RESOLUTION

HONORING COL. GERALD TOTTEN FOR HIS SERVICE ON THE MID-CAROLINA PRIVATE INDUSTRY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, Col. Gerald Totten has shown his personal dedication to the citizens of Chatham County through his seven years of service on the Mid-Carolina Private Industry Council (PIC), including two years as Chairman; and

WHEREAS, he has worked devotedly to achieve the aims of the PIC, which are to develop the human resources and foster the economic development of the Mid-Carolina four-county area through job training programs, and as a result, he has had a favorable impact on hundreds of people who received these services; and

WHEREAS, under his leadership as chairman, the Mid-Carolina PIC has exceeded state standards two years in a row and accordingly has been awarded an additional \$80,000 to spend on the job training needs of residents of Chatham County and the three other counties that constitute the Mid-Carolina service delivery area; and

WHEREAS, Col. Totten is recognized as an extremely dynamic and committed PIC chairman, as evidenced by his peers asking him to serve an unprecedented second term as PIC Chairman and repeatedly nominating him for the Governor's Volunteer of the Year Award; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Chatham County and, indeed of the entire Mid-Carolina Service Delivery Area, will miss his leadership on the PIC, but are grateful for his continued service on the High Performance Task Force of the Governor's Work Force Preparedness Committee; the Triad Quality Forum, of which he is a founding member; and North Carolina Quality Leadership Foundation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Chatham that we do hereby extend our warmest appreciation to Col. Gerald Totten for his outstanding service on the Mid-Carolina Private Industry Council;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we wish him the very best in his future endeavors.

Adopted and presented this, the 13 day of February, 1995.

Was Abella Betty Wilson, Vice Chair

Henry Dunlap, Commissioner

John Grimes, Commissioner

Margaret Pollard, Commissioner