REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: September 3, 2024

SUBJECT: Proclamation - 2024 Constitution Week

PRESENTER: Karen Newhall – Constitution Week Chairperson

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

1. Proclamation

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

September 15, 2024 marks the two hundred and thirty-seventh anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention. Henderson County asks our citizens to reaffirm the ideals the Framers of the Constitution had in 1787.

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 designating September 15, 2024 to September 21, 2024 as Constitution Week in Henderson County. I further move the Board approve placement of a banner in recognition of Constitution Week at the Historic Courthouse from September 15 – 24, 2024.

Henderson County Board of Commissioners

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PROCLAMATION ACKNOWLEDGING SEPTEMBER 15-21, 2024 AS CONSTITUTION WEEK

- **WHEREAS,** September 17, 2024 marks the two hundred and thirty-seventh anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and
- WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper to officially recognize this magnificent document and the anniversary of its creation; and
- **WHEREAS**, it is fitting and proper to officially recognize the patriotic celebrations which will commemorate the occasion; and
- WHEREAS, Public Law #915 guarantees the issuing of a proclamation each year by the President of the United States of America designating September 15 through 21 as constitution week:

NOW, THEREFORE, Commissioners of Henderson County of the state of North Carolina do hereby proclaim September 15 through 21, 2024 to be Constitution Week in Henderson County and ask our citizens to reaffirm the ideals the Framers of the Constitution had in 1787.

Adopted this 3rd day of September 2024.	
	REBECCA McCall, Chairman Henderson County Board of Commissioners
ATTEST:	

DENISA A. LAUFFER, CLERK TO THE BOARD