

State of Morth Carolina

ROY COOPER

GOVERNOR

LIFE INSURANCE AWARENESS MONTH

2021

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, life insurance provides financial security to families who suffer loss by helping surviving family members meet immediate, ongoing, and future obligations; and

WHEREAS, 90 million American families depend on life insurers' products to protect their financial and retirement security; and

WHEREAS, life insurers pay out \$44.8 million to North Carolina families and businesses every day; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina residents own 5.3 million individual life insurance policies, with coverage averaging \$120,000 per policyholder; and

WHEREAS, life insurance companies invest approximately \$164 billion in the North Carolina economy with 422 life insurers licensed to do business in the state, generating approximately 61,800 jobs; and

WHEREAS, the American Council of Life Insurers (ACLI) desires to make consumers more aware of their life insurance needs and the resources available for professional advice;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim September, 2021, as "LIFE INSURANCE AWARENESS MONTH" 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 third day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-one and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-sixth.