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Proclamation honoring Coach Don Sleeman Proclamation to be read during Introduction section

## **PROCLAMATION**

Honoring Coach Don Sleeman Pioneer Boys Track, Field & Cross Country December 7th, 2009

- WHEREAS, Don Sleeman has been coaching Boys Cross Country, and Boys Track and Field at Pioneer High School since 1968; and
- WHEREAS, The Coach is a United States Track and Field Registered Official and has served his sports on various Rules Committees, as Meet Director, Official for intercollegiate meets, and Official for both the 1996 Olympic Trials and Olympic Games; and
- *WHEREAS,* Coach Sleeman has guided his student athletes to a combined twenty-nine Regional Championships and six State Championships; and
- *WHEREAS,* Ninety-seven of Coach Don's charges have received All State Honors; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Sleeman has been inducted into two Halls of Fame related to his sports; and
- WHEREAS, Donald D. Sleeman has been awarded the honors of both, National Midwest Boys Track and Field Coach of the Year for 2009, and National Boys Track and Field Coach of the Year for 2009 by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association.

NOW THEREFORE, I, John Hieftje, Mayor of Ann Arbor, Michigan, do hereby proclaim Congratulations to Coach Don Sleeman for 42 years of excellence in Coaching and for achieving the highest honors available to his profession in his service to the community.

I hereby set my hand and seal This 7<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2009

John Hieftje, Mayor

City of Ann Arbor