

**APPOINTMENT OF JON L. RUPRIGHT AS VICE PRESIDENT/CHANCELLOR
EMERITUS**

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2005-87

WHEREAS, Jon L. Rupright has served Ivy Tech Community College with distinction for 23 years as Vice President/Chancellor for Region 3-Fort Wayne, and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as Vice President/Chancellor, Mr. Rupright has broadened the mix of educational opportunities for residents of the Region 3 service area by developing and expanding dual credit programs for high school students, course and program articulations with Indiana University/Purdue University at Fort Wayne and other four-year colleges and universities, joint apprenticeship programs with the labor trades, and customized training opportunities for employees of the area's businesses and industries, and

WHEREAS, Jon L. Rupright provided the vision and leadership that led to the acquisition, expansion, and development of a consolidated campus in Fort Wayne, and

WHEREAS, Jon L. Rupright provided the leadership for the extension of Ivy Tech offerings to a variety of instructional sites throughout the region, and

WHEREAS, Jon L. Rupright has shared his time, talent, and leadership with the communities that he has served through active membership and participation in various civic and service organizations, and

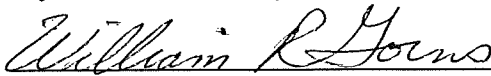
WHEREAS, Jon L. Rupright has been an energetic contributor to many statewide College activities and initiatives, and


WHEREAS, Jon L. Rupright has elected to retire as Vice President/Chancellor on December 31, 2005;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that members of the State Board of Trustees of Ivy Tech Community College express their heartfelt appreciation for Mr. Rupright's service, leadership, and commitment to the College for more than 23 years and wish him the best in a well-earned retirement, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the State Board of Trustees this day confer upon Mr. Jon L. Rupright the title of Vice President/Chancellor Emeritus of Ivy Tech Community College as another expression of appreciation for his contributions to the institution.

**State Trustees
Ivy Tech Community College**


William R. Goins, Chairman


William F. Morris, Assistant Secretary

Dated December 15, 2005