

Lake Land College
Board of Trustees



RESOLUTION NUMBER: 0324-013

DATE: March 11, 2024

Resolution of Appreciation to **Mike Sullivan, the College's Longest-Serving Trustee**

WHEREAS, Mike Sullivan has served with distinction as a trustee of Lake Land College for over 37 years, longer than any other Trustee in the College's esteemed history; and

WHEREAS, Mike Sullivan has demonstrated unwavering dedication, commitment, and leadership in advancing the mission and vision of Lake Land College, consistently prioritizing the welfare and success of students, faculty, staff, and the District 517 community; and

WHEREAS, Mike Sullivan has played a pivotal role in the establishment and development of several transformative initiatives and facilities at Lake Land College, notably including the Veterans Memorial and Flag, Alumni Park, the John Deere program, the Kluthe Center, the Effingham Technology Center, and various energy conservation projects, leaving an indelible mark on the College's landscape and enriching the educational experience for generations to come; and

WHEREAS, Mike Sullivan has represented the College at the state level for numerous years, chairing or serving as a member of every Illinois Community College Trustees Association (ICCTA) Committee, including 25 years as a member of the ICCTA Government Relations Committee, thereby demonstrating exemplary leadership and dedication to advancing the interests of east central Illinois and community colleges statewide; and

WHEREAS, Mike Sullivan has exemplified the highest standards of integrity, professionalism, and service throughout his tenure, earning the respect, admiration, and gratitude of colleagues, students, and community members alike; and

WHEREAS, Mike Sullivan has generously contributed his time, expertise, and resources to advance the educational mission of Lake Land College, embodying the spirit of selflessness and civic responsibility;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Lake Land College Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 517 hereby expresses its deepest appreciation and heartfelt gratitude to Mike Sullivan for his extraordinary leadership, vision, and service to the College, to District 517 residents and community colleges statewide; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution of Appreciation be duly recorded in the official minutes of the Board of Trustees and be presented to Mike Sullivan as a token of the College's enduring esteem and profound appreciation for his exceptional contributions and legacy of service.

ADOPTED this 11th day of March, 2024 by the following vote:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
LAKE LAND COLLEGE
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 517
COUNTIES OF CHRISTIAN, CLARK, CLAY,
COLES, CRAWFORD, CUMBERLAND,
DOUGLAS, EDGAR, EFFINGHAM, FAYETTE,
JASPER, MACON, MONTGOMERY,
MOULTRIE, AND SHELBY
STATE OF ILLINOIS

By: _____

Chair

Attest: _____

Secretary

SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, Dave Storm, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Lake Land College, Community College District No. 517, Counties of Christian, Clark, Clay, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, Douglas, Edgar, Effingham, Fayette, Jasper, Macon, Montgomery, Moultrie, and Shelby, State of Illinois, (the "College District") and as such official, I am the keeper of the records and files of the Board of Trustees of said College District.

I do further certify that the foregoing Resolution of Appreciation to Mike Sullivan, the College's longest-serving Trustee (Resolution No. 0324-013) is a true, correct and complete copy of that Resolution as adopted by the Board of Trustees of the College District at a meeting held on the 11th day of March, 2024.

I do further certify that the deliberations of the members of the Board of Trustees on the adoption of the Resolution were taken openly; that the vote on the adoption of the Resolution was taken openly; that the meeting was held at a specified time and place convenient to the public; that notice of the meeting was duly given to all newspapers, radio or television stations, and other news media requesting notice; and that the meeting was called and held in strict compliance with the provisions of the Illinois Open Meetings Act, as amended, and the applicable provisions of the Public Community College Act of the State of Illinois, and that this Board of Trustees has complied with all of the applicable provisions of said Acts and with all the procedural rules of the Board of Trustees.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my official signature, this 11th day of March, 2024.

Secretary, Board of Trustees