

Town of Granite Quarry
Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

Whereas, Doug Rice, a resident of Granite Quarry, North Carolina, has spent his career championing the sport of auto racing, serving both as a prominent commentator and as a dedicated voice in motorsports broadcasting; and

Whereas, for more than three decades, Doug Rice has offered insightful and passionate commentary, connecting with millions of NASCAR fans across the country, earning a beloved place in their homes and hearts; and

Whereas, Doug Rice is widely recognized as the voice of the Performance Racing Network (PRN), where his unique tone and boundless enthusiasm have become emblematic of the excitement and intensity of NASCAR racing, bringing fans closer to the sport than ever before; and

Whereas, Doug's unwavering dedication to excellence in broadcasting has made him a trusted and influential figure in the NASCAR community, with his expert insights, compelling storytelling, and deep knowledge of racing elevating every race he narrates; and

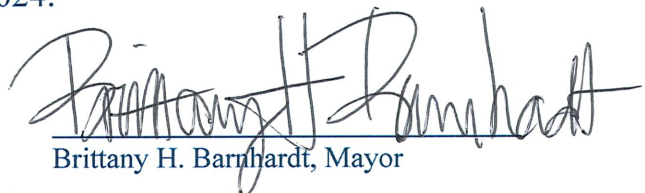
Whereas, Doug Rice's commitment to NASCAR extends far beyond the broadcast booth - he has played a pivotal role in promoting the sport, advocating for the drivers, and representing NASCAR with integrity and grace; and

Whereas, Doug's leadership, dedication, and unwavering passion for telling the stories of motorsports embody the very best qualities of Granite Quarry and its residents; and

Whereas, Doug's remarkable contributions to the sport, his community, and the world of racing at large deserve to be celebrated by all those who have had the privilege of experiencing his voice on race days, at events, and throughout countless memorable moments in motorsports history.

Now, Therefore, I, BRITTANY H. BARNHARDT, in my capacity as Mayor of Granite Quarry, North Carolina, do hereby declare this day as one of honor and recognition for Doug Rice's exceptional contributions to NASCAR and broadcasting. His legacy will continue to inspire future generations of announcers, fans, and racing enthusiasts, and his commitment to the sport will remain a defining chapter in the history of motorsports.

Duly adopted this the 9th day of December 2024.


Brittany H. Barnhardt, Mayor

ATTEST:

Aubrey Smith, Town Clerk

