## Office of the Mayor City of High Point North Carolina

## RESOLUTION...

- WHEREAS, on Sunday, November 13, 2016, at Benjamin Banneker High School, in Atlanta, Georgia, the T.W. Andrews Red Raiders marching band from High Point captured first place overall in the High Stepping Nationals Marching Band Competition; and,
- WHEREAS, this is the first time a North Carolina high school band has won the High Stepping National contest; and,
- WHEREAS, this excellent victory was made possible under the leadership of Director of Music Jason Heath, Drumline Instructor Cyril Jefferson, Drum Major Coach Braxton Allen, Music Arranger Trey Ingram, Senior Coordinator Faith Davis, Dance Instructor Raven Jefferson, Flag Instructor Tiffany Golphin, and Auxiliary Assistant Shakia Fields; and,
- WHEREAS, the Red Raiders also brought home Grand Champion trophies for Drumline, Flag Team, Marching and General Effect; and,
- WHEREAS, the T.W. Andrews Red Raiders marching band members have rightfully earned the respect of their classmates and their competitors, and through their accomplishments have brought great honor and prestige to T.W. Andrews High School and the High Point community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and the City Council of the City of High Point that we wish to express our heartfelt congratulations to the 2016 T.W. Andrews "Red Raiders" marching band members for their significant achievement and commend them for their outstanding talent and commitment to the High Point community.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the City of High Point, North Carolina this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2016.

William S. Bencini, Jr., Mayor