

# Proclamation

**by the Mayor and City Council  
City of Rock Hill, South Carolina**

**WHEREAS**, the North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, a missions education agency, sponsors the World Changers' Organization; and

**WHEREAS**, World Changers' mission centers around hands-on involvement to provide improvements for residents who have little or no resources; and

**WHEREAS**, the theme for the 2010 World Changers summer project is "**Unhindered**" which challenges participants to rise above the level of mediocrity in personal faith and witness; and

**WHEREAS**, the following agencies have formed a Community Partnership with the World Changers Organization to improve the quality of housing for our area residents, specifically:

The Catawba Indian Nation, who has identified work sites and hosts recreational activities; and  
The City of Rock Hill who has provided equipment for city work sites, sanitation and refuse facilities; and  
Comporium Communications, who has provided communications; and  
The Housing Development Corporation of Rock Hill, who has identified qualified homeowners, approved work sites, prepared repair specifications, and provided materials; and  
Rock Hill School District 3, who has provided lodging at Northwestern High School; and  
York County, who has agreed to forego tipping fees for the landfill and construction debris involved in the renovations; and;  
The York County Baptist Association, who has provided coordination assistance and meals for workers; and

**WHEREAS**, through this partnership, assistance may be provided to approximately 11 families in a one-week intensive home repair effort through the World Changers Organization;

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Doug Echols, Mayor of the City of Rock Hill, South Carolina, with the Rock Hill City Council, do hereby declare the week of June 21- June 26, 2010:

## **World Changers Community Partnership Week- "Unhindered"**

and urge that all citizen and community organizations join in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Rock Hill to be affixed.

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Doug Echols, Mayor