

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Franklin C. Kreider served the Collinsville Community Unit School District from 1930-1962 as High School Band Director, and

WHEREAS, this service was characterized by a remarkable devotion to music and dedication to the purpose of education of students above personal and other considerations, and

WHEREAS, his knowledge of music, his enthusiasm and insistence on discipline and perfection quickly propelled the Collinsville High School Band to win national acclaim, and

WHEREAS, a music scholarship fund was established at the University of Illinois many years ago and a local scholarship fund was established by the Band Parents Association in honor of Franklin C. Kreider, and

WHEREAS, the Collinsville Band Parents Association was organized under his leadership and is still a highly successful and dedicated group carrying on his desire to instill the love of music and professionalism to the Band students of Collinsville High School and the community, and

WHEREAS, the memory of Mr. and Mrs. Kreider will remain from generation to generation because of the rich cultural heritage that was left behind by these outstanding citizens, and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Collinsville and the Collinsville Community Unit No. 10 Board of Education wish to express their appreciation to the Kreiders for the joy and knowledge that they conveyed to so many through their music,

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by this Board of Education of Collinsville Community Unit No. 10 that in recognition of the Kreider's faithful service to the School District this Board of Education gives its full support to a Community Memorial Dedication Fund in the name of Franklin C. Kreider; such fund to be assigned toward renovation of auditorium facilities at Webster School, and

FURTHER, this Board of Education does hereby rename the Webster Auditorium to The Franklin C. Kreider Auditorium.