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To: Mayor; Clerk's Department

Cc: Deb Franco

Subject: Richard "Rippy" Philipps Field at Crossways

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Dear Mayor, Clerk and Scarsdale Village Trustees:

I write this letter with great pleasure to encourage you all to name the Crossway Field after Richard "Rippy" Philips. I have known Rippy for over 14 years as my son has gone through the Scarsdale football program. I have spent much time with Rippy when I coached Scarsdale Youth Football as well and have had so many great experiences with Rippy that I would encourage you all to name the field after him.

Rippy is not just part of Scarsdale Football, he is the embodiment of the character we would all hope to see in our children and in our community. He has done so much for so many people in this town. Rippy is one of the rare people in this world that sticks his neck out for everyone in his life. This town is his family. The Football program and other programs would be fractional of what they are today, without his input, effort, time and money. Rippy does so much that people do not see and it is not limited to Football. On behalf of the 7 Francos of Scarsdale, we urge you to make this to happen. We are grateful in advance of the outcome and hope you see the value and merit of decades of selfless service to our community. (I cannot think of anyone who deserves this more than Rippy).

Respectfully submitted.

Best Regards,

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