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**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE TOWN OF PITTSBORO APPLICATION FOR
 2009 CONGESTION MITIGATION AND AIR QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
 FUNDS FOR PEDESTRIAN FACILITIES ON NC87**

Whereas, the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) (Public Law 109-59, August 10, 2005) continues the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (CMAQ) (23U.S.C. Chapter 149); and

Whereas, CMAQ is a federal program that funds transportation projects and program in air quality non-attainment and maintenance areas to help achieve and maintain national standards for pollutants; and

Whereas, the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) administers the CMAQ Program on behalf of non-attainment and maintenance areas within North Carolina; and

Whereas, a portion of Chatham County and Pittsboro have been designated as a maintenance area, and is a member of the Triangle Area Rural Planning Organization (TARPO), which has administered a CMAQ project selection process among local area jurisdictions in air quality non-attainment and maintenance counties; and

Whereas, the resulting subject candidate project proposal meets the requirements of CMAQ and the guidelines established by the NCDOT to administer the program; and

Whereas, the subject candidate project has been mutually agreed upon by Chatham County and the Town of Pittsboro and will involve the Town of Pittsboro's participation in the required local match cost and engineering development cost;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners that the Board endorses the above subject CMAQ project provided herein.

Respectfully Adopted, this the 26th day of January, 2009.


 George Lucier, Chairman

ATTEST:


 Sandra B. Sublett, CMC, Clerk to the Board
 Chatham County Board of Commissioners