

CHATHAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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Established 1771 Resolution of the Chatham County Board of Commissioners Proclaiming September 2019 as Senior Center Month

WHEREAS, Chatham County wishes to join with other communities across the United States in recognizing September as Senior Center Month; and

WHEREAS, the 2019 national theme for this special month is *Senior Centers: The Key to Aging Well*; and

WHEREAS, while 'aging well' can mean different things to different people, senior centers hold the key to enhancing varied experiences and meeting varied needs and interests that are fundamental to aging well; and

WHEREAS, Chatham County has much to celebrate with its two Senior Centers—the Eastern Center in Pittsboro and the Western Center in Siler City—both of which are State-certified "Senior Centers of Excellence;" and

WHEREAS, the Eastern and Western Centers are an integral part of all the many services and programs that the Chatham County Council on Aging offers for seniors, their families and the general community, including Falls Prevention Awareness Day activities on September 25th.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Chatham County Board of County Commissioners that September 2019 is proclaimed Senior Center Month and calls upon the people of Chatham County to observe the month by supporting the work of the Council on Aging and its centers throughout the year in its service to Chatham's growing population of older adults.

Adopted, this the _____day of ______.

Mike Dasher, Chairman Chatham County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Lindsay K. Ray, NCCCC, Clerk to the Board Chatham County Board of Commissioners