

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD  
THOMAS J. TRAURING**

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 2006-58**

**WHEREAS**, Thomas J. Trauring was appointed by Governor Frank O'Bannon on August 6, 2003, as the State Trustee from Region 5/Kokomo, and

**WHEREAS**, Thomas J. Trauring faithfully served Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana as a dedicated trustee who unselfishly contributed his time and talents to serve the College, its students, and the State, and

**WHEREAS**, Thomas J. Trauring faithfully served as a member of the Planning and Education Committee; Buildings, Grounds, and Capital Committee; and Executive Committee during his tenure, and

**WHEREAS**, Thomas J. Trauring provided trustee perspective and counsel during College budget hearings and represented the Board at Ivy Tech graduation ceremonies throughout the state and at other meetings, and

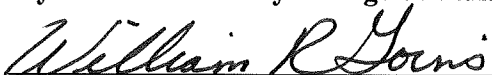

**WHEREAS**, Thomas J. Trauring was elected and served as Secretary of the Board from June 9, 2005, to August 11, 2005; and Vice Chair of the Board from August 11, 2005, to June 15, 2006, and

**WHEREAS**, Thomas J. Trauring 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, Dianne, have enriched the Boards' and Ivy Tech's collective "families" while serving on the Ivy Tech State Board,

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

**FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED**, that the official nameplate that identified Thomas J. Trauring as a State Trustee at each formal meeting of the Board is herewith attached as a lasting reminder of his service to Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana.

**State Trustees  
Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana**  
  
**William R. Goins, Chairman**  
  
**William F. Morris, Assistant Secretary**

**Dated October 12, 2006**