



# **GOVERNOR**

## IN RECOGNITION OF THE 75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY

## **CENTER OF GASTON COLLEGE**

#### 2018

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

### A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Textile Technology Center of Gaston College has been an integral part of the North Carolina textile industry since it was created as the North Carolina Vocational Textile School in 1941 and began offering related classes in 1943; and

WHEREAS, during the 1991 Session of the North Carolina General Assembly, the school was renamed the North Carolina Center for Applied Textile Technology and was made the 59<sup>th</sup> institution in the North Carolina Community College System; and

WHEREAS, the Center plays a significant role in helping the textile industry remain competitive, manufacture quality products, and maintain a well-trained workforce in our region; and

WHEREAS, the Textile Technology Center has flourished under the auspices of Gaston College since 2005; and

WHEREAS, the faculty, staff, and students of the Textile Technology Center remain committed to fulfilling the Center's mission to serve the resurgent and vibrant textile industry in North Carolina with modern and advanced solutions and continued excellence; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina joins in celebrating the extraordinary contributions of the Textile Technology Center of Gaston College to our state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim November 8, 2018, "IN RECOGNITION OF THE 75<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY CENTER OF GASTON COLLEGE" in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



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-sixth day of October in the year of our Lord two thousand and eighteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-second.