

# PROCLAMATION

## HONORING BOB REID FOR HIS OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ANDERSON COMMUNITY AND CELEBRATING THE OPENING OF BOB REID STADIUM

**WHEREAS**, in 1963 Bob Reid began his career with Anderson High School as a teacher and coach and continued his career at Anderson until he retired in 1999; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Reid spent 36 years teaching Anderson High School students many lessons in sports, academics and life; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Reid served Anderson High School as the Wrestling Coach for six years, leading their team to two North Section Championships; and

**WHEREAS**, as the Varsity Football Coach for 30 years, Bob Reid taught players the importance of being both an individual and a member of the team; and

**WHEREAS**, in the 30 years Bob served as Varsity Football Coach, he led the Anderson High School team to 219 wins, 14 League Championships, four North Section Titles, and seven undefeated seasons; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Reid was selected the North Section "Coach of the Year" three times and State "Coach of the Year" four times during his career as the Anderson High School Football Coach; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Reid, "Godfather of Anderson Football," produced the most wins in Northern Section history; and

**WHEREAS**, as a community volunteer, Bob Reid continues to work with his wife of fifty years, Pat Reid, to show students and parents alike that community is important, because when you love your community, you serve your community; and

**WHEREAS**, in recognition of the tremendous contributions made to this community, the Anderson Union High School District will honor Bob Reid by naming their new stadium, "Bob Reid Stadium."

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the City Council of the City of Anderson, on behalf of the staff, citizens and businesses of Anderson, does hereby recognize and honor Bob Reid, the Godfather of Anderson Football, for his many outstanding contributions to the Anderson community as a teacher, coach and community volunteer.

**BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED**, that the City Council of the City of Anderson, does hereby join the community in celebrating the opening of the new "Bob Reid Stadium" honoring Bob Reid for more than 36 years of dedication to Anderson High School and the community of Anderson.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set  
my hand and caused the Corporate Seal of the City  
of Anderson to be affixed this 1st day of September  
2009.

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Butch Schaefer, Mayor