

PROCLAMATION

Cumberland County Fire Chiefs' Association

WHEREAS, the Cumberland County Fire Chiefs' Association recognizes the extraordinary contributions that Doctor J. Larry Keen, President of Fayetteville Technical Community College has conferred to the Cumberland County and the Great State of North Carolina **Fire, Rescue and EMS Services**; and

WHEREAS, Doctor J. Larry Keen began his tenure as President, Fayetteville Technical Community College in two-thousand seven (2007), and during his more than fifteen (15) year enthusiastic and outstanding term, enhanced the public safety educational aspirations for the Fire, Rescue and Emergency Medical services; and

WHEREAS, the Cumberland County Fire Chiefs' Association recognizes his exceptional achievements throughout his long and extraordinary duration, and commends him for a job very well done; and

WHEREAS, Doctor J. Larry Keen, a devoted husband, father, and grandfather is described by his colleagues, trustees and friends as a caring true friend, positive, professional, helpful, understanding and always available; and

WHEREAS, Doctor J. Larry Keen's long serving term as President, Fayetteville Technical Community College will end on December 31, 2022; and he will sincerely be missed, both professionally and personally by all who have had the pleasure to have known him and the good fortune to collaborate with him; and

WHEREAS, on behalf of the members of the Cumberland County Fire Chiefs' Association, Cumberland County, and the Great State of North Carolina, we would like to thank and honor Doctor J. Larry Keen for his many years of devoted and honorable scholastic service to the Cumberland County Fire, **Rescue and EMS Services** and our Association, County and State; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FREDDY L. JOHNSON SR., PRESIDENT OF THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEFS' ASSOCIATION, do hereby proclaim ALL THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES OF HONORARY FIRE CHIEF OF THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEFS' ASSOCIATION to and in honor of

Dr. J. Larry Keen

In Witness Whereof this 19th day of December 2022




FREDDY L. JOHNSON SR., CFO
Fire Chief / President


MARK A. MELVIN, CFO
Fire Chief / Secretary