

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

**HENDERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

MEETING DATE: May 17, 2017

SUBJECT: Resolution in Recognition and Appreciation of Distinguished Service by Dr. Molly A. Parkhill

PRESENTER: Chairman J. Michael Edney

ATTACHMENTS: Yes
1.) Resolution

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Henderson County Board of Commissioners is requested to adopt the attached Resolution in Recognition and Appreciation of Distinguished Service by Dr. Molly A. Parkhill, President, Blue Ridge Community College. She has served the citizens of Henderson County as an educator, community volunteer and mentor to many.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

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

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move that the Board adopt the attached Resolution in Recognition and Appreciation of the Distinguished Service of Dr. Molly A. Parkhill.

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RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE BY DR. MOLLY A. PARKHILL

- WHEREAS,** Dr. Molly A. Parkhill is president of Blue Ridge Community College; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Parkhill is an educator, community volunteer, advocate for higher education and a mentor to many citizens of Henderson County; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Parkhill has been a steadfast supporter of workforce and economic development in Henderson County and has been a key player in providing Henderson County with a well-educated and well-trained workforce; and
- WHEREAS,** under Dr. Parkhill's leadership, Blue Ridge Community College has been consistently recognized, across the state and the nation, for its innovation and exceptional performance; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Parkhill has been influential in the establishment of various community partnerships including the Health Sciences Center and the Innovative High School; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Parkhill served Henderson County through volunteerism with the Kiwanis Club of Hendersonville, United Way of Henderson County, Henderson County Chamber of Commerce, YMCA and Pardee Hospital; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Parkhill is rightfully honored on this day for her service to the people of Henderson County as president of Blue Ridge Community College and for her achievements as a citizen of her community, she is hereby commended and celebrated as she begins a new chapter of her life;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Henderson County Board of Commissioners hereby express their sincere appreciation for Dr. Molly A. Parkhill's service to Henderson County and Blue Ridge Community College, its students, its faculty and staff. The Board wishes her much success and best wishes as she takes on new and exciting endeavors.

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 May 2017.

J. MICHAEL EDNEY, CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

TERESA L. WILSON, CLERK TO THE BOARD