



ROY COOPER

GOVERNOR

IN RECOGNITION OF THE 2021 NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY'S WOMEN'S CROSS **COUNTRY TEAM**

2022

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the North Carolina State University's Women's Cross Country team has contributed greatly to our state's reputation of excellence in sports; and

WHEREAS, on November 20, 2021, the team traveled to Tallahassee, Florida to secure the win with 84 points over second-place Brigham Young; and

WHEREAS, the top-ranked Wolfpack won the university's first NCAA team title in any sport since 1983: and

WHEREAS, all five of the North Carolina State University's Women's Cross Country team's scoring runners were named All-Americans; and

WHEREAS, Coach Laurie Henes was named United States Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association National Women's Cross Country Coach of the Year as well as ACC Cross Country Coach of the Year for the sixth-straight year; and

WHEREAS, Kelsey Chmiel was named 2021 ACC Cross Country Performer of the Year; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina is proud to recognize this extraordinary team and wish them continued success;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim November 2, 2022, as a day "IN RECOGNITION OF THE 2021 NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY'S WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY TEAM" in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



Roy Coope

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 second day of November in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-two and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-seventh.