MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Conference for Food Protection wishes to offer sincere condolences in Memory of Manda Clevenger for her many years of continuous dedication and commitment to public health, food safety, and the Conference for Food Protection; and

WHEREAS Manda worked with the Indiana Department of Health for many years in advancing public health and food safety programs. She served as the food attorney for 8 years, and then as the Division Director until her passing. She put the protection of the consuming public first, participated with a servant's heart on multiple committees in support of the Conference's mission, and embraced the spirit of collaboration to advance food safety; and

WHEREAS Manda’s professionalism, stewardship, mentoring, leadership, and commitment towards improving public health are greatly appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection; now therefore be it

RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its heartfelt appreciation this April 28, 2023, as it confers this Memorial Resolution; and be it further

RESOLVED That copies of this Resolution be sent to Manda’s family, her former employer, and be published in the Proceedings of the 2023 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

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Rebecca Vought, Chair
Conference for Food Protection
MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS The Conference for Food Protection wishes to offer sincere condolences in Memory of Janet Williams; and

WHEREAS Janet has 25+ years of experience as a practicing environmental public health regulator, holding several leadership positions, at the local, state, and federal levels;

WHEREAS Janet managed, organized, planned, directed, and coordinated an array of environmental programs, provided fiscal stewardship for general revenue funds, permit fees, contracts, and grants for operational programs in air quality, food inspections, milk and dairy, solid waste, recycling, lead, healthy homes, vector, animal, and rodent control, all supported by an in-house full service accredited environmental laboratory;

WHEREAS Janet has spent much of her professional career working to improve food safety for the protection of public health. Janet has enjoyed positions at OTED as a Consumer Safety Officer/Training Officer, and most recently, as Supervisory Consumer Safety Officer leading a staff of Training Officers and Training Specialists in the delivery of training for human and animal foods, produce, dietary supplements, biologics, BIMO, foreign supplier verification (FSVP), medical devices, emergency response and radiological health;

WHEREAS: Janet made significant contributions to the Conference for Food Protection as Lead Parliamentarian. Her knowledge, grace, and sense of humor were instrumental to imparting knowledge about Robert’s Rules of Order and how they impact the CFP process;

WHEREAS Janet’s professionalism, stewardship, mentoring, leadership, and commitment towards improving public health are greatly appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection; now therefore be it

RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its heartfelt condolences this April 28, 2023, as it confers this Memorial Resolution; and be it further

RESOLVED That copies of this Resolution be sent to Ms. Williams’ family and published in the Proceedings of the 2023 Biennial Meeting of the Conference for Food Protection.

Rebecca Vought, Chair
Conference for Food Protection
MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS The Conference for Food Protection wishes to extend sincere condolences in Memory of Dr. Brian Nummer for his many years of continuous dedication and commitment to public health, food safety, and the Conference for Food Protection; and

WHEREAS Dr. Nummer worked with the Extension Food Safety Specialist and Professor in the Department of Nutrition, Dietetics and Food Sciences at Utah State University for many years in advancing public health and food safety programs. He served as a U.S. process authority and HACCP coordinator for the state of Utah. He taught in FSMA, HACCP, Acidified Foods, Sanitation, Safe Quality Foods, and Behavior-based food safety putting the protection of the consuming public first, participating with a servant’s heart on multiple committees in support of the Conference’s mission, and embracing the spirit of collaboration to advance food safety; and

WHEREAS Dr. Nummer professionalism, stewardship, mentoring, leadership, and commitment towards improving public health are appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection; now therefore be it

RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its heartfelt appreciation this April 28, 2023, as it confers this Resolution of Appreciation; and be it further

RESOLVED That a copy of this Resolution be published in the Proceedings of the 2023 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

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Rebecca Vought
Chair
Conference for Food Protection
MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS The Conference for Food Protection wishes to extend its sincere condolences in Memory of Jim Dingman for his many years of continuous dedication and commitment to public health, food safety, and the Conference for Food Protection; and

WHEREAS Jim Dingman worked as the environmental health manager at the City of Plano Environmental Health and Sustainability Department for many years in advancing public health and food safety programs. He also worked for Underwriters Laboratories (UL), Inc. for 16 years where he coordinated regulatory activities for UL’s environmental and public health programs, including drinking water additives and system components, food safety, and swimming pool equipment. He also served as the administrator of UL’s International Environmental and Public Health Council. Jim began his environmental health career in 1982 at Tri-County Health Department in Colorado and was there for 16 years; and

WHEREAS Jim Dingman was known for bringing joy, humor, friendship, compassion, and big bear hugs to those fortunate enough to have known him. His mentoring, leadership, and commitment towards improving public health are greatly appreciated by all members of the Conference for Food Protection; now therefore be it

RESOLVED That the Conference for Food Protection extends its heartfelt appreciation this April 28, 2023, as it confers this Resolution of Appreciation; and be it further

RESOLVED That a copy of this Resolution be published in the Proceedings of the 2023 Conference for Food Protection Biennial Meeting.

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Rebecca Vought Chair
Conference for Food Protection