

Attachment #4

To: *Millersville University Faculty Senate and the Council of Trustees*
From: *Department of Psychology*
Subject: *Resolution of Emeritus Status for Dr. David Hill*
Date: *December 6, 2010*

RESOLUTION

Whereas: Dr. David Hill served the Department of Psychology and Millersville University as an outstanding faculty member for more than 24 years from August 1986 until his December 2010 retirement; and

Whereas: Dr. David Hill was one of the founding members of the Psychology Departmental Honors Program and subsequently mentored a long list of Departmental and University Honors students; and

Whereas: Dr. David Hill served consistently for over 20 years on both the Undergraduate Committee and the Graduate Committee, including writing and grading the graduate Comprehensive Exams, interviewing aspiring candidates for admission to the graduate programs, serving on the Departmental Faculty Development Committee for many years (chairing the FDC for 2 years), serving on many individual faculty members' promotion and tenure committees, both inside and outside of the department, resulting in the successful promotion and tenure of many of them, and participating as a de facto "permanent member" of the Psychology Department Search Committee resulting in 12 successful tenure-track searches, and faithfully serving as the Departmental representative to APSCUF Representative Council for over 15 years; and

Whereas: Dr. David Hill continually worked to forge connections and collaboration between Millersville University and many community-based entities including the Millersville University Crisis Team, the M.U. Task Force on Alcohol and Other Drugs, mental health and drug/alcohol treatment programs, school districts, the Children and Youth Social Service Agency (CYA), Lancaster Family/Orphans Court, Pennsylvania Department of Education, and the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, and culminating in the most recent 10 years by supervising the Directed Projects in Psychology course and creating the innovative Directed Projects Poster Session; and

Whereas: Dr. David Hill engaged in writing and research including posters, books, journal articles, and professional presentations, mostly in collaboration and coauthorship with students, and served as the research mentor on many Honors Theses and Master's Theses, and sat on a total of 12 doctoral dissertation committees (many former M.U. students); and

Whereas: Dr. David Hill masterfully taught 26 separate courses (13 undergraduate and 13 graduate) over 24 years of service in the department;

Therefore be it resolved: that the Department of Psychology of Millersville University thanks and congratulates Dr. David Hill for his outstanding contributions to the department, the School of Education, and the university community and wishes him much continued success and happiness; and further that the Department of Psychology recommends that Dr. David Hill be granted the honorary title of Professor of Psychology Emeritus.