

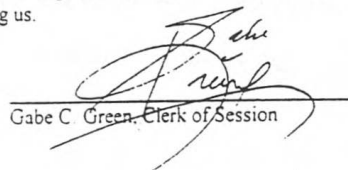
Appendix

**A Resolution of Recognition of Gilbert Bentley Ford
as Elder Emeritus of Alta Woods Presbyterian Church**

- WHEREAS:** Ruling Elder Gilbert "Gil" Ford was born on December 18, 1926 raised by a Godly Mother and Grandmother, and
- WHEREAS:** Gil accepted Christ at an early age and joined Central Presbyterian Church on January 5, 1939, and
- WHEREAS:** Ruling Elder Gilbert "Gil" Ford joined Alta Woods Presbyterian Church on November 5, 1961, and,
- WHEREAS:** Gil served faithfully as a Deacon having been ordained and installed on January 6, 1963, for a total of nine years, and
- WHEREAS:** He served as General Sunday School Superintendent from November 11, 1970 through November 1, 1971, and
- WHEREAS:** He has served faithfully as a Ruling Elder for twenty-seven years from January 3, 1971 through December 31, 1998, and
- WHEREAS:** On February 20, 1994, Gil was elected Church Trustee, and
- WHEREAS:** The Session of Alta Woods Presbyterian Church recognizing Gil will have reached Three Score and Twelve Years on December 18, 1998 voted unanimously on November 19, 1998 to elect Gilbert "Gil" Ford as Elder Emeritus to honor his most earnest labors among God's people, and,
- WHEREAS:** This Resolution shall be entered into the Minutes of this Stated Meeting, and,

WHEREFORE, ~~we~~ ~~do~~ ~~renew~~ ~~our~~ ~~pledge~~, that we, the Session of Alta Woods Presbyterian Church, on the Nineteenth day of November in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-eight, give full recognition to Ruling Elder Gilbert "Gil" Ford as Elder Emeritus in honor of his ministry and labor among us.


Dr. Merle A. Messer, Moderator


Gabe C. Green, Clerk of Session

