



# State of North Carolina

**ROY COOPER**  
GOVERNOR

**PUBLIC TRANSIT OPERATIONS APPRECIATION DAY**

**2022**

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

**A PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, public transit operators and operations staff, including our North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) Ferry Division, are skilled workers who provide frontline services and are committed to delivering safe, reliable, and sustainable transportation to residents of North Carolina; and

**WHEREAS**, public transit operators fill an important role in our community to serve riders who depend on transit to and from work and school, medical appointments, grocery stores, recreation, entertainment, tourism, and other destinations and essential services; and

**WHEREAS**, public transit operators frequently go above and beyond the call of duty, working long hours and safely operating our transit system in rain, snow, extreme heat, and during a global pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, public transit operators exercise patience, empathy, humor, and understanding while acting as leaders and role models for each other, their communities, and the residents they serve; and

**WHEREAS**, public transit operators, mechanics, dispatchers, ferry team members, and other operations staff support North Carolina's environmental goals of reducing the number of vehicles on the road and minimizing greenhouse gas emissions to provide opportunities for equitable growth, health, and prosperity;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim March 18, 2022, as "**PUBLIC TRANSIT OPERATIONS APPRECIATION DAY**" 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 March 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-sixth.