



# State of North Carolina

**ROY COOPER**  
GOVERNOR

**IN RECOGNITION OF THE 40<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE VALLE COUNTRY FAIR**

**2018**

**BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**

## **A PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, the Valle Crucis Fair was founded in 1978 by members of the Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Valle Crucis and held on the grounds of the Apple Barn at the Valle Crucis Conference Center; and

**WHEREAS**, now celebrating its 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary, the Valle Country Fair continues to contribute to the financial and cultural development of the communities of Watauga and Avery Counties; and

**WHEREAS**, the event attracts thousands of visitors from across North Carolina and surrounding states; the net proceeds of the one-day fair are donated to local charities, non-profit and civic organizations, and emergency management officials that participate and volunteer their services to support its success; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of North Carolina commends the countless volunteers, organizations, and contributors who have worked to support the Valle Country Fair, and joins in celebrating this event's 40 years of service to the community and our state;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 20, 2018, as a day "**IN RECOGNITION OF THE 40<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE VALLE COUNTRY FAIR**" in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



  
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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 seventeenth 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.