



**A PROCLAMATION CONGRATULATING
MLS CUP CHAMPION CALEB PORTER**

WHEREAS, Caleb Porter is a New Albany resident, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Porter serves as head coach for Columbus Crew SC in Major League Soccer, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Porter and Columbus Crew SC were victorious in the 2020 MLS Cup by defeating the Seattle Sounders by a score of 3 - 0, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Porter is now a two-time MLS Cup winner and one of only six coaches in MLS history with multiple MLS Cup victories, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Porter's coaching resume also includes a national title in 2010 while serving as the head coach of the University of Akron, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Porter serves as a positive role model for aspiring professional soccer players and coaches within the New Albany community.

NOW THEREFORE, Council for the City of New Albany, Counties of Franklin and Licking, State of Ohio, wishes to congratulate Caleb Porter on these accomplishments, and commend him for his leadership, dedication, and determination, resulting in these extraordinary achievements.

WHEREBY, Council sets their hands this 5th day of January, 2021.

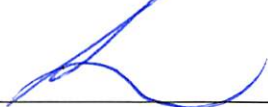




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