

1 A MEMORIAL

2 RECOGNIZING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF JUDGE CYNTHIA FRY.

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4 WHEREAS, Judge Cynthia Fry has been chosen by the
5 women's law caucus of the university of New Mexico school of
6 law as a 2016 Justice Mary Walters honoree; and

7 WHEREAS, Judge Fry is being honored as an outstanding
8 woman in the New Mexico legal community to honor the name of
9 former Justice Mary Walters, who was the first woman
10 appointed to the New Mexico supreme court; and

11 WHEREAS, Judge Fry will be recognized at an awards
12 dinner on February 24, 2016 in Albuquerque; and

13 WHEREAS, Judge Fry was elected to the New Mexico court
14 of appeals in 2000; and

15 WHEREAS, Judge Fry received her juris doctor degree from
16 the university of New Mexico school of law in 1981; and

17 WHEREAS, Judge Fry practiced with Civerolo, Hansen &
18 Wolf, P.A. and Lebeck & Fry, P.A., both Albuquerque law
19 firms; and

20 WHEREAS, beginning in 1990, Judge Fry maintained a solo
21 practice, concentrating on appeals, and in 1995, Judge Fry
22 was certified as an appellate specialist; and

23 WHEREAS, Judge Fry served on the supreme court's
24 appellate rules committee and as chair of the New Mexico
25 state bar association's appellate practice section; and

1 WHEREAS, Judge Fry has had a distinguished career as a
2 jurist; and

3 WHEREAS, Judge Fry has followed in the footsteps of
4 Justice Mary Walters, first in Judge Fry's years in private
5 practice and later as a member of the court of appeals; and

6 WHEREAS, Judge Fry represents the very qualities
7 exemplified by Justice Mary Walters: a strong independent
8 judicial voice, a clear and direct style of judicial writing
9 and the utmost civility and integrity;

10 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE
11 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that Judge Cynthia Fry be recognized for
12 her outstanding accomplishments and distinguished career as a
13 jurist; and

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Judge Fry be congratulated
15 for being chosen by the women's law caucus of the university
16 of New Mexico school of law as a 2016 Justice Mary Walters
17 honoree; and

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be
19 transmitted to Judge Cynthia Fry. _____

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