

**California State University Dominguez Hills**  
**Academic Senate Resolution**  
**Honoring the Life and Memory of Dr. Joann Fenton**  
**Executive Resolution 13-01**

**WHEREAS:** Dr. Joann Fenton, our valued and beloved colleague, passed away in May 2012 after a prolonged battle with breast cancer; and

**WHEREAS:** Dr. Joann Fenton will be remembered for her contributions to Dominguez Hills during its formative years through her roles as a faculty member in the department of Anthropology, Department Chair, Dean of Social and Behavioral Sciences beginning in 1979 and as chair or a member of a long list of campus-wide committees working to further the accomplishment and education goals of a young institution of Higher Education, and

**WHEREAS:** Dr. Fenton brought further distinction to and awareness of CSUDH as she continued her career as Vice-President of Academic Affairs and Provost at Shippensburg University, and

**WHEREAS:** Dr. Fenton will be remember by her colleagues and friends at CSUDH who served with her from 1970 until 1987 as they worked as a team to bring a young and malleable State College to a new role as a State University within the California State University System; therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the Academic Senate of California State University, Dominguez Hills express its feeling of remorse at the passing of Professor Fenton and extend its sympathies to her Dominguez Hills colleagues, friends and the members of her family.