## **BOCC** highlights for Monday, November 8, 2010

The Durham Board of County Commissioners met on Monday, November 8, 2010, at 7 p.m. and considered an agenda that included the following highlights:

The Board of Commissioners proclaimed November 12 as **Home Care and Hospice Month** in Durham County and urged citizens to celebrate all in-home and community based services. Duke Home Care & Hospice Services has provided care to terminally ill patients and their families in this community for 31 years.

A public hearing was held on the issuance of revenue bonds by Chesterfield Partners, LLC for the acquisition, construction, renovation and equipping of the Chesterfield Building to be renovated into a mixed use facility. The project consists of a total of approximately 360,000 square feet facility located on an approximately 1,484 –acre tract at 701 W. Main Street. With the 5-0 approval by the Commissioners, the Chesterfield Partners LLC may borrow, at no liability to Durham County, revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed \$65 million to complete the project.

The Board also held a public hearing to consider allocating Economic Development Investment Funds to the Hill, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Greenfire Development LLK for converting the old CCB building into a 165-room boutique hotel and spa, to the known as the "Spark Hotel Project". The Commissioners voted 5-0 to provide up to 1,000.000 in incentive funds once the project is completed and open for business. The incentive award is subject to final approval of the Local Government Commission (LGC).

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