

# Mecklenburg County

## North Carolina

# Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, Independence High School basketball team, led by Coach Preston Davis exemplifies hard work, dedication, talent and exceptional team chemistry; and

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

**WHEREAS**, on March 10, 2018, the Independence High School Patriots defeated Wake Forest Heritage 71 – 60 in the 4A title game to win their first NCHSAA 4A state title championship since 1997; and

**WHEREAS**, the Independence High School Patriots ended their season with an impressive undefeated 14-0 record in their conference and a 31-1 overall season record which included 22 straight wins; and

**WHEREAS**, the parents of the team members, faculty and student body at Independence High School are recognized for their unwavering support; and

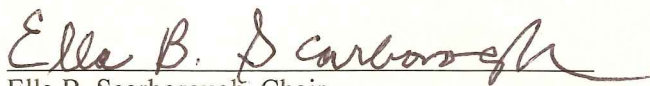
**WHEREAS**, the Independence High School basketball team completed a successful season with a state championship title and a promising future of many more to come.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners does, hereby, congratulate the Independence High School basketball team, under the leadership of Principal David Legrand and Coach Davis, on its outstanding accomplishment and hereby proclaims April 23 – 27, 2018 as

### “INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL WEEK”

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

This 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 2018



Ella B. Scarborough, Chair  
Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners

