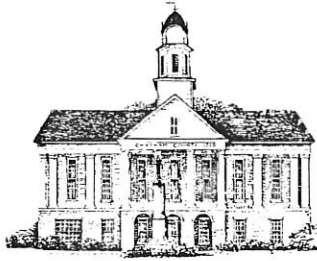


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## RESOLUTION

### Requesting the N.C. Association of County Commissioners to Pursue Legislation to Give Boards of County Commissioners Increased Input into and Control of Municipal Annexations

**WHEREAS**, because of its geographic proximity to Triangle cities, Chatham County and its citizens face the potential for annexation by cities not currently located within the County, as evidenced by the Town of Cary's initiation of procedures to annex the Amberly Development, a portion of which is located in Chatham County; and

**WHEREAS**, such annexations pose several problems for Chatham County, the most significant of which is the County's loss of zoning, subdivision, and inspection control within its boundaries to cities that may not share the County's vision for planned growth that enhances and is compatible with the County's rural character; and

**WHEREAS**, under current State law, Chatham County will likewise have no input into the density of development within the annexed areas, even though denser developments with many more residents may strain the ability of County government to provide services in these areas, especially education of school children; and

**WHEREAS**, the only avenue for input from Chatham County residents into whether these areas are annexed and how they are developed is through the Chatham County Board of Commissioners, which is elected from and by the citizens of Chatham County;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Chatham, North Carolina, that the Board does hereby request that the N.C. Association of County Commissioners pursue legislation from the N.C. General Assembly to increase the amount of control and input Boards of County Commissioners have into annexations into their boundaries by cities formerly located entirely outside their boundaries.

Adopted this, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1994.

Henry H. Dunlap, Jr.  
Henry H. Dunlap, Jr., Chairman  
Chatham County Board of Commissioners

**ATTEST:**

Sandra B. Lee  
Sandra Lee, Clerk to the Board  
Chatham County