

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD
THOMAS J. JEFFERS**

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2005-55

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Jeffers was appointed by Governor Frank O'Bannon on September 24, 2002, as the State Trustee from Region 11/Madison, and

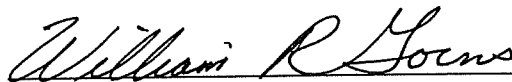
WHEREAS, Thomas J. Jeffers faithfully served Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana as a dedicated trustee who unselfishly contributed his time and talents to serve on the Buildings, Grounds, and Capital, Planning and Education, and Executive Committees, to provide trustee perspective and counsel during College budget hearings, and to represent the Board at Ivy Tech graduation ceremonies throughout the state, and other meetings, and

WHEREAS, Thomas J. Jeffers distinguished his trusteeship by consistently reminding the staff and his fellow trustees to focus on the needs of the students when evaluating the merits of various proposals, and

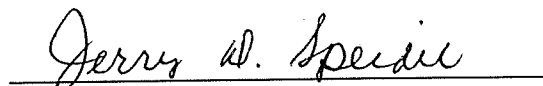
WHEREAS, Tom and his wife, Kathleen, have enriched the Boards' and Ivy Tech's collective "families" while serving on the State Board,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana hereby confer upon Thomas J. Jeffers the "Ivy Tech State Trustee Distinguished Service Award" as an enduring expression of the Board's everlasting appreciation.

**State Trustees
Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana**



William R. Goins, Chairman



Jerry D. Speidel, Secretary

Dated October 13, 2005