Professor Mark T. Treat joined the faculty of Sinclair Community College on a full-time basis in September, 1972. His primary areas of expertise were Economics and Aviation Administration. In 1975 he became involved in development and the supervision of the Aviation Administration Program. The excellent liaison and working relationships which he maintained with local aviation companies were major factors in the success of this program. Professor Treat also initiated and developed the Logistics Management Program as well as a program to train air traffic controllers at Sinclair. In this regard, he worked with Ohio State University and the Federal Aviation Administration to develop a "2 + 2" program with Ohio State.

Mr. Treat was, indeed, a high quality faculty member whose top priorities at all times were Sinclair Community College and the Sinclair student. He was an enthusiastic contributor to many campus organizations and committees which, in part, included serving on the Faculty Senate and as faculty representative to the Ohio Board of Regents Faculty Advisory Committee. He also served as chair of the Supplemental Retirement Committee.

Professor Treat was held in high esteem by his colleagues at Sinclair. One associate characterized this regard by indicating that Mark was one of those rare finds that "one in a million faculty member which every college and university hopes to have. He is extremely intelligent, with those extra ingredients identified as sincerity, maturity, dedication, and incentive that make him unique." Another colleague commented that Professor Treat was always learning and sharing with his students and that his good nature and even handedness have been a support and example to his colleagues.

The many contributions to Sinclair Community College which were made by Professor Treat certainly establish him as an outstanding candidate for receipt of emeritus honors.