A Resolution Supporting the Connect NC Bond Act

WHEREAS, all counties in North Carolina have a mutual desire to improve and enhance the quality of life for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Community College System is in need of new and renovated facilities to educate and prepare students and workers for the 21st century for the purpose of enhancing the economic attractiveness of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, clean water and sewer systems are essential to protecting public health and safety and in supporting effective economic development; and

WHEREAS, our quality of life is greatly enhanced by having parks and public facilities that are accessible to children and seniors with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, financing these costs through a statewide bond is the most economical and affordable way to address these infrastructure needs; and

WHEREAS, the Connect NC Bond Act will provide funding for many critical needs facing North Carolina that will improve and enhance the quality of life in our communities, including grants and loans for local water and sewer systems and funds to improve facilities at Jordan Lake State Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners that we fully support the Connect NC Bond Act and the benefits that it can bring to Chatham County. We encourage our residents to learn more about it before it is on the ballot March 15, 2016.

Adopted by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners on March 7, 2016.

James Crawford, Chairman
Chatham County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Lindsay K. Ray, NCCC, Clerk to the Board
Chatham County Board of Commissioners