

Mecklenburg County

North Carolina

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Harding University High School Rams football team, led by Coach Sam Greiner, exemplifies exceptional sportsmanship, talent, and hardworking athletes; and

WHEREAS, the football team's drive and perseverance through adversities led them to earn a championship title and school recognition on the national, state and local levels; and

WHEREAS, on December 9th, 2017 the Harding University High School Rams defeated Scotland County 30 – 22 in the 4A title game to win their first state championship since 1953; and

WHEREAS, the Harding University High School Rams ended their season with an undefeated 6-0 record in their conference and a 14-1 overall season record; and

WHEREAS, the Harding University High School Rams are recognized for its completion of a successful season with a state championship title and a promising future of many more to come.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners do, hereby, congratulate the Harding University High School football team located in District 2, under the leadership of Principal Eric Ward and Coach Sam Greiner, on its outstanding achievement and hereby proclaims January 22 – 26, 2018 as

“HARDING UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL WEEK”

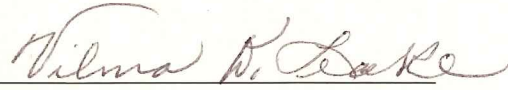
in Mecklenburg County and encourage all citizens to join us in this special observance.

This the 17th day of January 2018



Ella B. Scarborough, Chair
Mecklenburg Board of
County Commissioners





Vilma D. Leake, Commissioner
District 2
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WHEREAS, junior Quavaris Crouch led the Harding University High School football team to its first state championship in 64 years on December 9th, 2017 by running 23 times for 141 yards and two touchdowns even though he was injured; and

WHEREAS, Quavaris Crouch was named championship Most Valuable Player; and

WHEREAS, Quavaris Crouch ended the season with 3,283 yards and 33 touchdowns, and 48 tackles and 14 sacks on defense; and

WHEREAS, Quavaris Crouch was named North Carolina Gatorade Player of the Year, and was a prospect for Gatorade's national player of the year award; and

WHEREAS, Quavaris Crouch was elevated to a five-star recruit by Rival.com and Rivals now ranks him as the Number 2 overall prospect in America for the class of 2019; and

WHEREAS, Quavaris Crouch carries an impressive 3.31 grade-point average; and

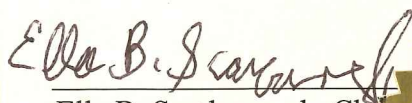
WHEREAS, Quavaris Crouch is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, a devoted member of his church and a peer mentor at Harding University High School.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners do, hereby, congratulates Quavaris Crouch on his accomplishments as an athlete and a scholar. We wish him continued success in all his endeavors and hereby proclaims January 18, 2018 as

"QUAVARIS CROUCH DAY"

in Mecklenburg County and encourage all citizens to join us in recognizing this gifted young man.

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