



Legislation Text

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TITLE

PROCLAIM MARCH 29, 2024 AS VIETNAM VETERANS DAY IN GUILFORD COUNTY

SPONSOR

Commissioner Pat Tillman

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, as we observe the anniversary of the Vietnam War, we pay tribute to the over three million servicemen and women who fought heroically to protect our country and upheld the highest traditions of our Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, as a grateful nation, we honor more than 58,000 patriots who sacrificed their lives and draw inspiration from the heroes who returned home, carrying scars seen and unseen. We pledge, as a nation, to bring home over 1,600 service members still counted as missing and extend appreciation to our veterans and military family members who have and continue to serve this country with valor; and

WHEREAS, on March 29, 2024, Guilford County will unite with other local governments, private organizations and communities across the United States to commemorate the anniversary of the Vietnam War and honor the proud service members who led this country through one of its most challenging times; and

WHEREAS, Guilford County reminds its citizens that it is never too late to pay tribute to the men, women and their families who answered the call to duty during the Vietnam War and honor them with our respect and support.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Guilford County Board of Commissioners proclaims March 29, 2024 as Vietnam Veterans Day and extends its sincerest appreciation to those who served, and their families, and encourages citizens to participate in appropriate programs, ceremonies and activities honoring this day.

ADOPTED this the 21st day of March, 2024.

REQUESTED ACTION

Proclaim March 29, 2024 as Vietnam Veterans Day in Guilford County.

