

# Proclamation

*National Massage Therapy Awareness Week  
October 25 - 31, 2015*

*Whereas, the American Massage Therapy Association sponsors this week every year to promote and educate the general public as to the benefits of massage therapy; and*

*Whereas, the National Institutes of Health includes massage therapy as "Mind and Body Medicine;" and*

*Whereas, there are approximately 42 licensed massage therapists in the Brunswick County/New Hanover County metropolitan area; and*

*Whereas, along with the American Massage Therapy Association and Tranquil Touch Massage Therapy, the Town of Leland has declared the week of October 25-31, 2015 as*

## ***NATIONAL MASSAGE THERAPY AWARENESS WEEK***

*Now, Therefore, I, Mayor Brenda Bozeman, ask that all residents of the Town of Leland join in honoring the massage therapists who care for all of us, and that the residents of Leland celebrate their accomplishments and efforts to improve our health and show our appreciation for the nation's licensed massage therapists not just during this week, but at every opportunity throughout the year.*

*Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015*

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*Brenda Bozeman, Mayor*