A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS TO A PORTION OF NCSR 1008 IN CHATHAM COUNTY

WHEREAS, the proposal of the North Carolina Department of Transportation to upgrade NCSR 1008 to a four lane road has been done without a sufficient opportunity for input by all concerned citizens of Chatham County, including those living along said road; and

WHEREAS, strong opposition to the project has been voiced by some residents; and it is the sense of the Board of County Commissioners that their concerns should be heard and taken into account prior to the Board taking an official position on the project; and

WHEREAS, the County Planning Director has expressed the opinion that the proposed project does not seem justified based upon safety considerations alone.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CHATHAM COUNTY:

- 1. That the Chatham County Planning Board with the assistance of the Planning Department staff is requested to study the matter of upgrading NCSR 1008 as recommended in the Feasibility Study conducted by the Department of Transportation; and upon completion of their study forward their findings and recommendations to the Board of County Commissioners.
- 2. In studying the matter, the Planning Board is requested to involve all interested constituents and take into account their input in making their recommendation to the Board of Commissioners.

This 4th day of May 1998.

Margaret B. Pollard, Chairperson

Chatham County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

Sandra B. Lee, Clerk

Chatham County Board of Commissioners