

CONSENT AGENDA ACTION ITEM

Governing Board Agenda

Meeting Date: November 25, 2008

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Item Title</u>	<u>Responsible Agents</u>
	Vice President Emeritus Distinction GateWay Community College	Dr. Rufus Glasper Dr. Gene Giovannini

Recommendation

In accordance with the Governing Board Policy it is recommended that the Governing Board award Vice President Emeritus Distinction to H. Grady Wolfe Jr.

Justification

Mr. H. Grady Wolfe Jr. has served the Maricopa Community Colleges for more than 34 years at Maricopa Technical/GateWay Community College. Mr. Wolfe’s tenure is the longest of any employee in the history of the college. He has held the following positions during this time: Director of Veterans Affairs; Director of Financial Aid; Director of Financial Aid and Fiscal Operations; Director of College Business Services; Dean of Administrative Services; and Vice President of Administrative Services. He has chaired or served on committees both at the college and district level too numerous to list here. He has served on three NCA accreditation committees. Mr. Wolfe has served as Acting President on several occasions during the absence of the college president; participated on the collaborative policy development for Crafts, was the first in Maricopa to introduce Tuition Gift Certificates, through his vision he led a team to be the first in Maricopa to have an on-line paperless college budget system which was noted in the college’s 2000 self-study as one of the strengths and read: “GateWay’s on-line budget development process is open, participatory, and linked to planning.” The NCA review team noted in their report that GateWay’s online budget system is “Exemplary.” Mr. Wolfe’s efforts were further noted when his budget system was awarded Innovation of the year for GateWay.

During his long tenure with Maricopa, Mr. Wolfe has a distinguished record of service and has earned the respect and appreciation of students, faculty, staff and administrators. We are honored to recommend Mr. Wolfe for the designation of Vice President Emeritus.

Funding	Approvals/Certifications
<p><u>Source:</u></p> <p><u>Account Identification:</u></p>	<p>Chancellor _____</p> <p>Academic & Student Affairs _____</p> <p>Business Services _____</p> <p>Human Resources _____</p> <p>Res. Dev. & Com. Affairs _____</p> <p>College President _____</p>