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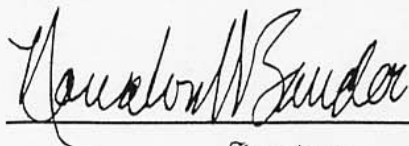
**Whereas**, **William B. Crawley, Jr.** and **Theresa Young Crawley** have long and extensive ties to the University of Mary Washington, beginning in 1970 when William Crawley joined the faculty, and in 1973 with the matriculation of Theresa Crawley, who received her Bachelor of Science degree in 1977; and

**Whereas**, Dr. William Crawley has served his entire professional career at the University, currently as Distinguished Professor of History, University Historian and co-chair of the University Centennial Committee; has worked devotedly to initiate highly successful programs such as the Center for Historic Preservation, the First-Year Seminar in United States History and the Great Lives lecture series; and has earned the Mortar Board Outstanding Faculty Award, the Grellet C. Simpson Award – the highest honor bestowed by the University upon a faculty member – and the Mary W. Pinschmidt Award, given to the professor selected by the graduating class as the one who has had the most profound impact upon their lives; and

**Whereas**, Dr. Theresa Crawley has maintained a close and continuous relationship with Mary Washington since her graduation through her service on the University's Foundation and Alumni Association Boards, earning the Frances Liebenow Armstrong '36 Service Award from the Alumni Association and providing leadership as president of the Alumni Association in the establishment of the Washington Scholars program, the first merit-based, full-ride scholarship program at the University of Mary Washington; and

**Whereas**, together William and Theresa Crawley have manifested their devotion to the University of Mary Washington through countless and valuable contributions including their endowment of the Joseph C. Vance Scholarship; their personal support of students, whom they have graciously and frequently welcomed into their home in order to more fully integrate them into the University community; and, most recently, their estate plan in which they donate to the University their homes in Fredericksburg and in Kilmarnock, Virginia;

**Now, Therefore Be It Resolved** by the Rector and Visitors of the University of Mary Washington that William B. Crawley, Jr. and Theresa Young Crawley each be awarded a Washington Medallion as tangible manifestations of the University's appreciation for their extraordinary accomplishments, generosity and service, which have had a lasting and indelible impact on the institution and played a major role in helping the University become the institution that it is today.

  
Secretary



  
Rector