RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to commend Janice D. Buchanon for her distinguished service as Chair of the Conference for Food Protection; and

WHEREAS, Janice has shown her commitment to the Conference for Food Protection by giving unselfishly of her time, energy, and resources during the past two years; and

WHEREAS, Janice’s professionalism, organizational skills, grace, balanced leadership and valuable contributions are greatly appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its sincere thanks this April 12, 2006, to Janice D. Buchanon.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That copies of this resolution be sent to Janice D. Buchanon and to the DeKalb County Environmental Health Services and be published in the Proceedings of the 2006 Biennial Meeting.

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Cory Hedman
Vice Chair, Conference for Food Protection
May 16, 2006

Kevin Hamstra
Purdue University
Department of Food Science
745 Agriculture Mall Drive
W. Lafayette, IN 47907

Dear Kevin,

On behalf of the Executive Board and the entire membership of the Conference for Food Protection, please accept our gratitude for the masterful work you did translating our Issues Committee's vision for online submission into reality. The program you designed has changed the way we do business by leaps and bounds. No longer does the office have to deal with a multitude of Issue-related personal emails and snail-mail; no longer do the members have to "write legibly," and no longer does the committee have to pull a couple of week's of all-nighters just to get through all of the Issue submissions in time for the various constitutional deadlines they have to meet. For this alone, you deserve our recognition.

Those who worked with you directly had nothing but praise for your professionalism, your availability and your patience with their many questions. Your expertise is far beyond any that we could have provided from our membership. Your generosity as well as that of Dr. Linton and Purdue University will serve the Conference for many years to come.

We expect that your services will most likely not be available to us forever, but please know that the work you have provided to date has already changed our organization in positive ways that cannot be measured. Thank you for your talent and your dedication to the Conference for Food Protection.

Sincerely,

Trevor Hayes, Executive Director
Conference for Food Protection

cc: Dr. Richard Linton
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to commend Cory Hedman for his distinguished service as Vice-Chair of the Conference for Food Protection; and

WHEREAS, Cory has shown his commitment to the Conference for Food Protection by giving unselfishly of his time, energy, and resources during the past two years; and

WHEREAS, Cory’s professionalism, hard work and sustained service is appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its sincere thanks this April 12, 2006, to Cory Hedman.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That copies of this resolution be sent to Cory Hedman and to Hannaford Brothers Company and be published in the Proceedings of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

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Janice D. Buchanon
Chair, Conference for Food Protection
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to thank Dirk Bengel, Troy Hammond, Suzanne Render, Anthie Constantinidis, Matthew Auferderheide and the staff of the Hyatt on Capitol Square for extending their hospitality to the members of the Conference; and

WHEREAS, The staff of the Hyatt on Capitol Square have provided discriminating service, shown exemplary professionalism and have been flexible and accommodating with all the requests of the Conference; and

WHEREAS, The excellent facilities at the Hyatt on Capitol Square were superbly located and provided a stately environment conducive to the formality of the Conference.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its sincere thanks this April 12, 2006, to the staff of the Hyatt on Capitol Square for contributing significantly to the success of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That copies of this resolution be sent to Dirk Bengal, Troy Hammond, Suzanne Render, Anthie Constantinidis, Matthew Auferderheide of the Hyatt on Capitol Square and be published in the Proceedings of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

Janice D. Buchanon
Chair, Conference for Food Protection
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to extend its admiration and gratitude to the Columbus Local Arrangements Committee Chairs – Bob Kramer and Gina Nicholson of the Columbus Health Department; Barbara Hunt of Wendy’s International and Jim Ward of The Kroger Company – and to the Local Arrangements Committee members and Volunteer Support Staff for hosting the 2006 Conference for Food Protection biennial meeting held in Columbus, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, Bob, Gina, Barb and Jim have demonstrated great dedication, enthusiasm and innovation in completing their long-term commitment; and

WHEREAS, They have employed wisdom in creating a committee which mirrored the Conference in its joint participation, balanced constituencies and collaborative spirit; and have promoted the Conference by broad committee participation, education, local sponsorship and scholarship opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the Local Arrangements Committee Members and Volunteer Staff have provided outstanding service and support in assisting the Conference with its important mission; and

WHEREAS, all mentioned above have given the Conference for Food Protection attendees a genuine sense of Columbus hospitality and Ohio pride.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Conference for Food Protection extends its heartfelt thanks this April 12, 2006 as it confers this Resolution of Appreciation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be sent to all those mentioned above and be published in the Proceedings of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection biennial meeting.

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Janice D. Buchanon
Chair, Conference for Food Protection
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to extend its sincere thanks and appreciation to Richard Linton and the National Alliance for Food Safety and Security (through USDA-ARS) for providing financial support to the 2006 Workshop entitled “Interventions for the Listeria monocytogenes in Retail Food Establishments”; and

WHEREAS, The National Alliance for Food Safety and Security generously provided a $5,000 grant toward the development of the aforementioned Workshop which brought together the latest in research, technology and expertise for the education and understanding of this important foodborne pathogen to the Conference membership;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection formally thanks and acknowledges the contributions of Richard Linton and the National Alliance for Food Safety and Security for contributing to the financial and educational success of the Workshop and the 2006 Conference for Food Protection.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That copies of this resolution be sent to Purdue University and the National Alliance for Food Safety and Security and be published in the official proceedings of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection.
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to acknowledge and thank Charles S. Otto, III for his demonstrated knowledge, skills, and expertise while serving as Chair of the Web Site Development and Redesign Committee; and

WHEREAS, Charles has shown his commitment to the Conference for Food Protection by his sustained and selfless efforts to promote food safety and by his innovative ideas which have propelled the Conference into the 21st century; and

WHEREAS, Charles’ personal initiative, professionalism, organizational skills, and hard work are appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its sincere thanks this April 12, 2006 to Charles S. Otto, III.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That copies of this resolution be sent to Charles S. Otto, III and to the USPHS/CDC/VSP and be published in the Proceedings of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

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Janice D. Buchanon
Chair, Conference for Food Protection
RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to acknowledge and thank Marsha Robbins for her long-standing and distinguished service as Chair of the Program and Issue Committees; and

WHEREAS, Marsha has shown her commitment to the Conference for Food Protection by giving unselfishly of her time, energy, and resources while presiding over the 1996 Food Code Workshop, the 1998 HACCP Workshop and the Issue Committee since 1992; and

WHEREAS, she has shown an outstanding work ethic and visionary thinking in striving to improve the efficiency of the Issue Submission process by linking issues, and conversion to an electronic submittal format; and

WHEREAS, Marsha has shown dedication by providing her expertise, guidance and patience to Issue submitters.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its sincere thanks and appreciation this April 12, 2006 to Marsha Robbins.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That copies of this resolution be sent to Marsha Robbins and be published in the Proceedings of the 2006 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

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Janice D. Buchanon
Chair, Conference for Food Protection