



**Knotts Funeral Home**

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Mr. Cal Horton, Town Manager  
306 North Columbia Street  
Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Dear Mr. Horton,

Over the last few months we've had significant problems with parking for our bereaved families that come into our Funeral Home. The families and friends are constantly putting coins into the meters while handling final arrangements and/or viewing the remains of their deceased loved ones.

I purchased this property in 1997 and there were no meters at this location. Three or four months after my Open House, meters were installed. I really should have questioned the installation of the meters at that time, but I did not realize the complex problem that would develop.

Machine Technology, Inc. is located on the same street and there are no parking meters in front of this business.

As a business serving the public in their time of bereavement, I would like to request an early meeting with you, to discuss the removal of the meters from the front of our Funeral Home.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

W.H. Knotts, Sr.  
Owner, Knotts Funeral Home





