

## Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University Ountsville, Alabama



## Resolution

Presented in Tribute to the Life, the Spirit and the Essence of a Keeper of the Flame and Legacy of William Hooper Councill

## Barbara Hundley Jones

WHEREAS, Barbara Hundley Jones was a true believer and lover of the fine legacy of William Hooper Councill, whose vision led to the founding of the historic citadel of learning best known as Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University; and

WHEREAS, Barbara Hundley Jones fulfilled her own diligent quests for higher education and purpose by enrolling in English and secondary education at Alabama A&M University; and

WHEREAS, Barbara Hundley Jones completed studies on "The Hill," joined the distinguished Class of 1950, and went on to earn the Master of Arts degree from Columbia University; and

WHEREAS, Barbara Hundley Jones, in her faithful capacity as assistant professor of English at Alabama A&M University in the Department of English and Foreign Languages, consistently and positively influenced the lives of hundreds; and

WHEREAS, Barbara Hundley Jones received accolades for her service and retired in 1995, following years of productive and measurable service; and

WHEREAS, Barbara Hundley Jones' many noble distinctions also included the loving designation as the Grand Matriarch of historic Royal Funeral Home of Huntsville, Alabama ...

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the students, faculty, staff, administration, Board of Trustees, First Lady, friends and alumni of this great institution, founded in 1875, do hereby extend condolences for the loss of a quintessential example of the legacy of our Founder, Dr. William Hooper Councill, *and* do hereby celebrate the life's works of Barbara Hundley Jones, acknowledging her influence on her family, friends, her church, the community, and the entire Alabama A&M University family; and ...

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this Resolution shall be presented to the Family of Barbara Hundley Jones as a testament to the University's warm gratitude for having been made a part of her wonderful life's journey, which has paved the way for so many through words and deeds, and that copies of this document shall be placed in the University Archives as a permanent record of her undying love, warm deneanor, love for the English discipline, resourcefulness, as well as her utter importance to this institution.



Given This Twenty-Fourth Day of April, Two Thousand and Thirteen

Andrew Hugine, Jr. Ph.D.

President Alabama A&M University