Resolution 2017-2018-16 In Honor of Martha Hitt,
First Lady of the University of Central Florida

Whereas, Martha Hitt has graciously, eloquently, and honorably represented the University of
Central Florida since March 1, 1992, as the First Lady; and

Whereas, Martha Hitt has been a tireless advocate and mentor for women faculty, staff, students,
and members of the community; and

Whereas, Mrs. Hitt has been actively involved in the UCF Town and Gown to strengthen
relationships between the University of Central Florida and the community; and

Whereas, as an unwavering supporter, Mrs. Hitt has brought recognition and respect to UCF
women’s athletics; and

Whereas, as the First Lady, Mrs. Hitt has hosted numerous university functions and events over
the past 26 years at the Burnett House; and

Whereas, the First Lady has served on numerous committees involving the university, including
the selection committee for students who serve on the President’s Leadership Council; and

Whereas, Mrs. Hitt has been a long-time ex-officio member of the board of directors of the
Learning Institute for Elders (LIFE) at UCF and one of the non-profit organization’s greatest
cheerleaders; and

Whereas, Mrs. Hitt is an honorary chairwoman of the University Women’s Club; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate expresses its deepest appreciation to Martha Hitt for
26 years of honorably representing the University of Central Florida and as a generous
benefactor to the University.

Approved by the Faculty Senate Steering Committee on March 8, 2018.