## University of Delaware Library Associates Newark, Delaware 19717-5267

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## Posthumous Resolution to Honor Dr. John A. Munroe

WHEREAS Dr. John A. Munroe was a strong supporter of the University of Delaware Library Associates and the University of Delaware Library; and

WHEREAS Dr. John A. Munroe served on the Board of Directors of the University of Delaware Library Associates from 1985 through 2006 and regularly attended Board meetings up to the end of his life; and

WHEREAS Dr. John A. Munroe was along with others an originator of the idea that the University of Delaware Library Associates should publish a journal focused on research resulting from library collection use which became *Collections*, on which he then served as a founding member of the Board of Editors; and

WHEREAS Dr. John A. Munroe was a heavy user of the collections and resources of the University of Delaware Library and regularly made helpful suggestions for the acquisition of items for them; and

WHEREAS the University of Delaware Library houses in Special Collections the "John A. Munroe Papers" which include much of the writing and correspondence of Dr. Munroe, as well as material pertaining to his family, students, historical subjects and colleagues, including correspondence, photographs, publications, clippings, articles, programs, speeches, diaries, typescripts, contracts, lecture notes, periodicals, vitas, certificates, drawings, reports, grades, flyers, manuscripts, postcards, ballots, autographs, bulletins, newsletters, pamphlets, interviews, Christmas cards, ledgers, settlement accounts, and brochures; and

WHEREAS Dr. John A. Munroe generously and devotedly gave of his time and energies to furthering the goals and objectives of the University of Delaware Library Associates;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the University of Delaware Library Associates recognize posthumously his contributions to the organization and to the University of Delaware Library.

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