



WHEREAS, the care and safety of our community's pets and other animals is paramount; and,

WHEREAS, when an animal is in need, the prompt and caring response of dedicated Animal Care and Enforcement personnel is vital; and,

WHEREAS, the safety of our pets is dependent upon the quality and professionalism of our personnel, who are often the first and most critical contact citizens have with Animal Care and Enforcement services; and,

WHEREAS, Animal Care and Enforcement personnel provide our County with the proper care, control, and treatment for lost pets, other animals in need, and animals presenting a risk to the community; and,

WHEREAS, our Animal Care and Enforcement personnel have exhibited compassion, understanding, and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Gaston County Board of Commissioners proclaims April 11 – 17, 2021 as

## **ANIMAL CARE AND ENFORCEMENT APPRECIATION WEEK**

in Gaston County in honor of the diligence and professionalism Animal Care and Enforcement personnel have demonstrated in the care and custody of our community's pets and other animals.

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Kim Johnson

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To be Adopted the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of April 2021