

## WAKE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PROCLAMATION Recognizing April as National County Government Month

**WHEREAS**, the nation's 3,069 counties serving more than 330 million Americans provide essential services to create healthy, safe and vibrant communities; and

**WHEREAS**, counties fulfill a vast range of responsibilities and deliver services that touch nearly every aspect of our residents' lives; and

**WHEREAS**, counties as intergovernmental partners enact local, state and federal programs to address the needs of all residents; and

**WHEREAS,** Wake County and all counties take pride in our responsibility to protect and enhance the health, wellbeing and safety of our residents in efficient and cost-effective ways; and

**WHEREAS,** each year since 1991 the National Association of Counties has encouraged counties across the country to elevate awareness of county responsibilities, programs and services.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Wake County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim April 2025, as **NATIONAL COUNTY GOVERNMENT MONTH**, and encourages all county officials, employees, schools and residents to participate in county government recognition and celebration activities.

**ADOPTED** this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 2025.

Susan P. Evans, Chair Wake County Board of Commissioners