

OHIO TURNPIKE COMMISSION

Resolution Commemorating the Long and
Outstanding Service of O. L. Teagarden

WHEREAS the Commission notes with deep regret the resignation of its chairman O. L. Teagarden which was effective September 1, 1978;

WHEREAS at all times since his appointment to the Ohio Turnpike Commission in 1949, when it was first formed, Mr. Teagarden has continuously made the Commission one of the primary interests of his life;

WHEREAS Mr. Teagarden's service to the Commission has included five consecutive appointments as a member of the Commission, and has been marked by dedicated and exceptional service as a member, as Chairman of the Claims Committee, the Committee on Service Plazas, the Committee on Employee Relations, as vice chairman of the Commission, and since July 27, 1976 as its chairman;

WHEREAS such dedicated and exceptional service has been representative of Mr. Teagarden's devotion to the public good and matters of civic import which has been evident in the leadership positions and honors which have been bestowed upon him in business, public office and fraternal and charitable organizations such as the Boy Scouts of America;

WHEREAS a partial listing of such honors and achievements include the office of Mayor of Oak Harbor for a decade; owner and president of the J. Weller Canning Company; president and director of the National Cannery Association; founder and president of the National Bank of Oak Harbor; delegate to Democratic National Conventions; member of the Electoral College and recipient of awards by diverse fraternal and civic organizations, in particular the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS the members of the Commission wish to give formal and public recognition to the long, honorable and exceptionally dedicated and effective service of Mr. Teagarden while a member of this Commission;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the Ohio Turnpike Commission hereby acknowledges its good fortune and gratitude in having the services of Mr. Teagarden for twenty-nine years and the Ohio Turnpike Commission also considers that the people of the State of Ohio and of the nation have been fortunate in receiving the unselfish services which he has rendered; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the assistant secretary-treasurer be, and hereby he is, directed to send a certified copy of this resolution to Mr. Teagarden, and the executive director is authorized and directed to arrange and carry forward any appropriate tribute in recognition of Mr. Teagarden's services in which his health will permit him to participate.

(Resolution No. 7 -1978 adopted September 14, 1978)

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