RESOLUTION
Resolution Supporting Resident Concerns on Highway 15-501 construction

Whereas, North Carolina has been known as the good roads state; and

Whereas, the NC Department of Transportation prides itself in the work they do to make good roads safe roads as well; and

Whereas, the construction work to enhance Highway #15-501 between Pittsboro and Chapel Hill is dedicated to being good, appropriate, and safe roadway; and

Whereas, businesses and citizens living and working in the area around Allen and Sons B-B-Q and Whitaker Service Center have pointed out several safety and business concerns as they pertain to ingress and egress of driveways to their homes and businesses; and

Whereas, those concerns related to storm water drainage, roadway elevations, and adverse line of sight conditions that could cause injury or death as well as adversely impacting the economic viability of existing businesses; and

Whereas, the Board of Commissioners considers citizen safety and business economic viability of utmost importance.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Chatham County Board of Commissioners hereby support citizen concerns about the work being done in the areas outlined above, and strongly requests that the NC Department of Transportation make every effort to make roadway safe, not only for drivers using the roadway, but for residents who live in the area and make positive ingress and egress for the customers who frequent the area’s businesses on a daily basis.

ATTEST:

Gary Phillips, Chair

Sandra B. Sublett
Clerk to the Board