

FORSYTH COUNTY

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: NOVEMBER 11, 2013 AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: 10

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 15, 2013 AS AMERICA RECYCLES DAY
IN FORSYTH COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION OR COMMENTS: Recommend Approval

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION:

See attached

ATTACHMENTS: YES NO

SIGNATURE: *J. Roderick Watts, Jr.* DATE: November 6, 2013
COUNTY MANAGER

**RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 15, 2013 AS
AMERICA RECYCLES DAY
IN FORSYTH COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA**

WHEREAS, Forsyth County recognizes the importance of protecting and preserving our natural resources and adopting conscientious habits that will improve our daily lives and bring about a cleaner, safer, and more sustainable environment; and

WHEREAS, although there has been a significant increase in the amount of recycling in Forsyth County, it is important to increase the awareness of other preservation initiatives such as waste reduction, composting, the reuse of products and materials, and purchasing recycled products; and

WHEREAS, encouraging businesses, government agencies, nonprofit organizations, schools and individuals to celebrate America Recycles Day 2013, further promotes recycling as an environmentally efficient and economically wise practice; and

WHEREAS, community leaders can encourage recycling by informing citizens about local recycling options and fostering greater awareness of the need to expand collections programs by promoting the benefits of recycling investments for businesses; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all Forsyth County citizens become involved in recycling activities and learn more about the many recycled and recyclable products available to them as consumers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners hereby recognizes November 15, 2013 as America Recycles Day in Forsyth County and encourages all Forsyth County citizens to become involved in events and activities that promote the benefits of recycling.

Adopted this 11th day of November 2013.