REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: February 17, 2016

SUBJECT: Proclamation – Women in Construction Week

PRESENTER: Amy Brantley

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

1.) Proclamation

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Board of Commissioners has been requested by the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC) Chapter 154, to proclaim March 6-12, 2016 as Women in Construction Week in Henderson County. This Proclamation coincides with the NAWIC Week celebration. The focus of the week is to highlight women as a visible component of the construction industry, and to allow local chapters to give back to their communities.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to adopt the attached Proclamation as presented.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move that the Board adopt the attached Proclamation as presented.

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PROCLAMATION 2016 WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK

- **WHEREAS,** The National Association of Women in Construction Asheville Chapter #154 has distinguished itself for 48 years as the voice of women in construction in Western North Carolina; and
- **WHEREAS,** the work done by Chapter 154 has benefited Western North Carolina through community development and educational programs; and
- **WHEREAS,** Chapter 154 has unceasingly promoted the employment and advance of women in the construction industry; and
- **WHEREAS**, the construction community has been a driving force in fostering community development through renovation and beautification projects; promotion of skilled trade careers; and a positive vision of the future;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Henderson County Board of Commissioners do hereby designate the week of March 6-12, 2016 as "Women in Construction Week", and thank the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC) for their contribution to the construction industry.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the County of Henderson to be affixed.

Adopted this the 17th day of February, 2016.

| | CHARLES MESSER, VICE-CHAIRMAN |
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| ΓERESA L. WILSON, CLERK TO THE BOARD | |