

DAVID BENNETT - (PHS 1946)

David Bennett was a philanthropist, District Attorney, University of Wisconsin Regent, real estate developer, personal attorney and advocate for Boys Scouts throughout Wisconsin.

Mr. Bennett can be credited with the location of our current High School after David donated the valuable land needed for East Collins Street to be built.

He served as Columbia County's district attorney from 1959 to 1967 and as a UW System Regent during our state's largest expansion from 1965 to 1971.

As a land developer, David Bennett built complexes in Portage, Baraboo and Reedsburg. He also had a profound impact on Wisconsin's Boy Scouts with his involvement with the scouting facility at Castle Rock.