

## Morehead City North Carolina

Gerald A. Jones Jr., Mayor

## Mayor's Proclamation In Honor of Don Schwenneker For Going Above and Beyond

**WHEREAS,** there are millions of living witnesses to the fact that cancer can be cured, despite the fact that this dread disease is an alarming national killer; and

WHEREAS, thanks to the increasing knowledge in the biological and medical sciences, we are nearing a solution to the problem of cancer, but must not lessen our efforts until the battle has been won completely; and

WHEREAS, Don Schwenneker, the morning meteorologist on WTVD-TV in Raleigh-Durham, became one of the soldiers in this battle against cancer when he announced he would shave his head on live TV if more than 250 people signed up on the national bone marrow registry to help patients of cancer and other diseases; and

WHEREAS, Don Schwenneker rose to this challenge on Wednesday, March 20, 2013, when he had his head shaved on live TV;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Gerald A. "Jerry" Jones, Jr., as Mayor of the Town of Morehead City and on behalf of the Council and all Citizens do commend **Don Schwenneker** for this action of bravery and further do bestow upon him the title of **Honorary Citizen of the Town of Morehead City, North Carolina,** and thank him for his help in the continuing crusade against cancer.

Dated, this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013.

TOWN OF MOREHEAD CITY

Gerald A. "Jerry" Jones, Jr., Mayor

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