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THE WAR ON MOLD

Four Elon University residential neighborhoods tackle prevention of mold and mildew buildup

Students in residential halls across Elon University's campus have been combating a persistent foe: mold, a fungus that can cause fatigue, headaches, lack of concentration, chest tightness and chronic coughing. The combination of North Carolina's intense humidity, dramatic weather changes and a

poorly set thermostat can cause moisture to condense inside residence halls, creating the perfect environment for mold and mildew growth.

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McCrory concedes NC gubernatorial race

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On Dec. 5, 27 days after the Nov. 8 election, Democrat gubernatorial candidate Roy Cooper was recognized as the North Carolina governor-elect not only his supporters, but also by republican Gov. Pat McCrory and his staff.

Around noon on Monday, McCrory posted a YouTube video officially conceding the race to Cooper.

"During this wonderful season, it's also

Nearly a month after the close Nov. 8 election, McCrory conceded the race to challenger Roy Cooper Dec. 5.

should be answered regarding the voting process. I personally believe that the majority of our citizens have spoken, and we now

time to celebrate our democratic process and respect what I see to be the ultimate outcome of the closest North Carolina governor's race in modern history," McCrory said. "Despite continued questions that

should do everything we can to support the 75th governor of North Carolina, Roy Cooper."

Cooper acknowledged McCrory's concession and thanked him and his wife for agreeing to aid in a smooth transition.

The governor-elect acknowledged the divisiveness of the past election but optimistically looked toward the future.

"I'm proud to have received the support from so many who believe that we can come together to make a North Carolina that works for everyone," Cooper said in a statement Monday afternoon.

The North Carolina State Board of Elections will meet later this week to confirm the results.

A 'hard-fought race'

At 1 a.m. Nov. 9, with 99.56 percent of precincts reporting, Cooper led the race by a slight vote difference of 2,735 according to the State Board of Elections's website, but the final results of the gubernatorial race have

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