

BOCC Meeting Highlights from Monday, January 11, 2010

The Durham County Board of Commissioners met in a regular session on Monday, January 11 at 7 p.m. and considered an agenda that included the following highlights.

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Meeting Highlights:

The Board recognized Durham County Library Director Hampton “Skip” Auld for being named a 2009 Distinguished Alumnus of the UNC-Chapel Hill School of Information and Library Science.

The Board of Commissioners conducted a public hearing and voted to enter into an economic development incentive contract with Innovative Emergency Management, Inc. IEM is a leading provider of risk management services. Up to \$100,000 would be provided over a three year period as a match to the NC One Fund Grant for relocating company headquarters to Durham County from Baton Rouge, Louisiana and creating approximately 210 jobs.

Durham County issued a resolution in support of the Durham Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee who will lead the community in a variety of activities in observance of the annual Martin Luther King holiday.

The Chairman proclaimed January as “Talk it Up! Lock It Up! Campaign” month in support of Durham Together for Resilient Youth (TRY) to help prevent and reduce substance abuse among youth.