

State of North Carolina



BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE
GOVERNOR

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA 100TH ANNIVERSARY

2010

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America was founded on February 8, 1910, by Edgar M. Robinson and Lee F. Hanmer as part of the international scout movement and as a means of promoting patriotism, courage, self-reliance and kindred values; and

WHEREAS, its current membership consists of over four million youth ages 7-21 who are divided into three programs: Cub Scouts – boys ages seven through ten, Boy Scouts – boys ages 10 through 18, and Venturing – young men and women ages 14 through 21; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America are known for being *trustworthy, loyal, helpful, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent*; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America have made a tremendous impact on the State of North Carolina and our entire nation, North Carolina boasts many leaders who learned and live by the scouting code; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America is celebrating its 100th Anniversary on February 8, 2010;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim February 8, 2010, in honor of “**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA 100TH ANNIVERSARY**” in North Carolina and urge all of our citizens commend its observance.



BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh this seventh day of December in the year of our Lord two thousand and nine, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-fourth.