SAFE Home Network;

*Whereas* Lib is a strong supporter of education, serving as a Member on the Boards of Converse College, USC Spartanburg, and the SC Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities Foundation;

*Whereas* Lib is a recipient of the Mary Mildred Sullivan Award for Outstanding Citizenship and a Spartanburg Area Conservancy Volunteer of the Year;

*Whereas* Lib was elected and has served as Commissioner of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina since 2004, and as Chair from July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2010; *and*

*Whereas* Lib has served on the NARUC Committee on Critical Infrastructure, the NARUC Committee on Electricity, and represented NARUC on the Advisory Council of the New Mexico State University Center for Public Utilities, and the Executive Committee of the National Council on Electricity Policy; *now therefore, be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, being convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends its congratulations and sincere thanks to Commissioner Elizabeth B. (Lib) Fleming for her service to the national regulatory community.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on Electricity*

*Adopted by the Board of Directors July 18, 2018*

***Honorary Resolution for Commissioner W. Kevin Hughes (Maryland)***

*Whereas* W. Kevin Hughes was appointed by then-Governor Martin O'Malley as a Commissioner for the Maryland Public Service Commission (PSC) in August 2011 and serving with honor and distinction, including his elevation in January 2013 to Chairman of the Maryland PSC until June 2018, when his current term ended and he decided to step down and pursue other opportunities;

*Whereas* immediately prior to serving on the Maryland PSC, Kevin had served as a deputy legislative officer to then-Governor O'Malley;

*Whereas* in fact, Kevin served with integrity and honor for three governors before O'Malley. In his legislative roles he gained expertise in energy policy, transportation, K-12 and higher education, and state and local taxation;

*Whereas* Kevin graduated from the University of Maryland School of Law in 1994, earned a master's degree in public policy from Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government in 1985, and obtained a B.A. degree in Government and Politics from the University of Maryland, College Park;

*Whereas* he is admitted to practice law in Maryland and the District of Columbia;

*Whereas* during his tenure at the Maryland PSC, Commissioner Emeritus Hughes was an active and engaged member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC);

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Hughes served on the NARUC Committee of Electricity and as a member of the NARUC Board of Directors;

*Whereas* in his role as a regulator, Commissioner Emeritus Hughes demonstrated a true interest in protecting the interests of ratepayers while also balancing the needs of utilities and ensuring that his fellow Marylanders have access to clean, affordable energy;

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Hughes was focused on his time at NARUC in being actively engaged in dialogue with fellow NARUC members on coordination issues among states, regions, and the federal government that affect energy policy;

*Whereas* his passion and dedication on energy coordination issues led him to serve on the Executive Board of the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative and be engaged in pertinent issues in the energy industry;

*Whereas* because of his leadership traits and thoughtful approach, he is widely recognized for his patience, active listening skills, and civility;

*Whereas* Commissioner Emeritus Hughes was noted for his respectful professionalism and amazing knowledge in nearly every aspect of the energy policy sector;

*Whereas* W. Kevin Hughes has successfully completed and retired from 30 years of continuous service to the Maryland State Government and the citizens of Maryland;

*Whereas* W. Kevin Hughes resides in North Potomac, Maryland, with his loving family; *and*

*Whereas* W. Kevin Hughes is greatly missed by the members of the Committee on Electricity, fellow NARUC Board of Directors, and all his NARUC colleagues who are honored to know him and have had the opportunity to interact with him; *now therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends and expresses its deepest and sincerest appreciation and gratitude to W. Kevin Hughes for his outstanding years of exemplary public service in advancing the public good and wishes him continued happiness, success, and health in all his future endeavors professionally and personally.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on Electricity*

*Adopted by the Board of Directors July 18, 2018*

***Resolution Honoring Commissioner Richard S. Mroz of New Jersey***

*Whereas* Richard S. Mroz, Esq., was appointed as President of New Jersey's Board of Public Utilities in September 2014, and served through January 2018;

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz served as Chief Counsel to New Jersey Governor Christine Todd Whitman, serving as her primary advisor for legislative affairs and judicial and prosecutorial appointments, as well as legal, policy, and management issues of the state government and was New Jersey's representative to the National Republican Convention in 2000;

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz was appointed by President George W. Bush to the Commission on White House Fellows in 2007;

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz served as Chairman of the Critical Infrastructure Committee of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) from 2016 through 2018, and was a member of NARUC's Committee on Electricity and the Subcommittee on Nuclear Issues and Nuclear Waste Disposal; and also served as NARUC's liaison to the Department of Homeland Security's Electric Sector Coordinating Council and to Electric Power Research Institute's Advisory Council;

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz served as President of the Organization of PJM States, Inc., from 2016 to 2017;

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz serves on the Board of Directors of the Federal Home Loan Bank of New York, where he is a member of Executive Committee; is a founding member of the Bank's Corporate Governance Committee and has served on the Congressional and Regulatory Affairs, Compensation, and Audit Committees;

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz was Chairman of the Board of the Volunteers of America of the Delaware Valley and is a former member of the Board of Directors of the New Jersey Alliance for Action and the New Jersey Chamber of Commerce; *and*

*Whereas* Commissioner Mroz is active with his college alma mater, serving for many years on the Board of Directors of the University of Delaware Alumni Association as the Association President; *now, therefore, be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, expresses its gratitude to Commissioner Richard S. Mroz and extends its best wishes to him in his future endeavors.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on Critical Infrastructure*  
*Adopted by the Board of Directors July 18, 2018*

## ***Resolution Honoring CAMPUT Executive Director Terry Rochefort***

*Whereas* Terry Rochefort (referred to henceforth as Terry) will, in December, complete his service as Executive Director of CAMPUT;

*Whereas* Terry was in 2003 named as the first Executive Director of CAMPUT (back when CAMPUT was a functioning acronym) and has served with distinction since;

*Whereas* Terry has played a leading and essential role in building CAMPUT into the respected and vibrant organization it is today;

*Whereas* Terry has worked with great success to build today's close ties between the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) and CAMPUT and has continued to contribute to the success of bilateral exchanges between CAMPUT and NARUC;

*Whereas* Terry has been an active representative and promoted CAMPUT's role in the International Confederation of Energy Regulators, an organization of 12 international regional regulatory associations;

*Whereas* Terry has demonstrated strong support for education and has been active in delivering and promoting CAMPUT's annual course;

*Whereas* before assuming his role at CAMPUT, Terry had a distinguished career in regulation with the Canadian Radio and Telecommunications Commission, the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, and the National Energy Board of Canada;

*Whereas* Terry has devoted many hours to assisting in the organization of conferences and events for CAMPUT and the World Forum on Energy Regulation, assembling panel discussions on energy issues and using his extensive contacts to secure speakers who have enriched those events;

*Whereas* Terry has come a great distance from his small-town roots in Arnprior, Ontario, to become a rock guitar god who continues to attract legions of devoted, if aging, fans;

*Whereas* Terry is a licensed pilot whose real ambition is to fly the Bell 47 med-evac helicopters in the next remake of M\*A\*S\*H, he is not known to engage in flights of fancy;

*Whereas* Terry is unique among Canadians in that he wears sweaters whenever the temperature drops below 25 degrees – Celsius; *and*

*ESPECIALLY Whereas* Terry had the enormous good sense and good fortune to marry Shona, who has become an institution at CAMPUT and NARUC in her own right, earning the well-deserved title of Ms. CAMPUT;

*Whereas* Terry and Shona are known throughout NARUC as people of exceptional graciousness and good humor, *and*

*Whereas* Terry is looking forward to a post-CAMPUT life of doting on his daughter Elise and his granddaughter Juliet, spending time on the golf course, and continuing to do as instructed by Shona; *now, therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends its gratitude to Terry for his contributions to creating closer ties among utility regulators in the Western Hemisphere, and expresses its best wishes to Terry and Shona for happiness and success in their future endeavors.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on International Relations*

*Adopted by the Board of Directors July 18, 2018*

### ***Resolution Honoring Angela Weber of Indiana***

*Whereas* Angela Weber was appointed by former Indiana Governor Mike Pence as a Commissioner for the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) on March 10, 2014, and reappointed by Governor Pence to a full term on April 1, 2014 serving with honor and distinction until her term ended in April 2018;

*Whereas* Angela Weber served as a dedicated Commissioner under two Indiana Governors – the Honorable Mike Pence and the Honorable Eric Holcomb;

*Whereas* Angela Weber, prior to her appointment to the IURC, served as a dedicated public servant in the local, state, and federal government in a variety of important and impressive roles;

*Whereas* prior to her appointment to the Commission, she practiced law for the Indianapolis law firm Ice Miller, LLP, as a member of the firm’s Environmental Law Group;

*Whereas* she served as a Marion County Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in Indianapolis, Indiana, where she conducted jury and bench trials. Angela also served as a staff attorney for the Indiana Department of Education and as an Administrative Law Judge for the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission;

*Whereas* Angela Weber is a U.S. Army Veteran, having served from 1996 to 2000 as a Russian Linguist/Voice-Intercept Operator. Also, she was a member of SFOR 7, the NATO-led peacekeeping mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina. She was honorably discharged in 2000;

*Whereas* Angela earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana, in 1996. She received her Juris Doctor from the Indiana University Maurer School of Law in 2006 and was admitted to the Indiana Bar in that same year. While in law school, she was the Senior Production Editor of the Federal Communications Law Journal and a member of the Trial Competition Team;

*Whereas* a dedicated public servant and community leader, Angela Weber is the past Chairperson of the Utility Law Section of the Indiana State Bar Association and an alumna of the Richard G. Lugar Excellence in Public Service Series, Class of 2010–2011;

*Whereas* Angela Weber is civic minded and dedicated to her community, and she serves as a member of the American Legion, National Trust for Historic Preservation, and Indiana Landmarks;

*Whereas* she served honorably as the President of the Organization of MISO States and is a member of Committee on Gas of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), the Chair of NARUC’s Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity, and an Advisory Board Member of the Financial Research Institute;

*Whereas* Angela Weber is a recognized leader on the national level in advocating for her state residents, testifying before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on issues such as competitive transmission development rates and interregional transmission coordination issues;

*Whereas* Angela Weber’s focus as a state regulator was on the impact on ratepayers and need to provide affordable safe and reliability service insisting upon a high level of customer service by electric, gas, water, and telecommunications utilities for all customers;



*Whereas* Angela Weber had been a leader in advocating for diversity and inclusion in her role as Chair of the Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity fostering a positive environment for others to model;

*Whereas* during her tenure as an IURC Commissioner she helped to increase community engagement on energy issues of concern to the state;

*Whereas* Commissioner Weber was noted for her supportive mentorship and warm rapport with her colleagues and staff, and to NARUC members and staff, among others, her contributions and insights were invaluable;

*Whereas* Angela Weber's clear dedication to public service her entire career was invaluable not only to Indiana, but also to the entire national community of energy regulators; *and*

*Whereas* Angela Weber is greatly missed by the Committee on Gas and the Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity; *now therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends and expresses its deepest and sincerest appreciation and gratitude to Angela Weber for her many years of exemplary public service in advancing the public good and wishes her continued good fortune, joy, success and health in all her future endeavors professionally and personally.

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*Co-Sponsored by the Subcommittee on Supplier and Workforce Diversity and the Committee on Gas  
Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors on July 18, 2018*

### ***Resolution Honoring Kim Jones***

*Whereas* Kim Jones completed her tenure as National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) Staff Subcommittee on Electricity Committee Chair in 2018;

*Whereas* Kim showed superior leadership and exceptional organizational skills during her committee service and was an invaluable resource to staff and Commissioners during the NARUC meetings and throughout the year;

*Whereas* Kim provided multiple educational opportunities for her fellow regulators to enrich their understanding of the reliable, adequate, and affordable supply of electricity;

*Whereas* Kim's inquisitiveness often helps shed light on complex issues through the hard questions she is unafraid to ask;

*Whereas* Kim has been a trailblazer and an inspiration to her colleagues in her 30-plus years in the field of energy policy;

*Whereas* Kim began her pursuit of academic excellence by earning a bachelor's degree in journalism from Saint Catherine University and a master's degree in business administration from Saint Thomas University;

*Whereas* prior to joining the North Carolina Utilities Commission, Kim worked for 27 years for Northern States Power Company;

*Whereas* Kim found her regulatory calling by joining the North Carolina Utilities Commission in 2007;

*Whereas* Kim began her career with the North Carolina Utilities Commission as a Financial Analyst;

*Whereas* Kim's evolution at the Commission took her from Financial Analyst to Director of the Clerk's Office and IT Services Division;

*Whereas* Kim serves as a mentor to her fellow staff, challenging them to maximize their skills and talents to best serve the public interest;

*Whereas* Kim is a kind and thoughtful person who enriches her workplace;

*Whereas* Kim is the epitome of a dedicated public servant and is a beacon of professionalism, dedication, and hearty work ethic;

*Whereas* Kim is a committed wife and a proud mother;

*Whereas* Kim is an avid reader, devoted camper, and excellent angler;

*Whereas* Kim and her husband are music lovers, issuing an album in 2017; *now therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Phoenix, AZ extends its congratulations and thanks to Kim Jones for her service to the national regulatory community.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on Electricity*

*Adopted by the Board of Directors July 18, 2018*

***Resolution Honoring Dolores Midkiff-Powell***

*Whereas* Dolores Midkiff-Powell of the Michigan Public Service Commission served as Chairman of the Staff Subcommittee on Accounting and Finance from 2015 through 2018;

*Whereas* Dolores Midkiff-Powell has been a longstanding active member in good standing of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) and the Staff Subcommittee on Accounting and Finance;

*Whereas* Dolores Midkiff-Powell's leadership and participation in Staff Subcommittee meetings has been important to the mission of the Staff Subcommittee on Accounting and Finance;

*Whereas* Dolores Midkiff-Powell has made a substantial contribution to the quality and effectiveness of the Staff Subcommittee;

*Whereas* Dolores Midkiff-Powell's work within the NARUC Staff Subcommittee has had a positive influence on the effectiveness of public utility regulation education; *now, therefore be it*

*Resolved* that the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2018 Summer Policy Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona, extends its sincere appreciation and gratitude to Dolores Midkiff-Powell for her role as Chairman of the Staff Subcommittee on Accounting and Finance.

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*Sponsored by the Executive Committee for the Staff Subcommittee on Accounting and Finance*

*Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors July 18, 2018*