1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Chancellor, upon recommendation by a retiree’s department and/or dean, and/or director, may award Emeritus status to a retiring person.

2.0 CRITERIA FOR AWARDING EMERITUS STATUS

Emeritus status may be awarded to a retiring person who:

2.1 Has served seven years in this University (in exceptional cases as authorized by the Chancellor, the years of service may be reduced);

2.2 Is retiring permanently as to be eligible for a retirement pension;

2.3 Has served the University in an exemplary manner;

2.4 Has been recommended by a colleague, dean, or director for Emeritus status in a letter listing the retiree’s contributions to the University.

3.0 EMERITUS STATUS PRIVILEGES

Faculty and Academic Staff of Emeritus status shall enjoy the following privileges:

3.1 The holding of an Honorary Identification Card conferring the following benefits when presented:

- Complimentary use of University Recreation’s indoor track, swimming pool, racquetball courts, and outdoor track. Access—at special rates set by University Recreation—to University fitness centers, the Stout Adventure climbing wall, equipment rental, and the adventure challenge course.

- Complimentary entry to most University activity programs.

- Access to Student Center facilities.

- Access to the library. All types of media resources may be checked out with this card.

- Use of a campus Flexline account, which enables purchases throughout campus with pre-deposited account funds.
3.2 Access to and use of laboratory and other work facilities in the retiree's department—providing such access and use is for continuing professional purposes, does not interfere with regular activities in these areas, and receives the approval of the building supervisor and, if applicable, the appropriate dean.

3.3 The on-campus use of an office, telephone and computer—providing such facilities/equipment are available, the use is for continuing professional purposes, and the use receives the approval of the department chair and the appropriate dean. Emeritus offices may be shared by multiple retirees and are contingent upon the space utilization needs of the University.

3.4 The same rights as regularly employed faculty to march in commencement and other academic ceremonies.

3.5 The holding of a retiree parking permit to be used in accordance with guidelines provided with the permit, contingent upon the recipient having been a University parking permit holder for a minimum of seven years.

3.6 Attendance at all social affairs and other University functions.

3.7 Retention of the retiree’s University email address.

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