<u>Item Title:</u> Proclamation Recognizing National Recovery Month

Specific Action Requested:

That the Board of Commissioners proclaim September as National Recovery Month in Wake County.

Item Summary:

Annually, September is recognized as National Recovery Month. Throughout the month, thousands of prevention and treatment programs and services around the Country seek to educate Americans on the benefits of prevention, treatment and recovery for substance use and mental disorders. National Recovery Month sends the message that behavioral health is essential to overall health, prevention works, treatment is effective, and people can and do recover from addiction.

Attachments:

- 1. Proclamation
- 2. SAMSHA Behavioral Health Conditions in the United States