Resolution 1999-7. In Appreciation of the Administration of Professor Thomas J. Meyer as Vice Provost for Graduate Studies and Research.

Whereas Professor Thomas J. Meyer, in his capacity as Vice Provost for Graduate Studies and Research, contributed with unusual imagination, energy, and commitment to addressing needs crucial to research and graduate study at this University, especially support of graduate student support, faculty compensation, research funding, and issues affecting the performance of a research university; and

Whereas Professor Meyer fostered a new level of public awareness of and support for the research and graduate aspects of universities and general and in particular the contributions of this University to the State of North Carolina and beyond; and

Whereas Professor Meyer persisted in his efforts at sacrifice to his own outstanding research endeavors; now therefore

The General Faculty and Faculty Council resolve:

The faculty of The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill express our deep gratitude to Professor Thomas J. Meyer for his immensely important and singular contributions to the cause of research and graduate studies at this University and throughout the academic world.

James L. Peacock, III, Kenan Professor of Anthropology

Tomas Baer, Kenan Professor of Chemistry

Leon R. Fink, Professor of History.