

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR THE SERVICE OF MARK P. ASHNESS

WHEREAS, on August 19, 1991, Mark P. Ashness was hired as Chatham County's first Director of Public Works; and

WHEREAS, because of his leadership and management skill, the County was able to consolidate successfully the diverse areas of Water, Solid Waste, and Buildings and Grounds into a well-functioning department; and

WHEREAS, through dedication and hard work, Mark was largely responsible for the accomplishment of many significant achievements during his tenure, including the design and development of the convenience centers, the closing of the landfill, the arrangement with ARS for the disposal of solid waste, the development of a long-range water plan, the construction of the water plant, and numerous additions to the water system; and

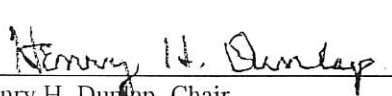
WHEREAS, with concern for the well-being of his employees, Mark developed and implemented several programs in his department to ensure that his employees would have a safer workplace; and


WHEREAS, using his knowledge and expertise, Mark willingly worked with other departments to assist them with their projects, including the Animal Shelter, the Health Department Office in Siler City, and the renovation of the County Manager's Office;

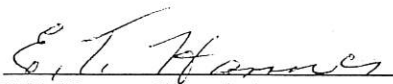
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Chatham, North Carolina, that we hereby extend our appreciation to Mark P. Ashness for his three years of service to Chatham County; and

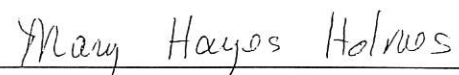
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we do wish him well in his future endeavors.

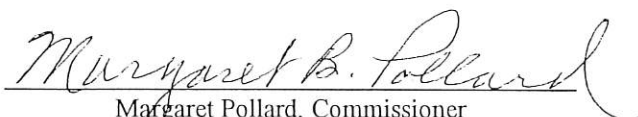
Adopted this, the 8th day of August, 1994.


Henry H. Dunlap, Chair


Uva Holland, Vice Chair


E.T. Hanner, Commissioner


Mary Hayes Holmes, Commissioner


Margaret Pollard, Commissioner