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ZONING REGULATIONS TEXT AMENDMENT NO.

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A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE MECKLENBURG COUNTY ZONING REGULATIONS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF MECKLENBURG COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA:

Section 1. Appendix A, "Zoning" of the Code of the City of Charlotte is hereby amended as follows:

1. Amend Chapter 9: <u>General Districts</u>, Part 2, <u>Single Family</u>, Section 9.202(7). <u>Elementary and Secondary Schools</u>, as follows:

Modify sub-section 7(a) as follows:

- "(a) All buildings, outdoor recreational facilities, and off-street parking and service areas will be separated by a Class C buffer for elementary and junior high schools and a Class B buffer for senior high schools from any abutting property located in a residential zoning district (See Section 12.302), except that buffers shall not be required to separate adjacent public elementary schools: junior high or middle schools; senior high schools: or public parks and greenways:
- 2. Amend Chapter 9: General Districts, Part 3, Multi-Family District, Section 9.303(10)a, Elementary and Secondary Schools as follows:

Modify sub-section 10(a) as follows:

- "(a) All buildings, outdoor recreational facilities and off-street parking and service areas will be separated by a Class C buffer for elementary schools and junior high schools and Class B buffer for senior high schools from any abutting residential zoning district (See Section 12.302). except that buffers shall not be required to separate adjacent public elementary schools; junior high or middle schools; senior high schools; or public parks and greenways;
- 3. Amend Chapter 12: <u>Development Standards of General Applicability</u>. Part 3. <u>Buffers and Screening</u>, Table 12.302(a), <u>Minimum Buffer Requirements</u>, by <u>District Categories</u> as follows:

Modify column heading "Developing Uses" sub-category "2. Institutional" as follows:

"Low Intensity: Civic, service and fraternal organizations; cultural facilities; Child care center; Dormitories; Elementary schools *; Group homes with more than 6 residents; and Nursing homes, rest homes and homes for the aged."

"Medium Intensity: Government buildings, less than 12,500 sq. ft.; Health institutions, less than 50,000 sq. ft.; Junior high and Middle schools **; Religious institutions. up to

750 seats; Stadiums and arenas, less than 5,000 seats and other institutional uses less 50,000 sq. ft.

"High Intensity: Government buildings, 12,500 sq. ft. or more; Health institutions, 50,000 sq. ft. or more; High schools *; Religious institutions, 750 seats or more; Stadiums and arenas, 5,000 seats or more; Universities, colleges and junior colleges; and other institutional uses more than 50,000 sq. ft.

Modify footer to include:

* Except that buffers shall not be required to separate adjacent public elementary schools. junior high or middle schools: senior high schools; or public parks and greenways.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:	
County Attorney	
Read, approved, and adopted by the Boar North Carolina, in the meeting held on the	rd of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County, 9th day of February , 1999.
	Clerk, Board of County Commissioners