

**AAUP RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF FACULTY SENATE VOTE OF NO
CONFIDENCE IN THE LEADERSHIP OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS**

WHEREAS the University of Iowa Faculty Senate, by a near-unanimous vote, today expressed its lack of confidence in the leadership of the Board of Regents, and

WHEREAS Regents Gartner and Wahlert have repeatedly demonstrated their disdain for the faculty, staff, and students of the University of Iowa, as well as their inability or unwillingness to conduct the sort of open search process likely to produce a university president in whom the various University of Iowa constituencies may repose trust, and

WHEREAS Faculty Senate President Sheldon Kurtz, in his address to Faculty Senate, eloquently marshaled the evidence that Regents Gartner and Wahlert have misused the power reposed in them to exercise leadership in higher education in the State of Iowa,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Executive Committee of the University of Iowa chapter of the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) hereby expresses its strong support for the Resolution of No Confidence in the Leadership of the Board of Regents.