

**A CITY OF MADISON PROCLAMATION
DECLARING NOVEMBER 23, 2022, STANLEY MCKAY WEBER DAY**

WHEREAS, Indiana Basketball is a much-loved institution, rooted in the hearts and minds of Hoosiers, young and old; and

WHEREAS, residents of Madison remember Stanley McKay Weber and his contribution to the 1950 IHSA State Basketball Final Championship win; and

WHEREAS, Stanley was born April 12, 1933, and was raised in Madison, IN; and

WHEREAS, Stanley was a talented athlete throughout his school years as he played Varsity on the Madison High School Cubs Basketball State Championship Team of 1950, coached by Ray Eddy; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Cubs defeated the Marion Giants, 50-49, at Butler Fieldhouse in Indianapolis to more than 15,000 fans from across the state; and

WHEREAS, Madison went on to win the championship, against Lafayette Jefferson, 60-47, as notable underdogs, that played their season with balanced teamwork, determination, and athleticism; and

WHEREAS, Stanley has a rich life. He joined the US Marine Corps from 1951-1954, rising to the rank of Sergeant, serving in the Korean War from 1953-1954; and

WHEREAS, upon returning from the service, Mr. Weber attended and graduated from Hanover College with a Bachelor of Science Degree; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weber married, Janet White in 1952 and they were blessed with 5 children: Mike, Paula, John, Pat, and Mary; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weber enjoyed a lifelong career as a High School Coach and Teacher from 1958-1989 positively influencing the lives of those he coached and taught; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weber retired in 1989 and he and his wife moved to Florida, but he lost his wife, Janet, to ALS in 1999; and

WHEREAS, in 2004, Mr. Weber married Martha Marin and they currently live in Georgia; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weber is a celebrated Hoosier who is fondly remembered by friends, family, and colleagues for his talent for basketball and his contribution to his community.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Bob G. Courtney, Mayor of the City of Madison, proclaim, November 23, 2022, as Stanley McKay Weber Day, and ask that all residents join in celebrating his many contributions to our community.


Bob Courtney, Mayor, City of Madison

