



RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

David S. Schwanke

WHEREAS, David S. Schwanke has served as the Executive Director and Interim Executive Director of the Utah Higher Education Assistance Authority (UHEAA), since 2020; and

WHEREAS, he has served the students of Utah as part of UHEAA with his industry knowledge and expertise since 1995; and

WHEREAS, David Schwanke has given more than 25 years of dedicated service to UHEAA, including as the Associate Executive Director for Accounting and Finance from 1995 to 2016, Deputy Executive Director from 2016 to 2020, and Executive Director from 2020 to 2022; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Schwanke has successfully led the organization through several transformations and has continued to bring educational opportunities to students through low-cost loans and excellent community outreach; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Schwanke has served with distinction as a steward over UHEAA and acted as an ambassador guiding students through the financing of their educational pursuits; and

WHEREAS, David Schwanke acted as a mediator for UHEAA and supported the transition to provide scholarship opportunity for students in Utah; and

WHEREAS, prior to his tenure at UHEAA, he worked as a senior auditor at Deloitte & Touche and he received his master's degree in accounting and finance from Utah State University; and

WHEREAS, he is a certified public accountant and a member of the Utah Association of Certified Public Accountants and American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Schwanke has served as chair on the board of the Education Finance Council.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the members of the UHEAA Board of Directors by unanimous action taken March 10, 2022, joined by the Commissioner of Higher Education and the entire staff of UHEAA, express sincere appreciation to Mr. Schwanke, his commitment to higher education and to Utah, and his fastidious leadership of and dedicated service at UHEAA.

Dated this 10th Day of March 2022.

Lisa Michele Church, Chair
UHEAA Board of Directors

Dave R. Woolstenhulme, Commissioner
Utah System of Higher Education

Richard K. Ellis, Executive Director
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Michael Nemelka, Senior Director for Operations
Utah Higher Education Assistance Authority