CHATHAM COUNTY

RESOLUTION OF COMMITMENT
TO FURTHER FAIR HOUSING

WHEREAS, the Chatham County Board of Commissioners is familiar with Title VIII, Civil Rights Act of 1968, amended by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974; and

WHEREAS, the Chatham County Board of Commissioners is aware that they are obligated to be in compliance with the "State Fair Housing Act", (under Chapter 41A of the General Statutes of North Carolina); and

WHEREAS, the Chatham County Board of Commissioners will administer programs and activities relating to housing and urban development in a manner to affirmatively further fair housing.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Chatham County Board of Commissioners agrees to commit to fair housing within the Chatham County jurisdiction and will substantially comply with all Federal, State and local laws, rules, regulations, and ordinances applicable in their efforts to further fair housing within Chatham County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Keith Megginson, Planning Director, Chatham County is hereby named Fair Housing Officer in order to provide counseling and referral services to persons having complaints about housing discrimination and housing conditions within Chatham County.

ADOPTED, this the 20th day of October, 2003.

[Signatures]

Tommy Emerson, Chairman
Chatham County

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