
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. Chapter 145 of the General Statutes is amended by adding the following sections:

"§ 145-38. State butterfly.
The Eastern tiger swallowtail (Papilio glaucus) is adopted as the official State butterfly of the State of North Carolina.

(a) The Shelby Livermush Festival is adopted as the official fall livermush festival of the State of North Carolina.
(b) The Marion Livermush Festival is adopted as the official spring livermush festival of the State of North Carolina.

The Swansboro Mullet Festival is adopted as the official mullet festival of the State of North Carolina."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.
In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 11th day of June, 2012.

s/ Walter H. Dalton
President of the Senate

s/ Dale R. Folwell
Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives

s/ Beverly E. Perdue
Governor

Approved 1:03 p.m. this 15th day of June, 2012