A Resolution proclaiming February 7-11, 2022 to be Galax-Carroll Regional Library Week;

WHEREAS, the Galax-Carroll Regional Library has been serving our community in myriad ways for forty years; and

WHEREAS, said library is an excellent resource in the community because of its excellent staff, services, and facilities; and

WHEREAS, our library serves as a great equalizer of knowledge by providing free access to all; and

WHEREAS, our library works to meet the changing needs of our citizens, including building collections, expanding outreach services, and increasing programming; and

WHEREAS, our library provides a forum for diverse ideas and points of view that help us better understand each other and ourselves; and

WHEREAS, our librarians are trained professionals, helping people of all ages and backgrounds find and interpret the information they need to live, learn, and work; and

WHEREAS, our librarians design and offer programs to meet the community's economic needs, providing residents with job-seeking resources; and

WHEREAS, our libraries are places for education, opportunity, and lifelong learning; and WHEREAS, libraries, librarians, library workers, and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Lovers Month.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Carroll County Board of Supervisors that: SECTION 1. This Board hereby proclaims February 7-11, 2022 to be Galax-Carroll Regional Library Week in the County of Carroll and urges all residents to visit the library during this week to take advantage of the wonderful resources available.

SECTION 2. The Board also recognizes that 2022 is the 40th Anniversary year for the Galax-Carroll Regional Library and encourages citizens and visitors to engage with the celebratory activities throughout the year in support of the library's continual support and uplifting of the community for the past forty years.

BOS Chairman	Date	