

Town of Chapel Hill

Proclamation

WHEREAS, on November 11, 1919, President Woodrow Wilson proclaimed Armistice Day to recognize the cessation of hostilities effectively ending World War I the previous year, and to honor the American military heroes who had served in that conflict; and

WHEREAS, in 1954 the 83rd Congress struck out Armistice at the urging of veteran service organizations to recognize service members who defended America in World War II and Korea; and

WHEREAS, on June 1, 1954 legislation was passed making November 11th a day to honor American veterans of all wars; and

WHEREAS, veterans are heroes of our nation and our town; and

WHEREAS, Veterans Day is an opportunity for residents to say thank you and show support to veterans and their families for the sacrifices made serving our country and community; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Chapel Hill is proud to honor and recognize its staff members who have made sacrifices in support of our country and community through their service in the military; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Chapel Hill honors all service members in all branches of the military.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Chapel Hill Town Council and community, hereby honor veterans and their families and join the Nation on Saturday, November 11, 2018 in observance of

Veterans Day



GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE
SEAL OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL
ON THIS THE SIXTH OF NOVEMBER
IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND
EIGHTEEN.

Pam Hemminger