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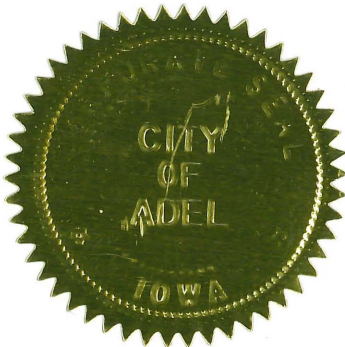
PROCLAMATION

- Whereas, Van Harden grew up in Adel and is a favorite son here; and
- Whereas, Van and I became childhood friends when my family moved to Adel in 1955; and
- Whereas, Van has hosted the most listened to radio program in the state of Iowa for over three decades; and
- Whereas, Van has achieved the pinnacle of professional excellence by receiving five individual Marconi awards (i.e., think Tony, Emmy, Oscar) from the National Association of Broadcasters; and
- Whereas, Van is retiring on January 8, 2021 after 50 years of radio broadcasting.


Now, therefore, I, James F. Peters, Mayor of the City of Adel, Iowa, consider it an honor and privilege to hereby declare Friday, January 8, 2021 as

Van Harden Day

in the City of Adel, Iowa.



In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the City of Adel to be affixed. Done on the 8th day of January, 2021.


James F. Peters, Mayor

Attest:


Brittany Sandquist, Deputy City Clerk