Memorandum

To: Mayor and Town Council

From: Chapel Hill Public Arts Commission

Date: January 23, 2006

Subject: Advice from Town Attorney

Two years ago the Chapel Hill Public Arts Commission(CHPAC) began working on a Civic and Public Art Contextual Plan for the Town.

As a Special Commission of the Town of Chapel Hill the CHPAC is charged with administration of the Town's Percent for Art Ordinance. In the context of policy recommendations that will evolve through the development of this new Contextual Plan, it would be valuable for the CHPAC to consult with the Town Attorney Ralph Karpinos to discuss the challenge of overlaying public art policy into the Town ordinances.

Thank you for your consideration.