



**Philip Amicone
Inducted 2005**

When Phil Amicone was sworn in as the forty-first Mayor of the city of Yonkers on January 1, 2004, it was the culmination of a long career in public service.

After graduating from Stepinac in 1967, Phil earned a degree in civil engineering from Manhattan College. He then worked for the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, and spent eight years in the clean water program of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. In 1981, he became Deputy Commissioner of Building for the City of White Plains, rising to the position of Commissioner seven years later. His tenure there spanned the building of the Galleria and Westchester Malls, and the downtown business district.

In 1996 he joined the government of Yonkers-his home town and the fourth largest city in New York State-as Deputy Mayor. In that capacity, he oversaw the day-to-day operations of the city for eight years, and has been actively involved in all phases of the city's burgeoning \$1 billion of development, including the resurgence of the downtown waterfront. Phil holds a Professional Engineer's license and a master's degree in civil engineering from New York University.

He and his wife, Kay, live in northwest Yonkers, where they raised their three sons. They have happily watched their family grow to include their son Joe and his wife, Bridget; their son Brendan (who taught English at Stepinac from Sept. 1998 to June 2000), his wife Kristan and their soon to-be-one-year-old daughter Julia; and their son Matthew, a 1998 graduate of Stepinac.

Phil has served in civic, school and scouting organizations, and spent many enjoyable years coaching youth baseball. Besides his family and his city, his loves include the New York Yankees and golf. Phil is grateful to Stepinac for what it has done for him and his family, and for the honor of induction into its Hall of Fame.