



WHEREAS, the Economic Development Commission of Gaston County has partnered with community and workforce partners to facilitate Gaston County's 8th annual Manufacturing Week which coincides with the National Manufacturing Day on October 4th; and,

WHEREAS, the 8th annual Gaston County Manufacturing Week is scheduled for September 30 - October 4, 2024 and will have daily events that will include manufacturers throughout the County; and,

WHEREAS, one objective of Manufacturing Week is to highlight the importance of advanced manufacturing in our national and local economy and to draw attention to the many rewarding high-skilled advanced manufacturing jobs; and,

WHEREAS, Gaston County manufacturing companies add to the vitality and economic prosperity of our community through employee wages and purchase of goods and supplies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Gaston County Board of Commissioners hereby proclaim September 30 - October 4, 2024, as

MANUFACTURING WEEK

in Gaston County which coincides with the National Manufacturing Day on October 4th.

Chad Brown, Chairman

Cathy Cloninger

Kim Johnson

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Bob Hovis, Vice-Chairman

Ronald E. Worley

To be Adopted the 27th Day of August 2024