



Proclamation

WHEREAS, the annual meeting of the North Carolina Society District II Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at Saint Mark's Episcopal Church in Gastonia on July 29, 2017 and hosted by the Peter Smith Chapter which is chartered in the City of Gastonia; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Society District II is comprised of 13 chapters located in Avery, Catawba, Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln, Watauga and Wilkes Counties representing over 600 Daughters; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Society District II Director Elizabeth Snuggs McAteer, who is a member of the Major William Chronicle Chapter and resident of the City of Gastonia, will be presiding at this meeting; and

WHEREAS, more than 70 Daughters are expected to travel to Gastonia for this meeting including North Carolina State Regent Elizabeth Chandler Graham of Asheville and North Carolina State Vice Regent Carole Nunalee Weiss of Wilmington; and

WHEREAS, the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution was founded in 1890, is committed to promoting historic preservation, education, and patriotism, and gives millions of hours annually in volunteer service to America.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that, I, John D. Bridgeman, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gastonia in the State of North Carolina do hereby declare:

JULY 29, 2017

AS

**NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY DISTRICT II
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
DAY**

and ask our citizens to join likewise in welcoming the North Carolina Society District II Daughters of the American Revolution to the City of Gastonia.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of Gastonia to be affixed this the 18th day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand seventeen.

John D. Bridgeman, Mayor

ATTEST:

Candice G. Owenby, Deputy City Clerk