

WINE TO WATER: Pep Rally for Doc Hendley ('04)

November 5, 2009

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CROWD: Let's go Doc! Let's go Doc! Let's go Doc!

(APPLAUSE)

NC STATE CHANCELLOR JIM WOODWARD: Doc, you have sought and found how to serve, with your Wine to Water program, you are enhancing the lives of thousands of people who need our help, who are brothers and sisters.

We're proud of you, I congratulate you on behalf of the entire North Carolina State family... you've got my vote!

(APPLAUSE)

DOC HENDLEY: Nobody knew that water was killing more people than HIV, AIDS, malaria and tuberculosis combined. It was my way of trying to tell people about that but also give people a chance to raise money and give back to try and fight this crisis. And here five, almost six years later now, CNN Heroes has done an awesome job, they have talked about our organization and what we are trying to do.

It's awesome to come back - when I was here, obviously, nobody really knew my name unless they would go into my bar, and now it seems like everybody kind of knows what's going on and knows what we are doing. It's awesome, but very humbling.

BAND PLAYS NC STATE FIGHT SONG

RALEIGH CITY COUNCILMAN THOMAS J. CROWDER (*off camera*): I hereby proclaim November 5, 2009 is Doc Hendley Day.

(APPLAUSE)

WOODWARD: Doc Hendley is the epitome of the individual who has made a difference. He never planned to but when he saw a need, he saw that he had the talent to actually direct efforts in improving that need, and as a result, literally 10's of thousands of people around the world now have clean drinking water that they did not have before Doc Hendley came along.

What a wonderful occasion for this institution, and I'm honored, quite frankly, to have Doc Hendley as a graduate of NC State.

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