

Proclamation Recognizing Veterans Day

- **WHEREAS**, throughout our Nation's history, the United States of America has called on its citizens in uniform to serve and protect our national security; and
- **WHEREAS**, at home and abroad, generations of American patriots have defended the freedoms and American values of equality, democracy and justice for all; and
- **WHEREAS,** November 11, 2023, marks the 85th anniversary of Veterans Day being recognized as a national holiday. On this day (and every day), we remember the millions of patriots who have served and sacrificed for the betterment of our nation; and
- **WHEREAS**, many veterans continue to serve their country in public schools and government as public officials, teachers, police officers, fire rescue, and other professions providing services to all community members; and
- **WHEREAS**, with a profound debt of gratitude, we recognize the veterans employed by Albemarle County Public Schools and Local Government for their continued service.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED,** that we, the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors, do hereby recognize November 11, 2023, as Veterans Day and celebrate all who have served our country around the world and continue to serve as veterans employed by Albemarle County local government and public schools.

Signed this 1st day of November 2023.

Donna Price, Chair Albemarle Board of County Supervisors