North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service

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Resolution Proclaiming Eighty-Fifth Anniversary of North Carolina Cooperative Extension 1999

WHEREAS, eighty-five years ago, North Carolina Cooperative Extension was established as a partnership of county, state and federal governments; and

WHEREAS, the essence of North Carolina Cooperative Extension has long been to help people put knowledge to work so that they can improve their lives; and

WHEREAS, Extension has been a supportive partner of other county programs, including but not limited to social services and natural resources; and

WHEREAS, throughout its history, Extension has focused on providing people with educational programs that meet their needs, providing decision-makers with objective information and providing the framework for successful individuals, families and communities; and

WHEREAS, Extension takes the research of North Carolina's two land-grant institutions - North Carolina State University and North Carolina A&T State University - and develops educational resources based upon the needs of North Carolinians; and

WHEREAS, Extension centers are located in all 100 counties and on the Cherokee Reservation.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE CHATHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, do hereby proclaim August 26, 1999 as "EXTENSION HERITAGE DAY" in Chatham County, and urge our citizens to use, visit and support the Chatham County Extension Center. All Chatham County residents are encouraged to join us in celebrating this Extension anniversary at the Chatham County Fairgrounds on August 26, 1999 from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Adopted this, the 2nd day of August, 1999.

Rick Givens, Chairman

ATTEST

Sandra B. Lee, Clerk to the Board

Chatham County Board of Commissioners