MEMORIAL RESOLUTION BILLIE DEMONT 1941-1985

- Whereas, The dedication to the profession of education exhibited by Billie DeMont served as a model to her colleagues; and
- Whereas, The courage displayed by Billie DeMont during her last two years served as a model for all who knew her; and
- Whereas, It is fitting for the IPFW Senate to pay tribute to her life and to her accomplishments;
- Be It Resolved, That this memorial resolution be recorded as part of the minutes of this body and be sent to the family of Billie DeMont.

Billie DeMont received her B.S. in 1963, her M.S. in 1965, and her Ed.D. in 1969, all from the University of Tennessee. She served her profession as a teacher of mathematics in Knoxville, Tennessee; as a lecturer at the University of Tennessee; as Assistant Director of Institutional Research at the University of Tennessee; as Director of Research for the Louisville Public Schools; as Director of Curriculum Development, Dean of the Evening Program, Assistant Provost, Director of the Center for General and Career Studies, and Associate Provost, all at Oakland University; as Professor of Educational Administration at the University of Maine at Orono; and, for a brief time, as Chairperson of the Division of Education at IPFW.

Billie DeMont's scholarly endeavors included books, articles, research projects, presentations, and grants. Her leadership was evidenced by her range of roles within the academic community, within professional associations, and within the community in general. Her gentle manner, accompanied by her firm convictions, endeared her to those with whom she worked.

This assembly mourns the passing of Billie DeMont and extends its sincere condolences to her family.