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# Proclamation of the Chatham County Board of Commissioners

## HONORING LAW DAY ON MAY 1, 2024

**WHEREAS**, the rule of law is the cornerstone of a just and orderly society, ensuring that rights are protected, conflicts are resolved, and justice is upheld; and

**WHEREAS**, Law Day is a time-honored tradition in the United States, established by President Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1958, to celebrate the role of law in our society and to cultivate a deeper understanding of the legal principles that shape our nation; and

**WHEREAS**, the theme for Law Day 2024, “Voices of Democracy” recognizes that in democracies, the people rule, for nearly 250 years, Americans have expressed their political views and wishes by speaking their minds and voting in elections, in 2024, the United States will hold its 60th presidential election, and Americans will address fundamental questions about democracy and the rule of law; and

**WHEREAS**, Chatham County, North Carolina, is committed to promoting awareness of the law and its impact on our daily lives, fostering a culture of respect for the legal system, and ensuring that justice is accessible to all residents; and

**WHEREAS**, we commend the efforts of legal professionals, educators, and community leaders who work tirelessly to uphold the principles of justice, safeguard our rights, and promote the rule of law.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, let it be proclaimed that the Chatham County Board of Commissioners do hereby recognize and honor Law Day, May 1st, 2024, as a time to reflect on the significance of the rule of law and its contributions to the well-being of our community.

Adopted, this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April.

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Mike Dasher, Chair  
Chatham County Board of Commissioners

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Jenifer K. Johnson, MMC, Clerk to the Board  
Chatham County Board of Commissioners