

Proclamation from the Town of Rolesville

Veterans Memorial Dedication

WHEREAS today the residents of Rolesville gather to celebrate the dedication of our Veterans Memorial emblazoned with the seals of our armed forces; and

WHEREAS this memorial was established by Mayor C. Frank Eagles, himself a veteran of the Army, to acknowledge those individuals who have served this great nation, having the courage and strength of character to make the ultimate sacrifice, in defense of freedom and safety for its citizens; and

WHEREAS Memorial Day, a day of solemn remembrance of the sacrifices made by the more than one million lost veterans and their families, is but days away; and

WHEREAS Memorial Day is also a day to reflect on and celebrate the strength and resiliency of a nation with the finest military forces in the world; and

WHEREAS dedication of this monument is to honor and remember our fallen heroes, pay respect to our veterans we are fortunate to have still walking among us and those who have gone before them, as well as the more than 200,000 soldiers, sailors, airmen, coast guardsmen and marines presently and actively serving to preserve the ideals of this great nation;

NOW THEREFORE I, Mayor Frank Eagles, do hereby dedicate this memorial on behalf of the Town of Rolesville Board of Commissioners and citizens, and I hereby direct that the flag be lowered to half-staff until noon on Memorial Day, Monday, May 30, 2016. May both be a source of honor, pride and commitment to the continued protection and strengthening of our community. May they be an inspiration to our youth to recognize the price of the freedoms they have been given and to pass this knowledge on to future generations. And may the citizens of Rolesville join me in honoring those who have served this great nation.

Dated this 27th day of May 2016



C. Frank Eagles
Mayor



Robin E. Reif
Town Clerk

