

# State of North Carolina

**ROY COOPER**  
GOVERNOR

**CAMPAIGN NONVIOLENCE NC WEEK**

**2020**

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

**A PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, Campaign Nonviolence (CNV) NC Week is being promoted as part of a national long-term movement to build relationships and foster a culture of peace free from racism, poverty, war, environmental destruction, and violence; and

**WHEREAS**, the practice of nonviolence toward ourselves, others, and the world begins with awareness, education, and action; and

**WHEREAS**, this year CNV NC will focus on environmental justice and advocating for the earth in *Lift Your Voice and Your Vote for the Planet*; and

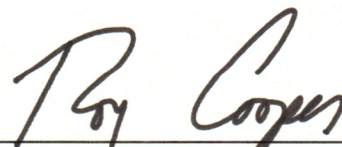
**WHEREAS**, nonviolence can be promoted through the collaboration of local faiths, community organizations, and other partners actively working to promote nonviolence and peacemaking; and

**WHEREAS**, the United Nations International Day of Peace is observed during this week along with vigils, prayers, and other events; and

**WHEREAS**, the ultimate goal of Campaign Nonviolence NC is to include all people across our state as part of a movement to build communities that contribute to building a more just, peaceful, and nonviolent world;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim September 19 – 26, 2020, as “**CAMPAIGN NONVIOLENCE NC WEEK**” 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 eleventh day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-fifth.