

Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University  
Huntsville, Alabama

# Resolution

Presented in Tribute to a Much-Loved and Revered Normalite,  
an Energetic Supporter of Bulldog Athletics and Academics, and a True Keeper of the William Hooper Council Legacy

## Waylon T. Sims

**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims was a native of Prichard, Alabama, where he developed a love and appreciation for the myriad benefits of public education as well as its impact on the lives of men and women throughout the area; and

**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims pursued his earnest quest to obtain higher education by attending historic Tuskegee University, where he proudly earned the Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration in 1985, before taking on additional studies at the University of Mobile; and

**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims, upon joining the Alabama A&M University Family, worked tirelessly in the University's best interest to fulfill institutional requirements as well as the various needs and interests of the student-athlete constituents to which he was assigned; and

**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims ably served historic Alabama A&M University as an Athletic Ticket Sales Manager; as an Academic Counselor, and as the Coordinator for the Academic Enhancement Center/Student-Athlete Affairs; and

**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims' true love for working with students and people in general was made evident by his many positions requiring responsibility, professionalism and technical expertise; and

**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims was, above all, the utmost friend, a devoted brother, a loving son, a dependable and knowledgeable professional to many, and a fine example to all; and

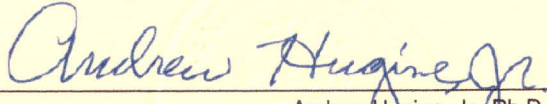
**WHEREAS**, Waylon T. Sims truly gave of himself and his time to numerous social, civic and professional organizations and associations, all of which are today richer because of his presence ...

**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 recognize and pay tribute to a true and loyal example of the rich and storied legacy of Alabama A&M University and its Founder, Dr. William Hooper Council, and do hereby celebrate the phenomenal service rendered by Waylon T. Sims, acknowledging his lasting impact on the University, his community service, love of mankind, legions of friends and many others throughout the years; and ...

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this Resolution shall be presented to the Family of Waylon T. Sims as a testament to the University's warm gratitude for having been made a part of his incredible life's journey, which has paved the way for so many through his noble words and deeds, and that copies of this document shall be placed in the University Archives as a permanent record of his ceaseless devotion, spirit, and unwavering loyalty to his profession, his passion and his University.

*Given This Twenty-Third Day of January, Two Thousand and Six*



  
Andrew Hugine, Jr., Ph.D.  
President, Alabama A&M University