



A PROCLAMATION
Davidson College Men's Basketball
March 13, 2018

WHEREAS, Davidson College was founded in 1837 – and until 1891 the town was the college – town and gown are inextricably linked.

WHEREAS, the 2,000 students of Davidson College excel in the classroom and on athletic fields and courts alike. Each and every scholar-athlete who wears a Davidson uniform is a de facto ambassador of our town.

WHEREAS, Davidson Men's Basketball Head Coach Bob McKillop recruits on an international level. Members of the 2017-2018 team represent Finland, Iceland, Nigeria, Serbia, and Sweden, as well as six different states across the U.S.

WHEREAS, on March 11th the Davidson Men's Basketball team upended the University of Rhode Island to win the nationally broadcast A-10 Championship game.

WHEREAS, the Wildcats' commitment to the community was manifest in the fact that the basketball team stopped at Davidson Elementary School this morning before flying to Boise. Members of the team got off their bus to share their enthusiasm and excitement with the entire student body of DES that lined both sides of South Street yelling and screaming for their favorite Wildcats.

WHEREAS, the Davidson College Wildcats will take on the University of Kentucky Wildcats on Thursday, March 15, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Davidson, do hereby state and affirm the Town of Davidson's support for the Davidson Wildcats as they compete in the NCAA first round tournament in Boise, Idaho. Go Davidson Wildcats!

Proclaimed this 13th day of March, 2018.

Rusty Knox
Mayor