Chatham County

Resolution Honoring <u>Kathryn Garrett</u>

WHEREAS, on April 12, 1965, Kathryn Garrett began her career with the Chatham County Department of Social Services in the position of Steno I; and

WHEREAS, as evidenced by the four promotions she received, Kathryn has steadily worked her way up in the agency to the position of Eligibility Supervisor I and has become the County's acknowledged expert in the area of Food Stamps; and

WHEREAS, over the past 36 years Kathryn has been instrumental in the agency's computer automation and ability to successfully implement the numerous changes in regulations and distribution methods of food stamp benefits; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her high degree of accuracy and knowledge, Kathryn will be missed as a supervisor and co-worker who could be counted on for sound, thoughtful advice when called upon to solve problems or mediate conflicts; and

WHEREAS, Kathryn often when beyond the call of duty in carrying out her responsibilities, including her service as the Chatham Central Shelter Manager and her management of the disaster food stamp program after Hurricane Fran;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Chatham County, North Carolina, that we hereby honor Kathryn Garrett for her commitment and long-lived service to the County;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we do hereby extend our best wishes to Kathryn for her retirement and her quest to enjoy life, especially her grandson, to the fullest.

Adopted this, the 10th day of December, 2001

Gary Phillips Chair

Rick Givens, Commissioner

Margaret Bryant Pollard, Vice Chair

Bob Atwater, Commissioner

Carl Outz, Commissioner