



*"The Peak of Good Living"*

# TOWN OF APEX NORTH CAROLINA

## *Proclamation*

### **Safe Drinking Water Week 2026**

*from the Office of the Mayor*

WHEREAS, Water is our most important natural resource, and serves as the cornerstone for every other resource and services we enjoy each day; and,

WHEREAS, Safe drinking water is critical to the health and vitality of any community through its essential function in human life, and through its role in proper hygiene; and,

WHEREAS, The Town of Apex Water Resources Department employs 75 employees who work to maintain the health and quality of the town's water supply and ensure that all residents have access to this safe drinking water

WHEREAS, The work of Apex Water Resources is not only essential, but very complex, through working divisions of Administration, Stormwater Engineering, Utilities Engineering, Water Quality, Utility Maintenance, Meter Services, Compliance, Collections System Maintenance, Pump Station Maintenance, and Water Reclamation; and,

WHEREAS, The Town of Apex remains committed to the supplying of safe drinking water, as well as its responsible usage and the preservation of the natural sources which it comes from.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jacques K. Gilbert, Mayor of Apex, North Carolina, do hereby proclaim the week of May 3<sup>rd</sup> - May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026, "Safe Drinking Water Week" in the Town of Apex, and commend our excellent Water Resources staff for their professionalism, commitment to safety, and hard work in keeping the Town healthy and hydrated.

I hereby set my hand and have caused the Seal of the Town of Apex, North Carolina, to be affixed this the 28th day of April, 2026

Jacques Gilbert, Mayor