

Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission



Resolution of Recognition

WHEREAS, The Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission desires to recognize those Cultural Heritage Sites that provide a tangible link to the past, with the people and events that have made significant contributions to Randolph County history, and thus shaped our present; and

WHEREAS, Cultural Heritage Site recognition helps give Randolph County individual character and our people a sense of place, pride, and historic connection; and

WHEREAS, the history of Randolph High School begins in 1870 when the Liberty School was established by African-American citizens and local Quakers to insure educational opportunities for black children; and

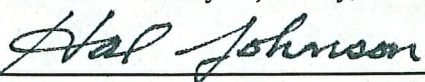
WHEREAS, while Randolph High School was built in 1951 and closed in 1965 under Title VI barring the use of federal funds for segregated education and schools, it will always represent identification with the cultural and historic development of Randolph County, N.C., and its location represents a unique and established visual feature in Liberty, N.C.

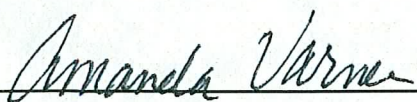
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that official recognition as a Randolph County Cultural Heritage Site is given to:

RANDOLPH HIGH SCHOOL

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution is approved by the Historical Landmark Preservation Commission and recorded in its minutes, with appropriate history and photographs placed on the Commission's historical website, and a suitable copy of the Resolution presented to the recipient.

Approved this 25th day of January, 2012.


Chairman


Clerk to Commission