

TO: Roger L. Stancil, Town Manager

FROM: Regina Blalock, Chair, Active Living by Design

SUBJECT: Letter of Support for transitioning town staff support of the Active Living by Design Committee from the Planning Department to the Parks and Recreation Department.

DATE: June 5, 2009

At the June 4th meeting of the Active Living by Design (ALBD) committee, members voted unanimously to endorse the transition of town support for the Active Living by Design Committee from the Planning Department to the Parks and Recreation Department. We appreciate your thoughtful consideration of the future of our committee, and we sincerely appreciate the opportunity to continue our work to make Chapel Hill a healthier community. Our experience working with the Parks and Recreation staff on the Community Garden has been very positive, and we believe this change will be a good fit for the ALBD committee. However, Due to the Go! Chapel Hill TMP program continuing under the Planning Department, we would like the committee to remain the "Active Living by Design Committee," rather than be renamed the "Go! Chapel Hill Committee."