STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CALDWELL

OATH

I, **Jason Pennell** do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and maintain the Constitution and laws of the United States; so, help me God.

I, **Jason Pennell**, do further solemnly and sincerely swear (or affirm) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that I will endeavor to support, maintain, and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; and that I will not allow my actions as assessor to be influenced by personal or political friendships or obligations, so help me God.

I, **Jason Pennell**, do further swear (or affirm) that I will well and truly execute the duties of the office of **Interim Tax Administrator** according to law; so help me God.

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Jason Pennell

Sworn and subscribed before me this 24th day of August, 2026.

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Tasha Brown
Caldwell County Clerk