



RESOLUTION

naming

THE STUDENT CENTER MULTI PURPOSE ROOM
at
EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY
the
THE BETTY R. TIPTON ROOM

December 11, 1998

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WHEREAS, Dean Tipton's administrative services consisted of tenure as Dean of Women, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs and Associate Dean of Student Affairs, and
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WHEREAS, President David G. Carter has endorsed the nomination of Dean Tipton as recommended by the Eastern Building and Facilities Naming Committee, therefore be it
RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System hereby designates the Multipurpose room of the Eastern Connecticut State University Student Center to be known now and hereafter as the Betty R. Tipton Room.

A Certified True Copy:

Signature of Lawrence D. McHugh, Chairman

Signature of William J. Cibes, Jr., Chancellor

ITEM

Naming Student Center Multipurpose Room at Eastern Connecticut State University in honor of Betty R. Tipton

BACKGROUND

The general policy of the Board is that buildings or other physical facilities may be named in memory of those who have made significant contributions to the society or the university, or to honor people upon retirement or after retirement from active state, civic or public service.

ANALYSIS

The President of Eastern Connecticut State University has submitted his recommendation for the naming of the Multipurpose Room in the Student Center in honor of Betty R. Tipton. Dean Tipton had a long and outstanding career at Eastern as a faculty member and administrator, most notably in the area of Student Affairs, women's issues and the promotion of diversity for the campus.

Dean Tipton was nominated for this honor by the Eastern Building and Facilities Naming Committee.

CHANCELLOR'S RECOMMENDATION

Approve the recommendation to name the Student Center Multipurpose Room at Eastern Connecticut State University, the Betty R. Tipton Room.

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from Journal
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