State of North Carolina

PAT McCORRY
GOVERNOR

MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY

2016

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the members of our Military Armed Forces - including the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard and National Guard and Reserves - are essential to the safety, security and protection of our freedoms not only in the Great State of North Carolina but also the United States of America and around the world; and

WHEREAS, the members of our Military Armed Forces, their spouses and family members sacrifice daily in their service to our country; and

WHEREAS, the members of our Military Armed Forces, their spouses and family members are vital to North Carolina’s workforce, economy and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina commends the mission of Militaryappreciationday.org and is honored to be the home of the first MAD Chapter, Morehead City; as well as home to a second chapter in Southport; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina salutes all military personnel and commends the many volunteers who take active duty troops out for a day of inshore or offshore fishing, followed by a cookout for friends and families;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAT McCORRY, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim June 4, 2016, as “MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY” in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh this tenth day of May in the year of our Lord two thousand and sixteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and fortieth.

[Signature]
PAT McCORRY
Governor