

TOWN OF BLOWING ROCK

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RESOLUTION No. 2016-28

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING 50 YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE BY THE DANIEL BOONE CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

WHEREAS, The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution was organized October 11, 1890; and the Daniel Boone Chapter NSDAR was organized October 15, 1966; and

WHEREAS, This Society exemplifies the democratic ideals of inclusion since it is nonsectarian and welcomes membership to women of all nationalities and races who prove lineage to a Patriot; and

WHEREAS, Since it was founded, through its communities, it has stressed good citizenship and love of country in both the young and old of this nation; and

WHEREAS, The NSDAR is a service organization having pioneered in the field of preservation, environmental issues, support of the establishment of schools in Appalachia, recruitment of over a thousand nurses for service in the Spanish-American War, which became the nucleus of the Army Nurse Corps; and

WHEREAS, It has been actively involved in historic preservation, locating and marking countless graves of Revolutionary war patriots, restoring and preserving historic sites, and preserving the mural in our Historic Downtown Boone Post Office; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, the NSDAR has contributed to numerous historic projects such as building the memorial Bell Tower and Carillon at Valley Forge, Madonna of the Trail statues, furnishing Council Chamber and Assembly Room at Independence Hall, assisting in the Restoration of the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island, commission and funding ceiling murals in the United States Capitol, building the memorial to the Women in Military Service for America in Washington, D.C., and the marking of the Daniel Boone Trail; and

WHEREAS, This year, the NSDAR is proclaiming 125 years of service to the nation, 1890 – 2016; and Daniel Boone Chapter NSDAR organized October 15, 1966 is observing 50 years of service to education, preservation and patriotism.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Blowing Rock Town Council hereby fully supports and appreciates the 125 years of NSDAR service to the nation being celebrated in 2016 and the 50 years of active Service to God, Home and Country, by the Daniel Boone Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution and do hereby proclaim October 15, 2016 as Daniel Boone Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution Day.

Adopted this the 11th day of October, 2016.

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| | By: |
| ATTEST: | J.B. Lawrence, Mayor |
| Hilari H. Hubner, Town Clerk | |