Michigan Representative Michael McCready Named OCC’s Outstanding Alumnus for 2013

Bloomfield Hills resident and Michigan House Representative Michael McCready has been named Oakland Community College’s Outstanding Alumnus for 2013. The honor will be bestowed at the college’s annual commencement exercises at the Palace of Auburn Hills on Saturday, May 18.

Mr. McCready represents the 40th House District comprising Birmingham, Bloomfield Township and a portion of West Bloomfield Township. He was elected to the Michigan House of Representatives in November 2012.

He is a member of the House Appropriations Committee, Chair of the Appropriations Committee on the Michigan State Police and Vice Chair of the Appropriations Subcommittee for the Department of Human Services. He is also a member of the House Transportation and House Capitol committees.

Mr. McCready graduated from Birmingham’s Seaholm High School and attended Oakland Community College from fall, 1978 to fall, 1981. He then transferred to Western Michigan University where he earned his bachelor’s degree in Communications and Business Administration.

He is the principal owner of McCready & Associates, a small business located in Birmingham representing commercial furniture manufacturers in Michigan since 1981. Prior to his election to the Michigan House he served on the Bloomfield Hills City Commission, holding many leadership roles including Mayor, Mayor Pro Tem, Chair of the Zoning Board and member of both the Planning Commission and the Library Board.

Mr. McCready and his wife, Yvonne, are the parents of two daughters.

With five campuses located throughout Oakland County, OCC is Michigan’s largest community college and the 23rd largest in the nation. OCC offers degrees and certificates in more than 160 fields, including university transfer degrees in business, science and the liberal arts. Approximately 76,000 undergraduates attend OCC annually.