

COUNTY OF CHATHAM

Res. #99-22

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707 SQUARE MILES

Resolution Supporting the Deep River Park of Chatham & Lee Counties

WHEREAS, the Deep River Park Association has created a regional park bridging Chatham and Lee Counties between Gulf and Cumnock; and

WHEREAS, this site is the geographic center of North Carolina and the nexus of the state's early industrial development; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Camelback Bridge connecting Chatham and Lee Counties has been preserved and is the site of the nationally recognized Deep River Park, water access and cultural events; and

WHEREAS, the Norfolk Southern Double Warrant Truss Railroad Bridge connecting Gulf and Cumnock over the Deep River may be available for trail opportunities thus creating a circle trail with the Camelback Bridge and Deep River Park;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners that it supports the development of the Deep River Trail and will partner with other agencies, boards, councils, commissions and citizen's groups where appropriate to accomplish the goal of a regional park, trail and tourist destination.

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

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Rick Givens, Chairman

ATTEST:

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Sandra B. Lee, Clerk to the Board

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