Proclamation

Town of Carolina Beach
Town Council

PROCLAMATION NO. 26-2361

A Proclamation Recognizing November 2026 as National Hospice and Palliative Care Month

WHEREAS, Lower Cape Fear LifeCare received a five-star rating from families and caregivers in the most recent Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services hospice survey results, the highest rating possible; and

WHEREAS, Lower Cape Fear LifeCare ranks among the top 92 percent of hospices nationwide for the quality of its person-centered, compassionate care provided to patients, families, and the communities it serves; and

WHEREAS, Lower Cape Fear LifeCare utilizes an interdisciplinary team of professionals and volunteers to provide hospice care, palliative care, and dementia support services to patients and families; and

WHEREAS, Lower Cape Fear LifeCare is supported by more than 400 dedicated community volunteers; and

WHEREAS, Lower Cape Fear LifeCare demonstrates its commitment to honoring those who served our nation through participation at the highest level of the We Honor Veterans program; and

WHEREAS, Lower Cape Fear LifeCare, a local nonprofit organization, serves more than 8,000 patients and families each year, including residents of Carolina Beach facing serious illness; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town of Carolina Beach hereby proclaims November 2026 as National Hospice and Palliative Care Month and encourages all residents to increase their understanding and awareness of hospice and palliative care services for those living with serious and life-limiting illnesses, and to observe this month through appropriate activities, education, and community engagement.

Proclaimed this 10th day of November 2026.

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Albert L. Barbee, Mayor

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Attest: Kimberlee Ward, Town Clerk