



AUSTIN
COLLEGE



Final Vote: Passes (Unanimous)

Committee Recommendation: Positive

Student Assembly President: Pranav Sheth

Dean of Students: Michael Deen

**A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING
AUSTIN COLLEGE PRESIDENT, DR. MARJORIE HASS, FOR HER WORK FOR THE COLLEGE**

- RECOGNIZING** that Dr. Marjorie Hass has served the students, faculty and staff of the College and brought a strong direction to campus for the past eight years, and
- OBSERVING** her dedication to guiding the development of the College's strategic plan, "Adding Value to a Changing World by working with trustees, faculty, staff, and students to implement initiatives that have enhanced the profile of the institution at all levels, and
- AFFIRMING** her dedication to expanding diversity, safety, a climate of inclusion and interfaith relationships among students, the campus, the community, and
- APPRECIATING** the enhancement of the campus' footprint under her leadership, by the construction of high-end attractive housing along two major bordering avenues of the college and the construction of the IDEA Center, a 100,000-square-foot LEED® Gold certified science complex housing the largest research-grade telescope in the region, and
- ACKNOWLEDGING** how she institutionalized environmental sustainability with the Thinking green program, and achieved campus-wide wind powered electricity, bringing national recognition to Austin College as a green campus, and
- NOTING** her overall commitment to higher education shown by her tireless work and engagement by serving as a member of the Board of Directors of the American Association of Colleges and Universities (AAC&U), the past chair of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities (NAICU), a past board member of the Council for Independent Colleges (CIC), active in the Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas (ICUT), serving on the NCAA Division III Management Council, and
- ACKNOWLEDGING** that the accomplishments noted herein is only a partial list, so be it
- RESOLVED** that the Student Assembly recognizes and commends Dr. Marjorie Hass, the fifteenth President of Austin College, for her work for the College, and be it therefore
- FURTHER RESOLVED** the Student Assembly wishes Dr. Marjorie Hass the best of luck for her future endeavors.