

# REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

## HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**MEETING DATE:** April 3, 2006  
**SUBJECT:** 2006 Spring Litter Sweep Resolution  
**ATTACHMENTS:** Resolution

**SUMMARY OF REQUEST:**

NCDOT's 2006 Spring Litter Sweep will take place April 17-30, 2006. The attached resolution encourages Henderson County citizens to participate in this event.

**COUNTY MANAGER RECOMMENDATION/BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:**

Recommend that the Board of Commissioners adopt the attached resolution as presented.

**HENDERSON COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

**Resolution  
2006 Spring Litter Sweep**

**Whereas**, the North Carolina Department of Transportation organizes an annual Spring statewide roadside cleanup to ensure clean and beautiful roads in North Carolina; and

**Whereas**, the Spring 2006 Litter Sweep roadside cleanup will take place on April 17-30, 2006, and encourages local governments and communities, civic and professional groups, businesses, churches, schools, families and individual citizens to participate in the Department of Transportation cleanup by sponsoring and organizing local roadside cleanups; and

**Whereas**, Adopt-A-Highway volunteers, Department of Transportation employees, Department of Correction inmates and community service workers, local government agencies, community leaders, civic and community organizations, businesses, churches, schools and environmentally concerned citizens conduct annual local cleanups during Litter Sweep and may receive certificates of appreciation for their participation; and

**Whereas**, the great natural beauty of our state and a clean environment are sources of great pride for all North Carolinians, attracting tourists and aiding in recruiting new industries; and

**Whereas**, the cleanup will increase awareness of the need for cleaner roadsides, emphasize the importance of not littering and encourage recycling of solid wastes; and

**Whereas**, the 2006 Spring Litter Sweep will celebrate the 18<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the North Carolina Adopt-A-Highway program and its 6,000 volunteer groups that donate labor and time year round to keep our roadsides clean; and

**Whereas**, the Litter Sweep cleanup will be a part of educating the children of this great state regarding the importance of a clean environment to the quality of life in North Carolina.

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** by the Henderson County, North Carolina Board of Commissioners to encourage citizens in Henderson County to take an active role in making our community cleaner through participating in local Litter Sweep activities.

Adopted this the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 2006.

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William L. Moyer, Chairman

ATTEST:

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Elizabeth W. Corn, Clerk to the Board