

PROCLAMATION OUR COMMUNITY SALUTES

- **WHEREAS,** serving the citizens, community, and the United States of America as a member of a military service is one of our country's highest callings; and
- **WHEREAS,** serving in the military requires the demonstration of positive attributes such as commitment, integrity, dedication, sacrifice, and patriotism; and
- **WHEREAS,** serving in the military enables individuals to learn lifelong professional and personal skills and to develop expertise that is beneficial to the community and society at large; and
- **WHEREAS,** each year young men and women of our community, with hopeful reassurance from their families, enlist into the Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, and the respective Reserve and National Guard forces.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that we, the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors, celebrate, salute, and support those graduating seniors and other young men and women who have chosen to enter military service; and
- **BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED** that we, the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors, express our gratitude to such young recruits for their future service to our great nation.

Signed this 3rd day of May 2023.

Donna Price, Chair Albemarle Board of County Supervisors