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RESOLUTION

AWARDING THE TITLE

HONORARY PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS
CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY
TO

WILLIAM E. TANSEY
AND
JOSEPHINE BERTINO TANSEY

May 6, 1994

- WHEREAS, William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey have a sustaining commitment to values consonant with Central Connecticut State University's great tradition of public education, and
- WHEREAS, William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey have demonstrated their commitment to advancing educational opportunities in mathematics, and
- WHEREAS, Over the last ten years, twenty-one scholarships have been awarded to Central Connecticut State University students in mathematics education through the William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey Scholarship in the CCSU Foundation, Inc., and
- WHEREAS, William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey have established a testamentary trust to create a fund for additional teacher education scholarships at Central Connecticut State University, and
- WHEREAS, Central Connecticut State University and the Department of Mathematical Sciences wish to express their most sincere gratitude and appreciation for the Tansey's steadfast dedication to the growth and development of CCSU and its students; therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey each be awarded the title of Honorary Professor of Mathematics at Central Connecticut State University and be accorded all the rights and privileges pertaining thereunto.

A Certified True Copy:

Thomas A. Porter
Interim President



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April 29, 1994

MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Thomas Porter, Interim President
Connecticut State University System

FROM: John W. Shumaker 
President

SUBJ: Honorary Professorships: William and Josephine Tansey

As you may know, William and Josephine Tansey have for many years been wonderful friends and supporters of the Department of Mathematics at Central Connecticut State University. Their great generosity, which has now taken the form of a substantial testamentary trust which they have established in the CCSU Foundation, Inc., has already provided scholarship support in mathematics education for over 21 students at CCSU. By establishing the trust, they have created a secure and permanent scholarship fund which will now guarantee generous support for many students well into the future.

In recognition of their many years of dedication to the Department of Mathematics, the Department has unanimously recommended to me that the Tanseys be given the title of Honorary Professors at CCSU. I am happy to support this request and ask that you bring it forth to the Board of Trustees for their review.

The Department has discovered that the Tanseys, who live in New Hampshire and are not often in Connecticut, will be on campus on May 10. Accordingly, it would be most helpful if we could obtain authorization from the Board to make this award on that date. I recognize that time is short and that this matter would normally have gone to the Committee on Academic Affairs at its regular meeting this week. But we would like the opportunity to take advantage of the Tansey's presence on May 10 to announce the honor.

I would, therefore, greatly appreciate your help in moving this matter forward quickly if such expedited action is indeed possible.

I enclose a resolution passed by the Department and endorsed by the Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences and the Vice President for Academic Affairs [I shall sign it once the Board has approved the action]. I also attach a draft resolution for your consideration and use.

Thank you for your help. Please contact me if I can provide you with any additional information.

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Attachments



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WHEREAS, William and Josephine Tansey have instituted and maintained the William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey Scholarship in the CCSU Foundation which, for the past ten years, has meant the awarding of twenty-one scholarships to Central Connecticut State University students in mathematics education, and

WHEREAS, William and Josephine Tansey have established a testamentary trust to create a fund for additional teacher education scholarship at CCSU, and

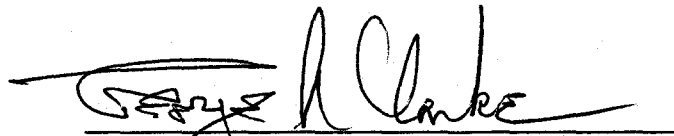
WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Tansey have demonstrated a sustaining commitment to those values consonant with Central Connecticut State University's great tradition of public education, and

WHEREAS, the Tanseys have maintained a lifelong interest in learning through their own participation in numerous Elderhostel programs, and

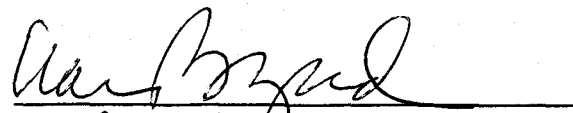
WHEREAS, Central Connecticut State University and the Department of Mathematical Sciences wish to express its most sincere gratitude and appreciation for their steadfast dedication to the growth and development of CCSU and its students,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that William E. and Josephine Bertino Tansey each be given the title of *Honorary Professor of Mathematics* at Central Connecticut State University and be accorded all the rights and privileges pertaining thereunto.

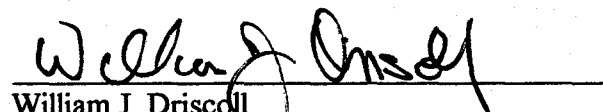
John W. Shumaker
President



George A. Clarke
Dean, School of Arts and Sciences



Karen A. Beyard
Vice President, Academic Affairs



William J. Driscoll
Chair, Department of Mathematical Sciences

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on this tenth day of May
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