Corporation for National and Community Service Board of Directors

Resolution

WHEREAS, Romonia "Mona" Dixon served with dedication, enthusiasm, and distinction as a Member of the Board of Directors for the Corporation for National and Community Service since July 2015; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon has provided exemplary service as the youth appointee to the Board, representing the perspectives of young people who serve in and are served by the agency's programs, and empowering other youth to become involved in service in their communities; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon's personal story of overcoming barriers – including experiencing homelessness – through hard work, determination, and the kindness of others is highly inspirational and empowering; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon was awarded the coveted Boys and Girls Club of America "National Youth of the Year Award" in 2010 for her exemplary academics, leadership, and community service; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon founded the Inspired by Mona Foundation in 2018 to provide teens with opportunities, resources, and real-life skills to be successful through her Teen Success Academy; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon was, from an early age, committed to service as a way for Americans to get things done, help one another, and be the solution in their own communities; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon has helped the Corporation for National and Community Service advance its critical mission by participating in the Martin Luther King Jr. National Day of Service, National Service Recognition Day, the Arizona Governor's Youth Commission Youth Leadership Day, and other service projects and events; and

WHEREAS, Mona Dixon has been a unique and powerful voice for the value and impact of national service and the mission of the Corporation for National and Community Service; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, this 12th day of August, 2019, that the Board of Directors for the Corporation for National and Community Service, with great respect and affection, recognizes the outstanding contributions of Mona Dixon as a Member of the Board of Directors.

Shamina Singh Chair

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