Resolution No. 2004-91

EXPRESSING CONGRATULATIONS TO SHERYL KING BENFORD FOR HER RECOGNITION AS A 2004 ALUMNA OF THE YEAR BY THE CLEVELAND-MARSHALL LAW ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, Sheryl King Benford was honored at The Cleveland-Marshall Law Alumni Association Annual Recognition Luncheon on Thursday, May 27, 2004, as alumna of the year 2004 for her outstanding contributions to the Association, legal profession and the College of Law; and

WHEREAS, Sheryl King Benford has forged an impressive career as an educator, school administrator and as one of Ohio's elite public sector lawyers. She has distinguished herself as a tenacious litigator, effective problem solver and respected manager; and

WHEREAS, Sheryl King Benford has served as the Deputy General Manager of Legal Affairs for the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority since 2000, and provides outstanding leadership to the Legal, Safety, Risk Management and the Office of Equal Opportunity/ADA departments; and

WHEREAS, Sheryl King Benford has served with distinction and takes an active part on numerous committees in the community and for the Cleveland-Marshall Law Alumni Association including, but not limited to, the Visiting Committee, Mentor Program, Presidential Search Committee, and the New Lawyers Training Program. She has taught Ethics in Public Sector as an Adjunct Professor at Cleveland State University, College of Law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 1. That it is hereby appropriate that Sheryl King Benford be recognized as a distinguished alumna of the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law in recognition of her achievements and significant contribution to this community.

Section 2. That the members of the Board of Trustees express their gratitude to Sheryl King Benford for her diligence in the performance of her responsibilities to the needs of this Authority and to the community.

Section 3. That the members of the Board of Trustees and the entire staff of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority congratulate Sheryl King Benford on her recognition as an alumna of the year by the Cleveland-Marshall Law Alumni Association.

Section 4. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted:_	June 15	_2004	Day 52	M
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