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TOWN OF CHINA GROVE - TOWN OF LANDIS

On November 10, 2020, Governor Cooper extended Executive Order 176 which contains provisions prohibiting mass gatherings. The order, which is in effect through 5:00 pm on December 04, 2020, specifically prohibits parades such as the Southern Rowan Christmas Parade scheduled for November 24th.

In consideration of the Governor's action, coupled with the continual increase in the number of confirmed cases of Covid-19 occurring throughout North Carolina, it is with immense regret that the China Grove Town Council and Landis Board of Aldermen, by consensus, have directed the respective town managers to cancel the 2020 Southern Rowan Christmas Parade.

The respective governing boards further direct the managers to take the appropriate measures to insure the public is made aware of this action as soon as possible.

Approved for Release,



Charles Seaford, China Grove Mayor



Meredith B. Smith, Landis Mayor