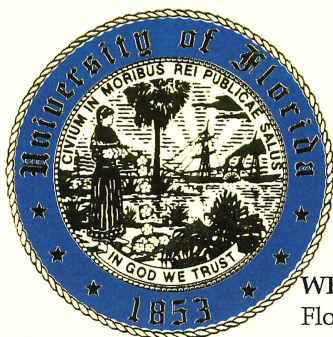


UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA BOARD OF TRUSTEES RESOLUTION



WHEREAS, Dr. Joseph Glover has been an esteemed partner and leader at the University of Florida since 1983, serving as Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs since 2008, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Glover has fulfilled the role of chief academic officer, demonstrating exceptional knowledge and experience in leading academic strategies, university policy, and ensuring academic accountability. He has skillfully guided academic programming and enhanced the student experience with the collaboration of 16 academic deans, a staff supporting over 6,600 faculty members, and over 61,000 students. Through his leadership, he has identified opportunities for the university to elevate in stature and reputation, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Glover has played a pivotal role in determining, closely measuring, and tracking metrics that have propelled the university from 19th to 5th in the U.S. News & World Report rankings for Top Public Colleges & Universities. Furthermore, he has successfully contributed to maintaining the university's Top 5 ranking for two consecutive years, and

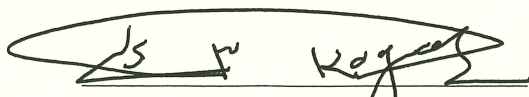
WHEREAS, under Dr. Glover's strategic direction, several groundbreaking initiatives have propelled the university forward, setting it on a path towards future success. These initiatives include the establishment of the UF Innovation Academy in 2013, UF Online in 2014, and the Pathway to Campus Enrollment (PaCE) in 2015. Each of these initiatives has provided new and innovative alternative pathways for students to pursue their education at the university. Dr. Glover has also spearheaded a partnership with UF Research leadership, resulting in the creation of UF's Moonshot initiative. This collaboration has enlisted UF faculty in pursuing breakthroughs aimed at addressing society's most urgent problems while redefining the role of a land-grant university for the 21st century. Additionally, Dr. Glover's efforts with respect to the Preeminence Program, including the Faculty 500 hiring initiative and the additional 100 hires for the Artificial Intelligence (AI) initiative, have significantly contributed to the university's advancement, and


WHEREAS, Dr. Glover has been the driving force behind UF's groundbreaking AI initiative, leading its creation and spearheading efforts to fundraise for HiPerGator, one of the world's most powerful supercomputers. This acquisition has elevated the university's position as a leading AI institution, with AI being infused across the curriculum, benefiting faculty, students, and peer institutions in the State University System and beyond, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Glover has consistently demonstrated his trustworthiness and served as a valuable partner to the president, administration, and peer institutions. He has shared his expertise by serving on various boards, including as a liaison to the Board of Trustees' Committee on Academic, Faculty & Student Success, Public Relations & Strategic Communications and Committee on Education Policy, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the UF Board of Trustees, gathered on this 8th day of June 2023, hereby acknowledges and commends Dr. Joseph Glover, Provost and Senior Vice President, for his exceptional contributions to the university and Board of Trustees, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be included in the minutes of this meeting, and a copy be presented to Dr. Joseph Glover as a token of the Board's profound appreciation and admiration.


Morteza "Mori" Hosseini, Chair


Ben Sasse, President and Corporate Secretary