April 14, 2015

President William Powers, Jr.
The University of Texas at Austin
MAI 400
Campus Mail Code: G3400

Dear President Powers:

For your information, the Faculty Council unanimously endorsed the enclosed resolution written in honor of Edmund T. (Ted) Gordon (D 12239) at its meeting yesterday afternoon.

Please let me know if you have questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Dean P. Neikirk, Secretary
The General Faculty and Faculty Council

DPN:dlir

Enclosure

xc: Gregory Fenves, provost
   Carol Longoria, assistant deputy to the president
RESOLUTION FOR TED GORDON

In recognition of Professor Edmund T. (Ted) Gordon and on behalf of the Faculty Council Executive Committee, Past Chair Hillary Hart (distinguished senior lecturer, civil, architectural, and environmental engineering) submitted the following resolution. The Faculty Council will endorse the resolution at its meeting on April 13, 2015.

Dean Neikirk, Secretary
General Faculty and Faculty Council

RESOLUTION FOR TED GORDON

In recognition of the outstanding service of Ted Gordon in working toward a higher level of faculty oversight of the education and welfare of student-athletes at the University of Texas at Austin, the Faculty Council thanks him sincerely. Ted served for many years as a member of the Men’s Athletic Council of the University of Texas at Austin and has been since 2012 the representative for UT-Austin on the national Coalition on Intercollegiate Athletics (COIA). We particularly commend Ted for his steadfast reporting of COIA recommendations to Faculty Council and his work to encourage the Council to adopt University policies that would enhance faculty engagement in athletics governance.

Posted on the Faculty Council website (http://www.utexas.edu/faculty/council/) on April 9, 2015.