

State of North Carolina

ROY COOPER
GOVERNOR

TOASTMASTERS WEEKEND

2017

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International, was founded in 1924 as a way for young people to improve their public speaking skills; and

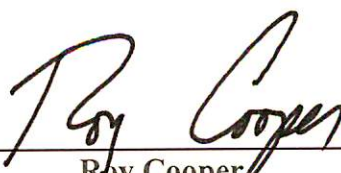
WHEREAS, Toastmasters International has grown to more than 345,000 members in more than 15,900 clubs in 142 countries; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina has more than 200 Toastmasters clubs with more than 4,000 members; and

WHEREAS, Toastmasters members use the communication and leadership skills they develop through Toastmasters to better serve their employers, families, churches, and communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim May 5 – 7, 2017, as “**TOASTMASTERS WEEKEND**” 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 twenty-seventh 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.