BOCC Meeting Highlights from Monday, April 12, 2010

The Durham County Board of Commissioners met in a regular session on Monday, April 12, 2010 at 7 p.m. and considered an agenda that included the following highlights. The full current Board agenda is available on the <u>Board of Commissioners Web site</u>.

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Meeting Highlights:

The Board of County Commissioners approved a resolution to recognize the Duke University Men's Basketball Team, the 2010 NCAA Basketball Champions. This is Duke's fourth national title. The resolution was read into the record by Chairman Michael Page and will be presented to Coach Mike Krzyzewski, the coaching staff and team on April 15 at a community wide celebration.

April was proclaimed "Child Abuse Prevention Month" to increase awareness of the many ways the community can support parents and children. All citizens are urged to be involved in supporting families raising their children in a safe, nurturing environment to give the children an opportunity to grow up to become caring, contributing members of the community. The annual Child Abuse Prevention Walk is set for April 22.

Lisa Nolen, Outreach Coordinator for the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners, (NCACC) presented the Outstanding County Program Award to the Durham County Human Resources staff for its "Dependent Eligibility Audit." The NCACC Outstanding County Program Award was initiated in 1991 as a way to recognize innovative program that other counties might want to emulate. Entries are judged for Innovation, Success, Effort/Difficulty, and Collaboration.

The Board voted to move \$430,000 of available 2007 General Obligation Bond Funds from the Easley Elementary School Project to the Jordan High School Project making its total budget \$1,388,333.

Commissioners also approved moving \$100,000 of available 2003 General Obligation Bond Funds from the Club Boulevard Elementary School Project to the Fuller Building Project making its total budget \$458,000.

The Board approved the its 2010 Legislative Agenda. A meeting will be held between the Durham County Commissioners and the Durham County Legislative Delegation on April 28 to present the items.

The Board voted to reconsider one of the recent appointments to the Durham City/County Planning Commission.