

PROCLAMATION

RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE 2023 - 2024 SHELBY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM AND COACHING STAFF

Whereas, we recognize that Shelby Senior High School has a reputation for providing an educational experience that is scholastically enriching and well-rounded with a good number of extracurricular programs, and

Whereas, student athletes work diligently to improve their skills and learn the importance of teamwork and sacrifice, and

Whereas, the Shelby Whippets Boys Basketball Team had an historic season: crowned as the Mid Ohio Athletic Conference Champions, setting a school record with 25 wins, and for the first time in School history earned the title of Ohio Division II Regional Champions... with their incredible run taking them to a Final Four appearance - showcasing their talents and skills to the entire State, and

Whereas, the team's unprecedented success was fueled by outstanding achievements from players whose excellence on the court has been well documented by sportscasters and sportswriters across Ohio, and

Whereas, credit is certainly due to Head Coach Greg Gallaway and his talented coaching staff who guided the team with their core values and mentorship, and

Whereas, the city of Shelby rallied behind the team - showing enthusiastic and unwavering support throughout this unforgettable season. The Community came together in a spectacular way to cheer on the Whippets and celebrate their un-paralleled accomplishments, demonstrating the strong bond between the team and their loyal fans.

Now, therefore, I, Steven L Schag, Mayor of the City of Shelby, Ohio in recognition of this team's incredible season, do hereby proclaim April 5, 2024 as "Shelby Senior High School Boys Basketball Achievement Recognition Day". This special day of honor will serve as a testament to this team's historic accomplishments and the lasting impact they have had on the Shelby Community.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Shelby, Ohio to be affixed this 1st day of April, in the year of our Lord, two thousand and twenty-four.

Steven L. Schag
Mayor