

**State of North Carolina
Town of Sylva**

**RESOLUTION TO REQUEST A PARADE PERMIT
FOR THE JACKSON COUNTY VETERANS OFFICE PARADE IN SYLVA, NORTH CAROLINA**

WHEREAS, the Town of Sylva Board of Commissioners has received a request from Jackson County Veterans Office requesting the Board undertake the formal steps necessary for the citizens of Sylva, North Carolina to conduct a parade in the downtown area on Main Street (NC 107/US 23 BUS.), on Sunday afternoon, November 8, 2026, from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Sylva Board of Commissioners believes that it is in the best interest of the citizens of the Town of Sylva that they act favorably on said request and formally notify the NC Department of Transportation for the closing of said highway at said times for the conducting of a parade in Sylva, North Carolina.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town of Sylva Board of Commissioners does hereby resolve as follows:

1. The North Carolina Department of Transportation be advised that the Town of Sylva Board of Commissioners hereby agrees to serve as the sponsoring governmental entity for a parade to be held in Sylva, North Carolina on Sunday afternoon, November 8, 2026, from 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., with no rain date and at the location of downtown Sylva on Main Street (NC107/US 23 BUS.).
2. That the Town of Sylva Board of Commissioners agrees to be the governmental entity making a request for the closing of said highway at said times and for obtaining compliance with those requirements of the North Carolina Department of Transportation for the conducting of said parade and the rerouting traffic during those times when said highway is closed.
3. The Town of Sylva Board of Commissioners accepts full responsibility for the special event and recognizes that the Town of Sylva will be responsible for safety, traffic flow, traffic control, signage, and ensuring that decorations and all debris will be removed following the event.

Date: November 8, 2026

Time: 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Route Description: The parade will originate at Bridge Park and travel to the intersection of Grindstaff Cove Road. The parade will turn onto Grindstaff Cove Road and proceed up Schulman Street to Main Street. The parade will then turn onto Main Street and proceed south to the intersection of Spring Street. The parade will turn on Spring Street and travel to Mill Street, across to Allen Street and back down Railroad Avenue. Traffic will be paused at each intersection during the parade.

Adopted this the 27th day of August 2026.

Johnny Phillips, Mayor
Town of Sylva

Angela Stanley, Town Clerk
Town of Sylva