

201 W. Mifflin Street Madison, WI 53703

608.266.6300 ph 608.266.4338 fax WHEREAS Carol Froistad's tenure as an employee of Madison Public Library began on July 27, 1970 as a Library Assistant at Hawthorne Branch Library; and

WHEREAS Carol Froistad began her librarian phase as the Outreach Librarian, responsible for a federally funded program which included forming partnerships with multiple community organizations and agencies to provide materials (the "Human Rights Collections"), and services to underserved populations; and

WHEREAS Carol Froistad led the implementation of homebound services and the process for making Madison Public Library a regional Talking Books Library; and

WHEREAS Carol Froistad brought her unique blend of pessimistic optimism and sense of humor to the Madison Public Library softball and volleyball teams (and to the Library Management Team); and

WHEREAS Carol Froistad has led by example in her dedication to the values of public librarianship, in her cultivation of staff talents and leadership abilities, in her work to expand needed services to the entire community; in her thoughtful leadership as Community Services Manager; and

WHEREAS Carol Froistad's exceptional knowledge, compassion, and commitment to her work have touched and enhanced the lives of many patrons and employees of Madison Public Library;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Madison Public Library Board commends Ms. Carol Froistad for the excellence of her work and her significant accomplishments and for her public service to the City of Madison, Wisconsin.

Approved this 3rd day of April, 2014.

Tripp Widder, President

Madison Public Library Board