

## CHATHAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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

## REQUESTING THE CHATHAM COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS HOLD ELECTIONS REGARDING THE ON-PREMISES SALE OF MALT BEVERAGES

**WHEREAS**, N.C.G.S. § 18B-600 (b) allows a county to hold elections concerning permitting the on-premises sale of malt beverages; and,

WHEREAS, N.C.G.S. § 18B-601 provides that such elections described in N.C.G.S § 18B-600 shall be conducted by the county board of elections upon its receipt of a written request for such elections from the governing body of the county; and,

WHEREAS, any such request for such elections shall state the propositions upon which the registered voters of the county shall vote, as such propositions are set forth in N.C.G.S. § 18B-602; and

**WHEREAS**, while certain opportunities already exist within Chatham County for the on premises sale of alcoholic beverages, the County has recognized gaps in the types of permits that may be legally obtained within the County under current authority; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Chatham County Board of Commissioners, the governing body of Chatham County, desires to give the voters of Chatham County the opportunity to vote to determine whether the sale of on-premises malt beverages should be permitted in Chatham County to the fullest extent of available authority contained in N.C.G.S. § 18B-600;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Chatham County Board of Commissioners does hereby request that the Chatham County Board of Elections conduct an alcoholic beverage election in Chatham County, North Carolina pursuant to the provisions of Article 6 of Chapter 18B of the North Carolina General Statutes and that the ballot for such election contain the following proposition:

To permit the "on-premises" and "off-premises" sale of malt beverages

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<b>BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED</b> that the Cleonity Board of Elections hold the elections describe	hatham County Board of Commissioners requests that the Chatham ed herein on March 3, 2020.
Adopted, this theday of	
	Mike Dasher, Chairman
ATTECT.	Chatham County Board of Commissioners
Lindsay K. Ray, NCCCC, Clerk to the Board	<u> </u>