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RESOLUTION REGARDING FORMATION OF A PERMANENT CHATHAM COUNTY SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, in recent years, State and Federal Regulations have produced monumental changes in the way solid waste is collected and disposed of throughout North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, local Governments like Chatham County are required to pay constant attention to continually changing Solid Waste Rules and Regulations; and

WHEREAS, since 1987, Chatham County has been addressing solid waste issues through the combined efforts of its Volunteer Citizen's Organization, the Chatham County Waste Management Task Force, and County Officials; and

WHEREAS, the green box method of trash collection is now replaced by a staffed Collection Center system; and

WHEREAS, educational curricula and recycling programs have been developed and instituted in all the county's public schools; and

WHEREAS, the original County landfill has been closed, and new facilities for the handling of Yard Waste, Household Hazardous Waste and large household appliances will soon be constructed there; and

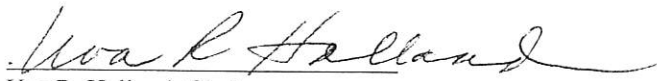
WHEREAS, with the successful implementation of these programs, many of the initial tasks of the Chatham County Waste Management Task Force will have been accomplished; and


WHEREAS, the Chatham County Waste Management Task Force has performed an outstanding service to Chatham County by guiding the planning and implementation of the landfill closure, planning for and educating the citizens of Chatham County in the values of materials recycling, locating and designing the permanent staffed recycling/collection centers and has accomplished the immense task for which it was formed, it is now time to set up a permanent Solid Waste Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, such a committee would provide a public forum for citizen input in developing a comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan for Chatham County and establishing the County's goals for the reduction of solid waste as set forth in HB 859 and other requirements as may be set by the North Carolina Legislature or other regulatory bodies;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chatham County Board of Commissioners hereby approve the attached resolution and proposed Bylaws for the formation of a Chatham County Solid Waste Advisory Committee.

Adopted this, the 4th day of November, 1996.


Uva R. Holland, Chairman
Chatham County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST

Sandra B. Lee, Clerk to the Board
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