WHEREAS, several individuals have contributed to the success of this, ASDSO’s 13th Annual Conference at the Seattle Westin Hotel, Seattle, Washington, September 8-11, 1996, and

WHEREAS, the Association’s host state representative, the Washington Department of Ecology, Dam Safety Section, Mel Schaefer, Supervisor, and his staff, gave extraordinary time and effort in support of the conference, provided an ideal setting and extended true hospitality for this event, and

WHEREAS, the conference exhibitors and sponsors were of the highest quality and added significantly to the exchange of state-of-the-art technology,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Association of State Dam Safety Officials, meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington, this 10th day of September, 1996, that appreciation is expressed to Mel Schaefer, Doug Johnson, Jerald LaVassar, Bruce Barker and the staff of the Washington Department of Ecology, Dam Safety Section; and the conference exhibitors and sponsors for their contribution to the success of this conference.

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Date  George E. Mills
      ASDSO President
WHEREAS, the success of any organization is determined by the quality of its leaders, and

WHEREAS, George Austin has served on ASDSO’s Board of Directors and has played a significant role in its success and its achievement, and

WHEREAS, he has spent most of his professional career and expertise working to improve dam safety in his state and in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Association of State Dam Safety Officials (ASDSO) considers itself most fortunate to have had George Austin of Kansas serve on its Board of Directors from 1994-96,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Association of State Dam Safety Officials, meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September, 1996, hereby expresses its deep appreciation and sincerest gratitude for a job well done to George Austin, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor and Legislative leaders of the great State of Kansas.

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Date                               George E. Mills
                                     ASDSO President
Association of State Dam Safety Officials
Resolution 3-96

Appreciation of Richard J. Knitter
ASDSO Board of Directors 1994-96

WHEREAS, the success of any organization is determined by the quality of its leaders, and

WHEREAS, Richard J. Knitter has served on ASDSO’s Board of Directors and has played a significant role in its success and its achievement, and

WHEREAS, he has spent most of his professional career and expertise working to improve dam safety in his state and in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Association of State Dam Safety Officials (ASDSO) considers itself most fortunate to have had Richard J. Knitter of Wisconsin serve on its Board of Directors from 1994-96,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Association of State Dam Safety Officials, meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September, 1996, hereby expresses its deep appreciation and sincerest gratitude for a job well done to Richard J. Knitter, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor and Legislative leaders of the great State of Wisconsin.

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Date George E. Mills
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ASDSO President
Association of State Dam Safety Officials  
Resolution 4-96

Appreciation of John H. Moyle  
ASDSO Board of Directors 1991-96

WHEREAS, the success of any organization is determined by the quality of its leaders, and

WHEREAS, John H. Moyle has served on ASDSO’s Board of Directors and has played a significant role in its success and its achievement, and

WHEREAS, he has spent most of his professional career and expertise working to improve dam safety in his state and in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Association of State Dam Safety Officials (ASDSO) considers itself most fortunate to have had John H. Moyle of New Jersey serve on its Board of Directors from 1991-96,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Association of State Dam Safety Officials, meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September, 1996, hereby expresses its deep appreciation and sincerest gratitude for a job well done to John H. Moyle, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor and Legislative leaders of the great State of New Jersey.

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Date  George E. Mills  
  ASDSO President
Association of State Dam Safety Officials  
Resolution 5-96  

Appreciation of James D. Simons  
ASDSO Board of Directors 1991-96

WHEREAS, the success of any organization is determined by the quality of its leaders, and

WHEREAS, James D. Simons has served on ASDSO’s Board of Directors and has played a significant role in its success and its achievement, and

WHEREAS, he has spent most of his professional career and expertise working to improve dam safety in his state and in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Association of State Dam Safety Officials (ASDSO) considers itself most fortunate to have had James D. Simons of North Carolina serve on its Board of Directors from 1991-96,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Association of State Dam Safety Officials, meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September, 1996, hereby expresses its deep appreciation and sincerest gratitude for a job well done to James D. Simons, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor and Legislative leaders of the great State of North Carolina.

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Date George E. Mills  
ASDSO President
WHEREAS, the success of any organization is determined by the quality of its leaders, and

WHEREAS, George E. Mills has served on ASDSO’s Board of Directors and has played a significant role in its success and its achievement, and

WHEREAS, he has spent most of his professional career and expertise working to improve dam safety in his state and in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Association of State Dam Safety Officials (ASDSO) considers itself most fortunate to have had George E. Mills of Ohio serve on its Board of Directors from 1991-96, and as President from 1995-96,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Association of State Dam Safety Officials, meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September, 1996, hereby expresses its deep appreciation and sincerest gratitude for a job well done to George E. Mills, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor and Legislative leaders of the great State of Ohio.

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Date                  Alan E. Pearson
                    ASDSO President-Elect
WHEREAS, the regulation of the thousands of dams in the United States is essential to their safety and the safety of the downstream public, and

WHEREAS, strong dam safety programs at the state and federal levels must work together to ensure this safety, and

WHEREAS, these programs must be buttressed by federal legislation providing for leadership and resources to improve dam safety, and

WHEREAS, Congressman Bill Zeliff of New Hampshire sponsored the bill formalizing the National Dam Safety Program and recruited many co-sponsors in the House. His perseverance and relentless pursuit of this issue was successful and helped to see the National Dam Safety Act through to passage on the House floor,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Association of State Dam Safety Officials meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September 1996, that appreciation is expressed to Congressman Zeliff for all his efforts to advance dam safety.

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Date                                      George E. Mills
                                           ASDSO President
Association of State Dam Safety Officials
Resolution  8-96

In Appreciation of U.S. Senator Christopher Bond
for Sponsorship of the National Dam Safety Act

WHEREAS, the regulation of the thousands of dams in the United States is essential to their safety and the safety of the downstream public, and

WHEREAS, strong dam safety programs at the state and federal levels must work together to ensure this safety, and

WHEREAS, these programs must be buttressed by federal legislation providing for leadership and resources to improve dam safety, and

WHEREAS, Senator Christopher Bond of Missouri sponsored the bill formalizing the National Dam Safety Program and recruited many co-sponsors in the Senate. His perseverance and relentless pursuit of this issue was successful and helped to see the National Dam Safety Act through to passage on the Senate floor,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Association of State Dam Safety Officials meeting in National Conference in Seattle, Washington this 10th day of September 1996, that appreciation is expressed to Senator Bond for all his efforts to advance dam safety.

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Date  George E. Mills
George E. Mills
ASDSO President