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**Resolution of the Chatham County
Board of Commissioners**

**COMMENDING THE PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
ON ITS 100 PERCENT RE-ACCREDITATION REVIEW**

WHEREAS, every four years, all public health departments across North Carolina must complete a rigorous program for accreditation, involving a review of 41 benchmarks and 148 activities; and

WHEREAS, the NC Local Health Department Accreditation Board's site visit team visited all Health Department facilities, interviewed staff and Board of Health members and reviewed a large volume of records, websites, reports and many other documents; and

WHEREAS, this process requires extensive hard work by staff in the months leading up to the accreditation review, with no additional state funding provided to do so;

WHEREAS, for the second consecutive time, Chatham County's Public Health Department received a 100% re-accreditation review, meeting the state's requirements of all 41 benchmarks and 148 activities.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chatham County Board of Commissioners commends the Chatham County Public Health Department for its four-year re-accreditation achievement, which shows that the department has met the "gold standard" for its programs and services.

Adopted this 18th day of February of 2013:

Walter Petty, Chairman
Chatham County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Sandra B. Sublett, CMC, NCCCC, Clerk to the Board
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