



PSERB Resolution 2022-64

Re: Board Trustee State Sen. Patrick “Pat” M. Browne
October 21, 2022

Whereas State Sen. Patrick “Pat” M. Browne has served on the Public School Employees’ Retirement System Board since July 2009, as the Senate President Pro Tempore’s Appointee of the Board; and

Whereas Sen. Browne has served with distinction in many capacities, including as Chair of Financial and Actuarial, Corporate Governance, Audit, Compliance and Risk, and Bylaws/Policy committees; and as a member of the Personnel and Technology Steering committees; and

Whereas Sen. Browne has left a lasting legacy on the Board and across the Commonwealth by using his extensive political and policy skills as a legislator, lawyer, and certified public accountant to help craft Act 120 of 2010, historic legislation that realigned some benefit costs and amended employers’ actuarial underfunding to put PSERS on the path to renewed fiscal stability; and

Whereas Sen. Browne, as Chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee since 2014, has ensured the General Fund keeps with Act 120’s tenants by providing PSERS’ actuarially determined contribution to cover members’ promised benefits and also by supporting budgetary resources to bolster the System’s investment, and risk and compliance efforts; and

Whereas PSERS recognizes that Sen. Browne’s duty to the System was an outgrowth of his unwavering support for public education employees and the students they serve during his outstanding 27-year career serving in the Pennsylvania Senate and House of Representatives for the Lehigh Valley and Commonwealth.

Now therefore **RESOLVED**, that PSERS Board of Trustees hereby thanks Sen. Browne for his dedicated service to PSERS and offers best wishes in his future endeavors.

Christopher Santa Maria, PSERB Chair