Resolution to Support the myFutureNC Attainment Goal

WHEREAS, myFutureNC is a statewide non-profit organization focused on educational attainment and is the result of cross-sector collaboration between North Carolina leaders in education, business and government; and

WHEREAS, The myFutureNC Commission has concluded that North Carolina should have a goal that 2 million North Carolinians will have a high-quality credential or postsecondary degree by 2030; and

WHEREAS, Shaw University is committed to providing educational opportunities to a diverse population, who otherwise might not have the opportunity for education. By leveraging its legacy, Shaw University will empower and equip generations of learners to achieve exemplary success in life. Shaw will be recognized as a regional leader in cultivating technologically astute students.

WHEREAS, Shaw University, along with other key partners, will help advance the educational attainment of students in North Carolina through its mission to advance knowledge, facilitate student learning and achievement, to enhance the spiritual and ethical values of its students, and to transform a diverse community of learners into future global leaders.

WHEREAS, Shaw University agrees that North Carolina faces a gap between the projected needs for citizens with high-quality credentials or postsecondary degrees and the attainment of those high-quality credentials or postsecondary degrees.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

Shaw University supports the attainment goal of myFutureNC that 2 million North Carolinians should have a high-quality credential or postsecondary degree by 2030; and

Shaw University along with leaders in business, education, state and local government, and community organizations will continue to foster partnerships to achieve the goal.

Adopted this the 26th day of May, 2020 by Shaw University.

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