

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

September 11, 2013

TO:

M. Duane Nellis, Texas Tech University President

FROM:

Aliza S. Wong, Faculty Senate President, 2013-2014

SUBJECT:

Resolution of Welcome for the President

RESOLUTION OF WELCOME FOR PRESIDENT M. DUANE NELLIS

WHEREAS Dr. M. Duane Nellis has joined the Texas Tech University System as President of TTU; and

WHEREAS Dr. Nellis has a distinguished record as a professor, researcher, and administrator over a career that includes service at a number of institutions of higher learning; and

WHEREAS President Nellis has repeatedly expressed his belief that Texas Tech University has a bright future as one of the nation's leading universities, that TTU will continue to make great strides in its fulfilling its mission of becoming a great public research university, and that Texas Tech will honor its commitment to all its students by ensuring the highest quality education;

WHEREAS President Nellis has affirmed his commitment to opening lines of communication with the faculty and to the principles of shared governance;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate, meeting on this 11th day of September 2013, enthusiastically welcomes President Nellis; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be distributed to President Nellis, Chancellor Kent Hance, and members of the Texas Tech University System Board of Regents.