

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2013**

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**Simple  
Resolution  
Adopted**

**HOUSE RESOLUTION 47  
Adopted 3/27/13**

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Sponsors: Representative Wray (Primary Sponsor).  
For a complete list of Sponsors, see Bill Information on the NCGA Web Site.

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Referred to: Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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February 4, 2013

1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE FOUNDERS OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY.

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3 Whereas, the Town of Conway in eastern Northampton County was settled around  
4 1835; and

5 Whereas, the area was first known as Martin Crossroads and then as Kirby; and  
6 Whereas, in 1888, a small depot was built in the area and named Conway in honor  
7 of the wife of an officer of the railroad; and

8 Whereas, in the late 1880s the residents of Conway petitioned the government to  
9 establish a post office in the area; and

10 Whereas, the Town of Conway was incorporated by an act of the General Assembly  
11 in 1913; and

12 Whereas, the Town's first officers included Mayor J.E. Taylor, Constable J.P.  
13 Garriss, and Commissioners Abner Lassiter, W.T. Bridges, R.T. White, J.O. Flythe, and D.C.  
14 Bridges; and

15 Whereas, Conway has always been primarily an agricultural community, producing  
16 such crops as peanuts, cotton, corn, and soybeans; and

17 Whereas, Conway's citizens are very proud of their heritage and small town friendly  
18 atmosphere; and

19 Whereas, Conway has continued to prosper through the continued dedication,  
20 insight, and planning of the Town's leaders and citizens; and

21 Whereas, 2013 marks the 100th anniversary of the Town of Conway, an occasion  
22 worthy of celebration by all North Carolinians; Now, therefore,  
23 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

24 **SECTION 1.** The House of Representatives honors the founders of the Town of  
25 Conway and joins the Town's citizens in recognizing the Town's 100th anniversary.

26 **SECTION 2.** The Principal Clerk shall transmit a certified copy of this resolution  
27 to the Mayor of the Town of Conway.

28 **SECTION 3.** This resolution is effective upon adoption.

