



## Resolution Honoring Jim Cogdell

**WHEREAS**, Jim Cogdell, a resident of Norwood in Stanly County, North Carolina is an avid sportsman and wildlife conservationist; and

**WHEREAS**, he was appointed as the District 6 Wildlife Commissioner by Governor Bev Perdue in 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, he served with unparalleled distinction as Chairman of the Land Use and Access Committee, providing direction to deliberations of acquisition and management of game lands, with appropriate consideration and due diligence applied to each tranche; and

**WHEREAS**, he provided meritorious service as Chairman of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission from July 2013 until July 2015, exhibiting leadership and direction of the agency's full range of activities and programs pari passu with fulfillment of the mission of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission to conserve and manage the state's wildlife resources and habitats; and

**WHEREAS**, he has led by example instilling a conservation ethic in the multitudes of youth whose mentoring journeys have included a stop at "The Ordinary" along the King's Highway; and

**WHEREAS**, it is proper that Jim Cogdell is recognized for his leadership as Commission Chairman and for his years of service to the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission pays tribute and expresses its profound gratitude to our colleague, Jim Cogdell, for the outstanding services rendered to the people of North Carolina and its wildlife resources.

This resolution introduced and unanimously passed by the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission in meeting duly assembled on August 27, 2015 in Raleigh, North Carolina.

  
John Litton Clark, Chairman

  
Gordon S. Myers, Executive Director