

## **R E S O L U T I O N**

**WHEREAS**, the Association for Conservation Information is an organization of natural resource conservation communicators dedicated to craft improvement, the exchange of new ideas and the discussion of current environmental and wildlife conservation issues, and

**WHEREAS** Kay Ellerhoff is ACI's senior most active member, and

**WHEREAS** Kay Ellerhoff is the only member who has been elected to a two-year term as President of ACI on two separate occasions: 1984-85 and 1985-86, and

**WHEREAS** Kay Ellerhoff has served as Conference Futures Chair for, by her estimate, 38 years, and

**WHEREAS** during those 38 years, Kay Ellerhoff, through her gifts of charm and gentle persuasion, has recruited state agencies to serve as hosts for ACI conferences in beautiful locations all over the country, and

**WHEREAS** Kay Ellerhoff received the Spirit of ACI Award in 1987, and

**WHEREAS** no one embodies the Spirit of ACI more than Kay Ellerhoff.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved by the Board of Directors of the Association for Conservation Information, in a duly constituted and assembled meeting:

1. That we do hereby attest and record on behalf of the membership of ACI our deeply felt love, esteem, respect and admiration for Kay Ellerhoff.
2. That as of this day, the Spirit of ACI Award shall henceforth be known as the Kay Ellerhoff Spirit of ACI Award.
3. That we hereby record the sentiments of this resolution forevermore upon the minutes and records of the Association for Conservation Information.

**DONE AND RESOLVED** at the Johnny Cash Museum, in Nashville, Tennessee, this 27th day of July, A.D. 2022.