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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the United States flag is a symbol of the greatest and the freest in recorded history, and;

WHEREAS, North Carolina is symbolically represented on the United States flag by one of the thirteen stripes and one of the fifty stars; and

WHEREAS, millions of Americans have willingly and courageously carried the United States flag into battle around the world, and;

WHEREAS, countless Americans have sacrificed their lives or health in order that the United States flag might continue to fly in the "land of the free" and the "home of the brave," and;

WHEREAS, the United States flag represents freedom, independence, and hope to people throughout the world, and;

WHEREAS, the United States flag, as a symbol of this great nation, should be honored, respected, and protected from physical desecration,

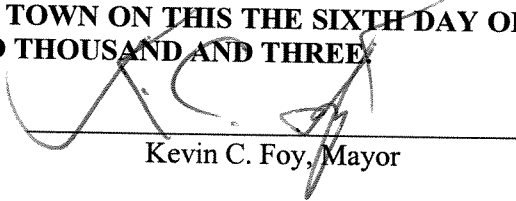
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kevin C. Foy, Mayor of the Town of Chapel Hill, do hereby proclaim

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 2003

As a day to honor and celebrate the flag of the United States of America in the Town of Chapel Hill, and to urge all citizens to remember and appreciate those who have fought for freedom under its majestic Stars and Stripes.



**GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF
THE TOWN ON THIS THE SIXTH DAY OF MAY,
TWO THOUSAND AND THREE**


Kevin C. Foy, Mayor