WHEREAS Auburn University has been placed on probation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS); and

WHEREAS Auburn University's efforts to regain full accreditation remains in doubt despite the University's best efforts because of the relationships between Mr. Robert Lowder and Mr. Jack Miller which were reported by SACS' Special Committee to be in apparent violation of the Code of Ethics of AU Board of Trustees;

THEREFORE we thank Mr. Lowder and Mr. Miller for their service to Auburn University but respectfully request, for the good of Auburn University that they offer their resignations as members of the Board of Trustees.

Passed by the Faculty 11/30/04