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### RETIREMENT RECEPTION PLANNED FOR DR. ROBISON

SALTILLO, Miss. – Saltillo Medical Clinic and North Mississippi Medical Clinics will host a reception honoring R.B. Robison, M.D., and his 52 years of service to the community on Oct. 17.

The reception, planned for 2-4 p.m., will be held in the Saltillo City Hall banquet hall, 395 Mobile St.

Robison has spent 52 of his 56 years as a physician practicing medicine in Saltillo. He was in private practice at Saltillo Clinic from 1958 until 1990. Robison's clinic was one of the original clinics to join North Mississippi Medical Clinics, an affiliate of North Mississippi Medical Center. The regional network has grown to include more than 30 clinics in north Mississippi and northwest Alabama since its inception in 1990.

"Dr. Robison was a pioneer in the establishment of our clinic system," said David Barber, president of North Mississippi Medical Clinics. "This new arrangement was appealing to him and other physicians because it enabled them to devote more time to their patients while North Mississippi Medical Clinics managed the business side of their practice."

Another plus was the new arrangement helped ensure the community would have access to additional physicians through physician recruitment efforts. "Several physicians have worked at the clinic alongside Dr. Robison over the last 15 years. The newest addition is Dr. Richmond McCarty, a native of Tupelo who joined Saltillo Medical Clinic in this summer," Barber said.

A native of Tupelo, Dr. Robison is a graduate of Mississippi State University. He completed his medical studies at the University of Tennessee College of Medicine, his internship at Mobile County Hospital in Mobile, Ala., and two years orthopedic service through the U.S. Army at Fort Benning, Ga. He opened Saltillo Clinic and joined North Mississippi Medical Center's medical staff on Jan 1, 1958.

Dr. Robison and his wife Nancy reside in Belden. They are the parents of six children, R. B. Robison Jr., R. Andrew Robison, Stacy Price, Kim Lannom and Wendy Morrow, and the late Anita White.

Through the years, his favorite past-times have been playing golf, farming and real estate.

Barber recalls, “Early in my career here, I remember something Dr. Robison said to me, ‘If you listen to the patients, they will tell you what’s wrong.’ Simple words from a man who is known far and wide for his diagnostic skills. Thousands of patients have relied upon Dr. Robison for so many years, and we will all miss him greatly.”

Saltillo Medical Clinic is located at 353 Mobile St. Appointments with Dr. McCarty are available by calling (662) 869-2122 or 1-800-THE DESK (1-800-843-3375).