



Carrboro & Southern Village

FARMERS' MARKETS

locally grown - nationally known

109 Shelton Street
Carrboro, NC 27510

Thursday, January 12, 2006

Mayor Kevin Foy and Town Council Members
306 Martin Luther King Drive
Chapel Hill, NC 27516

Dear Mayor Foy and Council Members:

On behalf of the Chapel Hill-Carrboro Farmers' Market, Inc., I am petitioning you for assistance with road signage.

In Carrboro, the town worked with Market representatives to manufacture and install the brown directional signs at several places in Carrboro that say "Farmers' Market" and include operation hours. In addition to the Wednesday and Saturday markets that we operate on the Carrboro Town Commons, we also manage a market in Chapel Hill in the village center of Southern Village. This will be our third season operating as a Chapel Hill market in Southern Village.

We believe Farmers' Market signs at the interchange of 15-501 and the 54 bypass would be extremely helpful to both our vendors and the customers who would like to find us at our Thursday Chapel Hill market. We also ask you to work with us in getting brown Farmers' Market signs attached to the "Southern Village" signs that are north and south of the entrance to Southern Village.

As you probably know, we are a not for profit corporation with a very small budget. We proudly provide for sale a variety of locally produced items.

We appreciate your consideration and support and look forward to your response to our petition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "S. Neal". The signature is fluid and extends across the width of the text area.

Sheila Neal, Manager
Chapel Hill-Carrboro Farmers' Market, Inc.