



Nice Matters!

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Proclamation Honoring Transportation Impact

Whereas, Transportation Impact provides valuable parcel-shipping cost-reduction services for numerous national corporations by improving shippers' logistics operations and employing a cost-based negotiation strategy, and

Whereas, Transportation Impact was founded in 2008 by Emerald Isle residents, and has grown from humble beginnings in the closet of a local surf shop to become one of the fastest-growing, most-respected, and most-honored businesses in North Carolina, and

Whereas, Transportation Impact made a conscious decision to locate its headquarters in Emerald Isle, and has displayed its deep commitment to the Emerald Isle and Carteret County community over the past decade by hiring numerous local individuals, providing a high quality workplace, investing in attractive new facilities in Emerald Isle, sponsoring numerous local events, and contributing to many charitable causes in our area, and

Whereas, Transportation Impact has enjoyed remarkable success, has been recognized by numerous business organizations and publications, has represented Emerald Isle extremely well to the corporate world, and has enhanced Emerald Isle's standing as a premier oceanfront community, and

Whereas, Transportation Impact has been a model corporate citizen in Emerald Isle, and has generously donated more than \$1 million to local charities and causes in our area, including nearly \$50,000 to support various special events and improvements coordinated by the Town of Emerald Isle, and

Whereas, Transportation Impact embodies "Nice Matters", and has consistently worked to develop a cooperative relationship with the Town and support the Town's efforts to continually improve the quality of life and economic competitiveness of Emerald Isle, and

Whereas, the Town seeks to publicly recognize these contributions and extend its sincere appreciation to the entire Transportation Impact organization,

Now, therefore, I, Eddie Barber, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the Town of Emerald Isle, North Carolina, do hereby honor and recognize **Transportation Impact** for their remarkable success, significant contributions, generous donations and sponsorships, and for their deep commitment to Emerald Isle's continued success. On behalf of the entire Town of Emerald Isle organization, I express our sincere gratitude for Transportation Impact's tremendous positive "**community impact**".

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of the Town of Emerald Isle to be affixed this 10th day of July, 2018.

Eddie Barber, Mayor