**CITY OF ALBION**

Proclamation

*Honoring*

Albion High School Alumni Association

**WHEREAS** The Albion High School Alumni was established in 2004, to bring together alumni, families and friends to share memories and achievements, to celebrate Albion’s schools and the community, and to foster enthusiasm and involvement; and

**WHEREAS** The Albion High School Alumni is governed by a nine member Board of Directors, and the AHS alum members continue to support the academic success of Albion students by raising funds that provide a scholarship to two graduates of Marshall High School, who attended Albion Public Schools in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades; and

**WHEREAS** Throughout the years, the members of the Albion High School Alumni have been outstanding examples of community minded citizens who have served as important roles models to the young men and women in our community and across the nation; and

**WHEREAS** The Albion High School Alumni Association’s 2015 Reunion will take place over the weekend of September 17th through 20th. The weekend will be filled with a number of celebrations, including the 12th Annual Albion Alumni Dinner. Dr. William Holland, a well-known author and son of the belated community leader and council member, Robert Holland, will be speaking to students about finding a career path that connects with their passions. And, Coach Milton Barnes and Coach Mike Williams will be hosting a reunion of the 1988 to 1991 basketball players and cheerleaders, as a fundraiser to support youth programs in the Albion Recreation Department. The Albion Old School Reunion will host several events, including a Meet & Greet, talent show, semi-formal dance, and family picnic at Victory Park throughout the weekend; and

**WHEREAS** The City of Albion welcomes the Albion High School Alumni Association and we join with a very proud community in expressing our appreciation to the Board of Directors and all of the alums for your ongoing commitment and service.

**NOW THEREFORE, I,** Mayor Joseph V. Domingo, joined by the members of the Albion City Council, do hereby proclaim the weekend of September 17 – 20, 2015 as **ALBION HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI WEEKEND** in the City of Albion and encourage all citizens to participate in welcoming our alumni home.

*In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this city to be affixed.*

 *Mayor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

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