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Resolution in Memory of Professor Kathleen O'Connor

***W FAC 19-01**

Approved Unanimously February 6, 2019

Whereas: Dr. Kathleen (Kay) O'Connor PhD, MS, BS was a dedicated nurse and professor who served CSUDH from 1991 to 2007; and,

Whereas: Professor O'Connor was a highly dedicated and principled person and respected faculty member; and,

Whereas: Professor O'Connor was devoted to ethics and nursing theory in the School of Nursing; and,

Whereas: Professor O'Connor served the university and its' faculty and students for many years as a faculty member and later as the Coordinator of the Nurse Educator Graduate Program, mentoring countless students; and,

Whereas: As Coordinator of the Nurse Educator Graduate Program, Professor O'Connor received a federal grant to sponsor graduate nursing education students; and,

Whereas: Professor O'Connor served on the President's Office Program Effectiveness Council (2004-2006); and,

Whereas Professor O'Connor served on the Institutional Research Board for many years and was instrumental in the development of the IRB Guidebook; and

Whereas: Professor O'Connor served as a Senator of the Academic Senate and helped foster shared governance; and,

Whereas: Regrettably Professor O'Connor passed away June 27, 2018; therefore be it,

Resolved: That the California State University, Dominguez Hills Academic Senate mourns the passing of beloved Professor Kay O'Connor, honors her contributions to our university and to the community, and extends condolences to her friends, family, and the students she inspired.