ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CHATHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION FOR THE FORMATION OF A JOINT CRIMINAL JUSTICE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM FOR ORANGE AND CHATHAM COUNTIES

- WHEREAS, grant funds are available as a result of the N. C. Criminal Justice Partnership Act for counties to develop community-based correction programs, and
- WHEREAS, the N.C. Criminal Justice Partnership Program is encouraging the development of multi-county advisory boards in order to take advantage of possible savings in administrative costs, and
- WHEREAS, the Orange and Chatham County Boards of Commission approved the formation of a local work group to determine the feasibility and desirability of the two counties to apply jointly, especially since both counties share the same judicial district and mental health service area, and
- WHEREAS, the work group, comprised of a commissioner from each county, the (2) county managers, the (2) Sheriffs, the District Attorney, and the Director of OPC Mental Health have met twice to discuss this issue, and
- WHEREAS, the work group has determined that a joint grant application and programming effort would be beneficial to both counties,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Orange and Chatham County Boards of Commissioners express their approval for the formation of a Joint County Advisory Board to pursue the procurement of funding and the establishment of communitybased correction programs.

This, the Eth day of August, 1994.

Moses Carey, Chair

Orange County Board of

Commissioners

Henry H. Dunlap, Jr., Chair Chatham County Board of

Commissioners