



## **RESOLUTION IN RECOGNITION OF THE RETIREMENT OF DR. STEPHEN C. SCOTT**

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Stephen C. Scott has dedicated more than 40 years in service to community colleges; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Scott served as President of Southeastern Community College in Whiteville from 1988 to 1999, Executive Vice-President and Chief Operating Officer of the North Carolina Community College System from 1999 to 2002, and President of Lenoir Community College in Kinston from 2002 to 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, On October 15, 2003, Dr. Scott became the third President of Wake Technical Community College in its 50-year history; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2008, Dr. Scott was named President of the Year by the N.C. Board of Community Colleges, received the I.E. Ready award from the N.C. State University Department of Higher Education in 2009, the 2009 Business Leader of the Year Award from Business Leader Magazine, and awarded the 2013 Pacesetter of the Year Award from the National Council on Marketing and Public Relations; and

**WHEREAS**, Wake Technical Community College became the largest of North Carolina's 58 community colleges under his leadership, consistently ranked among the fastest-growing community colleges in the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Scott will retire on August 31, 2018, as President of Wake Technical Community College after 15 years of service; and

**WHEREAS**, the citizens of Wake County are grateful to Dr. Scott for his dedication to education and leadership development for the faculty, staff, and students.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Wake County Board of Commissioners encourages the citizens of Wake County to join with us as we extend sincere appreciation to Dr. Scott for his commitment to education and wish him happiness in his future endeavors.

**ADOPTED** this 23rd day of July 2018.

---

**Jessica Holmes, Chair**  
**Wake County Board of Commissioners**