



HISTORIC CHRIST CHURCH  
CIRCA 1735  
Preservation. Education. Inspiration.

The Board of Directors  
of the  
**FOUNDATION FOR HISTORIC CHRIST CHURCH**  
HEREBY RESOLVES THAT

**W**HEREAS, on Easter Sunday 2003 our honoree began a rich and diverse career as a Christ Church volunteer, a career which continues without interruption to this day, and

**W**HEREAS, our honoree has served with distinction as a docent, docent coordinator, member of the Volunteer Council, member of the 2016 Red Book Revision Committee, and as a member of the Marketing, Development, Governance, Finance, and Executive Committees, and

**W**HEREAS, our honoree has provided enlightened and motivating leadership for the Foundation through service as the chairperson of the Volunteer Council, Marketing Committee, and Governance Committee, and

**W**HEREAS, our honoree's leadership contribution was crowned by serving multiple terms on the board of directors, including one term as Vice President and one term as President of the Foundation, and

**W**HEREAS, our honoree played a pivotal role in developing numerous marketing themes and significant special musical and educational events including, to name just a few, the Four Seasons, the Spring Symposium, the Civil War Sesquicentennial, expansion of The Holly and The Ivy into one of the Northern Neck's most popular holiday concerts, the inauguration of the Raise the Roof Craft Beer Fest, and much more, all of which enhanced the reputation of Historic Christ Church as one of the Northern Neck's most inspiring and engaging historic destinations, and

**W**HEREAS, our honoree has been characterized by peers as a hands-on, heart engaged volunteer who personifies the unique volunteer spirit of this organization, who does not sidestep challenging issues, who operates with an approachable leadership style seeking and welcoming input, and who combines these qualities with sage advice, wise counsel and total dedication and steadfast focus on the Foundation's mission

The Louise Belote Dawe Award  
is hereby bestowed on  
***BONNIE P. DAWSON***

This 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2021

Jill M. Worth, President

Stevenson T. Walker, Secretary