



The Omicron Deuteron Charge of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity Incorporated

Resolution of Congratulations and Appreciation

Whereas, **Dartmouth** College was founded in 1769 “for the education and instruction of youth”; and

Whereas, The Trustees of **Dartmouth** College were made a “body corporate and politick” by the Charter granted by King George the Third of Great Britain on December 18, 1769; and

Whereas, The **Omicron Deuteron Charge** was granted a charter by the Grand Lodge of Theta Delta Chi in 1869; and

Whereas, led by Charles R. Miller class of 1872, the first **Dartmouth** men were initiated into Theta Delta Chi in September 1869; and

Whereas, The **Omicron Deuteron Charge** of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity was “made a body politic and corporate” ... “for the promotion of education...” by an act of the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire on March 13, 1903; and

Whereas, **Dartmouth** College seeks “to educate the most promising students and prepare them for a lifetime of learning and responsible leadership” and to “foster lasting bonds”; and

Whereas, the Brothers of Theta Delta Chi endeavor “to improve themselves intellectually, morally, and socially through friendship”; and

Whereas, for two hundred fifty years **Dartmouth** has excelled in educating women and men who have improved humankind’s understanding and well-being; and

Whereas, for the past one-hundred and fifty years the men of The **Omicron Deuteron Charge** have contributed to the intellectual, social, spiritual and humanitarian character of **Dartmouth**; and

Whereas, both institutions share similar values and objectives; and, as it was written in 1932, the typical member of the **Omicron Deuteron Charge** will be “truly representative of **Dartmouth** and of Theta Delta Chi”; and the graduate Brothers of the Charge have an undying loyalty to their College and their Fraternity; and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Board of Directors of the **Omicron Deuteron Charge** of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity, Incorporated, on behalf of the Corporation and all the Brothers extends it most felicitous congratulations and good wishes to the Trustees of **Dartmouth** College and the **Dartmouth** Community on the occasion of the College’s Sestercentennial; and

Furthermore, Be It Resolved, that the Corporation, on the occasion of the **Omicron Deuteron Charge’s** sesquicentennial, hereby expresses its most sincere gratitude and appreciation to **Dartmouth** College for its guidance, assistance and patience over these past one hundred fifty years.

Adopted the 14th of June 2019, to be presented on the 25th of October 2019.

Attest:

James J. Calmas
President

Thomas A. Barnico
Clerk