

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

ITEM NO. D(2)

AGENDA ITEM ABSTRACT

MEETING DATE: **October 2, 2001**

TITLE: Resolution Establishing a Committee to Preserve the Adams Tract

DEPARTMENT: n/a	PUBLIC HEARING: YES ___ NO <u>x</u>
ATTACHMENTS: A. Resolution B. Excerpts from 8/14/01 and 8/21/01 Board of Aldermen Minutes	FOR INFORMATION CONTACT: Mike Nelson, 929-7514

PURPOSE

The purpose of this item is for the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to consider adopting a resolution establishing a committee to preserve the Adams' property that is located along Bolin Creek.

INFORMATION

On August 14, 2001 the Board of Aldermen expressed its desire to schedule a Board discussion on establishing a committee whose purpose would be to investigate ways to possibly purchase and preserve the Adams' property. In addition, on August 21, 2001 the Board adopted a resolution re-affirming the Town's desire to preserve this property.

Mayor Nelson is proposing that a committee consisting of two members of the Board of Aldermen, one representative from the Triangle Land Conservancy, one member of the Orange County Board of Commissioners, one member of the Recreation and Parks Commission, one member of the Chapel Hill Greenways Commission, and two citizen activists be established. The charge of the committee would be to explore ways to preserve the Adams Tract.

ADMINISTRATION'S RECOMMENDATION

The administration recommends that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen consider adopting the attached resolution establishing a committee to preserve the Adams property.