

RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE NC CAROLINA CORE

WHEREAS, Highway 421 is the next engine for economic growth in the center of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Carolina Core is an emerging megasite corridor between Winston-Salem, Greensboro, High Point and Fayetteville at the heart of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the development of four megasites, plus industrial sites, urban research parks and mixed use developments, present large-scale economic transformation opportunity in the Carolina Core; and

WHEREAS, combining these megasites with a labor shed of more than one million workers fueled by the innovation of more than 30 colleges and universities positions the Carolina Core globally as a compelling site for industry; and

WHEREAS, the public and private sector have invested hundreds of millions of dollars in infrastructure, sites and higher education, which will support economic growth in the Carolina Core like Research Triangle Park over the last 50 years; and

WHEREAS, this is the single largest opportunity for incremental and transformational growth in North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the Carolina Core will brand and market the Highway 421 corridor as a vision for central North Carolina to include signage along the corridor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners, that we support the efforts of the NC Carolina Core.

Adopted, this the ____ day of _____.
