

Proclamation Concerning

Thomas Barrett

Whereas, Thomas Barrett served as a Trustee on the Board of the Public Employees' Retirement Association of Colorado (PERA) from August 2018 to July 2022; and

Whereas, Thomas was a Governor-appointed Trustee of the Board, an appointment made by Gov. John Hickenlooper in August 2018, and left the Board in July 2022 after not seeking re-appointment; and

Whereas, during his time on the Board, Thomas served as a member of the Audit, Benefits, Investment, and Shareholder Responsibility Committees; and

Whereas, Thomas brought his extensive background, experience, and knowledge to deliberations of the Board, and demonstrated his dedication to the retirement security of the membership and commitment to the long-term financial sustainability of the Fund; and

Whereas, Thomas contributed to the oversight of the Board's Strategic Plan and adoption of new Mission and Vision statements; and

Whereas, Thomas was an advocate for Board governance and will be remembered for his thoughtful and measured approach with the issues that faced the Board; and

Whereas, Thomas embodied the highest qualities of a Trustee and earned the admiration and esteem of the PERA Board members and staff; and

Whereas, Thomas' term on the PERA Board of Trustees ended in July 2022; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that with the highest level of appreciation and congratulations, the PERA Board of Trustees formally recognizes and thanks Thomas Barrett for his service to the PERA membership during his time as a Trustee, and wishes him well as he leaves the PERA Board of Trustees; and

Resolved, that a copy of this Resolution be placed in the official minutes of the September 23, 2022, PERA Board of Trustees meeting.