

RESOLUTION NO. 478

WHEREAS, the Alexandria Community is deeply saddened by the loss of Dr. Donald L. Bisdorf, Provost of the Alexandria Campus, Northern Virginia Community College, who died March 13, 1976; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Bisdorf made made significant contributions in the field of education and fine arts; and

WHEREAS, since his appointment as Provost in July, 1969, Dr. Bisdorf devoted his talent and energies to the development of the Alexandria Campus of the Northern Virginia Community College; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Bisdorf guided the college from an enrollment of 1800 students at its original site at Bailey's Crossroad to an enrollment of slightly under 10,000 students at the present Alexandria Campus site; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Bisdorf was highly respected for his leadership, commitment and accessibility.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alexandria, Virginia City Council, on behalf of the City and its citizenry, hereby expresses sincere sympathy to Dr. Donald L. Bisdorf wife, Betty, and to his family.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution of sympathy be forwarded to Dr. Bisdorf's widow and family and a copy forwarded to the Faculty and to the Students of the Alexandria Campus, Northern Virginia Community College, and that this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of this City Council meeting.

Adopted March 23, 1976

Mrs. Helen Holleman, Clerk of the City
of Alexandria, Virginia