RESOLUTION

HONORING THE SERVICE OF COMMISSIONER BETTY WILSON

WHEREAS, as a mother, teacher, guidance counselor and county commissioner, Betty Wilson has demonstrated a life-long dedication to serving the families and children of Chatham County; and

WHEREAS, during her four years as Vice Chair of the Board of Commissioners, Commissioner Wilson has advocated for the needs of Chatham County's children and elderly residents and supported adequate facilities for these two important populations; and

WHEREAS, emphasizing the need for planned development and growth, Commissioner Wilson has promoted several long-range planning efforts, including development of the County's first Strategic Plan, a new Land Use Development Plan, and a Water Feasibility Study; and

WHEREAS, through her ability to bring people together, Commissioner Wilson has fostered a spirit of teamwork and cooperation among County Commissioners, other agencies in the County, and citizens; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Wilson's service to the community is demonstrated in many other areas, including her work with her church and its youth and her efforts to beautify downtown Pittsboro through the Backyard Garden Club;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Chatham, North Carolina, that we do honor and commend Commissioner Betty Wilson for her service to Chatham County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we extend our best wishes to Commissioner Wilson and her family.

Adopted this, the 16th day of November, 1998.

Maryeret B. Follard Margaret Bryant Pollard, Chair

John Grimes, Commissioner

Henry Dunlap, Commissioner

Uva Holland, Commissioner