

# State of North Carolina

## **ROY COOPER**

**GOVERNOR** 

#### NATIONAL PEST MANAGEMENT MONTH

2017

### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

#### **A PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, effective pest management in homes, businesses, and public places throughout North Carolina is an important factor in maintaining the health and well-being of all North Carolina residents; and,

WHEREAS, pest management professionals help protect our food supply, homes, and the environment from disease and pest-related illness; and

WHEREAS, pest management professionals can offer citizens sound advice on protecting their health and property from pests, providing an array of information ranging from how to combat childhood respiratory problems caused by cockroach allergens to the best practice for guarding against termite infestations in the home; and,

WHEREAS, it is important to offer all residents of North Carolina an opportunity to understand and appreciate the important role that pest management providers play in ensuring the health and well-being of all North Carolinians;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim April, 2017, as "NATIONAL PEST MANAGEMENT MONTH" in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



Roy Cooper Governor

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh this fourth day of April in the year of our Lord two-thousand and seventeen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-first.