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March 30 2005

Mayor Kevin Foy and Members of Town Council Town of Chapel Hill 306 North Columbia Street Chapel Hill, NC 27516

Dear Mayor Foy and Town Council Members,

By a unanimous 6-0 vote of the Chapel Hill Downtown Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors present at the March 23 2005 board meeting, we would like to formally petition Town Council to investigate and consider establishing an ordinance that would allow for the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages on Town property during specifically designated community events. It is our understanding that many nearby communities have such ordinances in place and use them effectively and appropriately for selected community events. We believe that such an ordinance might be an additional economic development tool for downtown Chapel Hill and benefit both adult citizens and local businesses.

Respectfully,
Andrew Robbacher mo

Andrea Rohrbacher, Chair

Board of Directors