

State of North Carolina

ROY COOPER
GOVERNOR

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE WEEK

2017

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Marine Corps League was founded by Commandant Major General John A. Lejeune in 1923 and was chartered by an Act of Congress on August 4, 1937; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Marine Corps League join in camaraderie and fellowship for the purpose of preserving the traditions and promoting the interests of the United States Marine Corps; and

WHEREAS, this is accomplished by banding together those who are now serving in the United States Marine Corps and those who have been honorably discharged from the service, voluntarily aiding and rendering assistance to all Marines and former Marines, to their widows and orphans, and to their communities; and

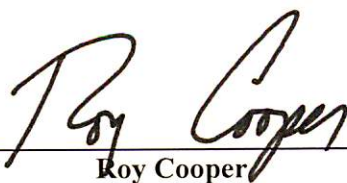
WHEREAS, in 2017 the North Carolina Marine Corps League is celebrating its 47th Anniversary of serving Marines and communities across our state; and

WHEREAS, the Marine Corps League is a great asset to the State and we are grateful for the selfless acts of charity and service they provide to Raleigh and throughout North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina encourages all citizens to join in commending the members of the Marine Corps League for the differences they make in all our communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim June 18 – 24, 2017, as “**MARINE CORPS LEAGUE WEEK**” 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 twelfth day of June 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.