



State of North Carolina

ROY COOPER
GOVERNOR

PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS REMEMBRANCE DAY

2021

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, October 15, 2021 has been designated in honor of Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day in North Carolina to bring awareness to the thousands of families affected by pregnancy and infant loss in North Carolina every year; and

WHEREAS, Pregnancy and Infant Loss includes infant death, miscarriage, stillbirth, sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS), and death of a newborn; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina wishes to acknowledge the profound, lifelong grief and loss these families experience; and

WHEREAS, today we honor and remember the lives of children gone too soon and the devastating impact their loss leaves on their families and loved ones whose lives are forever altered; and

WHEREAS, raising public awareness will encourage additional community support for those individuals that have suffered such an unexpected tragedy and promote necessary efforts to prevent further pregnancy and infant loss;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 15, 2021, as “**PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS REMEMBRANCE DAY**” 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 thirteenth day of October 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.