

Video from Rep. Adams' Swearing-in Ceremony and Address Now Available



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Charlotte – Today, **Congresswoman Alma Adams (NC-12)** hosted a "Virtual Community Swearing-in Ceremony and Address" **at 6:00 PM**. After the main program, she took questions live from constituents.

[Video from the event is available to download here.](#)

[A copy of Rep. Adams' remarks is available here.](#)

[A YouTube video of the remarks is here.](#)

*"This pandemic has challenged each of us," **said Adams in prepared remarks.** "It has challenged our systems and our economy. We have weathered tremendous loss - loss of loved ones, of grandparents, parents, children, friends and neighbors; loss of joyous plans and time together; loss of income, stability, and health; but we have but not lost our faith."*

"My religious teachings remind me: 'Faith is the substance of things hoped for and the evidence of things not seen.' We believe, and we have hope built on science, that we will emerge from this devastation even stronger than before. Though we found ourselves in the heat of the blacksmith's forge, we have been molded, by fire and heat, into an unstoppable force. So, we will forge ahead, progressing steadily until our efforts to eradicate COVID-19 have succeeded and, as the elders say, 'we will live to tell the story of just

how we got over."

"And we will carry with us, in loving memory, each person we lost to this terrible virus."

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