

RESOLUTION HONORING THE SERVICE OF

DR. CHRISTOPH LEEMANN

**TO THE THOMAS JEFFERSON NATIONAL ACCELERATOR
FACILITY**

WHEREAS, Christoph Leemann has served at the Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility (Jefferson Lab) since 1985, as Lab Director since 2001, and as Jefferson Science Associates President / Jefferson Lab Director since 2006; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Leemann has demonstrated his commitment to the field of nuclear physics and his dedication to the long range vision for the DOE Lab system and the future of the Jefferson Lab; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Leemann has worked tirelessly to carry out the Lab's mission to provide an internationally renowned research facility for the delivery of exceptional science; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Leemann has led the Jefferson Lab to raise its profile as an international center and world leader in hadronic physics and in superconducting radio-frequency and related technologies; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Leemann has directed the successful advancement of the 12 GeV upgrade project, first to ensure its incorporation into the DOE's 20-year outlook, and then to successfully achieve CD-0, CD-1, and CD-2; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Leemann has worked to educate the local, regional, and state communities about the scientific and economic value of the Lab through his active participation on numerous committees and groups; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Leemann has been called upon to serve on numerous advisory committees to render his professional knowledge, expertise, and counsel in accelerator physics; and

WHEREAS, the Jefferson Science Associates Board of Directors has bestowed upon Dr. Leemann the title of Director Emeritus in acknowledgement of and appreciation for his service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the SURA Board of Trustees hereby honors Dr. Christoph Leemann and offers him its sincere gratitude for his outstanding service and deep dedication to the Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility on this 8th day of April 2008.