A RESOLUTION ENDORSING A PUBLIC PROCESS FOR REVIEW OF A DRAFT INCLUSIONARY ZONING ORDINANCE (2009-10-28/R-2)

WHEREAS, the Town Council wishes to solicit input from the community on a draft Inclusionary Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Town's Comprehensive Plan has a goal to increase the availability of well-designed, affordable, safe, and sanitary housing for all citizens of Chapel Hill, and also includes a policy of encouraging developers of residential developments of five or more units to provide 15% of their units at prices affordable to low and moderate income households; and

WHEREAS, the Comprehensive Plan includes a strategy to continue to seek inclusionary zoning; and

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2009 the Council referred a report and draft Inclusionary Zoning Ordinance prepared by the Inclusionary Zoning Task Force to the staff to develop a process for public review;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill endorses the following schedule for public review of a draft Inclusionary Zoning Ordinance:

Date	Action	Comments
Week of	Distribute draft	Developers, builders, applicants with active development
November 2,	ordinance and	applications on file in the Planning Department and non-
2009	request feedback	profit agencies would be notified.
	from	
	stakeholders	Include information on public meeting
Week of	Advertise public	Make materials available on the Town's website
November 9,	session	
2009		
Week of	Hold open public	Consultant attends to present information and assist in
November 30,	session	collecting feedback
2009*		
December, 2009	Staff drafts	Staff recommendations may include options for including
	recommendations	public input.
	based on public	
	comments	
December 2009 -	Planning Board	Planning Board makes recommendation to Council
January 2010	meets to review	
	recommendation	
March, 2010	Town Council	Council reviews staff and Planning Board
	opens Public	recommendations
	Hearing	

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council allocates an amount not to exceed \$5,000 to continue to work with Clarion Associates to implement the public review process.

This the 28th day of October, 2009.