

RESOLUTION

CYNTHIA LEE MCFALL

WHEREAS, Cynthia Lee McFall graduated Magna Cum Laude from Lansing Community College with an Associates Degree in Secretarial Science in 1990; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia joined the State of Michigan in July 1974 as a Typist Clerk for the Michigan Department of Treasury, advancing to Executive Secretary with the Michigan Department of State, Bureau of Automotive Regulation in 1988, further advancing to Senior Executive Management Assistant with the Michigan Department of Career Development in September of 2001, serving the people of Michigan by providing exemplary support and assistance to state staff and also training fellow staff persons on computer software as computers came into common usage; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia joined the Office of Career and Technical Education as a Departmental Analyst in April 2003, first in the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Growth and transferring with the Office to the Michigan Department of Education in 2008; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia provided complex technical assistance to Career and Technical Education administrators in career centers and schools throughout the state for over seven years; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia served as an exemplary team member in the annual review and approval of regional applications and reports associated with Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education funding supporting secondary career and technical education programs throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia's organizational skills and attention to detail were a valued asset to the Department and were especially helpful in her oversight and maintenance of the Office of Career and Technical Education website; and

WHEREAS, Cynthia's greatest contributions included her coordination of the Technical Review Assistance and Compliance (TRAC) on-site monitoring process, especially her training skills demonstrated in training both state staff and school district personnel in preparation for monitoring visits, her technical assistance to districts and regions related to the on-site monitoring process, her organizational skills demonstrated in her coordination of the development of review materials and processes and her coordination of the on-site reviews and expertise in maintaining the onsite review databases, and

WHEREAS, Cynthia has decided to retire after 36½ years of state service, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Michigan State Board of Education receives with deep regret the news of the departure of this able and distinguished public servant; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Michigan State Board of Education extends to Cynthia its highest regard and heart-felt gratitude for the dedication and expertise she has brought to the students, parents, educators, and employers of Michigan; and be it finally

RESOLVED, that the Michigan State Board of Education expresses its fervent wish that Cynthia Lee McFall enjoys many years of happiness, good health, and rewarding experiences as she embraces her retirement.

