

# BOARD OF ALDERMEN

ITEM NO. D(3)

## AGENDA ITEM ABSTRACT

**MEETING DATE: November 15, 2005**

**TITLE:** Appointments to TTA Work Group

<b>DEPARTMENT: PLANNING</b>	<b>PUBLIC HEARING: YES __ NO _X_</b>
<b>ATTACHMENTS:</b> A. Resolution B. Excerpt from October 11 Minutes C. Application from Thomas K. Tiemann	<b>FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:</b> Dale McKeel – 918-7329

### **PURPOSE**

The Board of Aldermen on October 11<sup>th</sup> endorsed the formation of a work group to address providing TTA service to downtown Carrboro. The town staff recommends that the Board of Aldermen identify a Board member to serve on the work group and adopt the attached resolution making the appointments.

### **INFORMATION**

At its meeting on May 24, the Board of Aldermen discussed the need for direct TTA bus service to downtown Carrboro and requested that a letter be sent to the TTA Board of Trustees requesting that TTA provide service to downtown Carrboro.

In its response, the TTA suggested that a work group be formed to address the Town's request. Suggested members of the work group would include staff from the Town of Carrboro, Chapel Hill Transit, TTA, and DCHC-MPO; members from the Carrboro and Chapel Hill Transportation Advisory Boards, and Carrboro citizens and elected officials.

At its worksession on October 11, the Board of Aldermen requested that Town staff begin formulating the work group and identifying other stakeholders (Attachment B). The following members from Carrboro have been identified:

- Carrboro Citizen: Thomas K. Tieman has submitted an application (Attachment C)
- Carrboro Transportation Advisory Board: Heidi Perry, TAB Chair
- Town of Carrboro Staff: Dale McKeel, Transportation Planner

### **RECOMMENDATION**

The town staff recommends that the Board adopt the attached resolution designating one of its members to serve on the TTA Work Group and appointing Thomas K. Tieman, Heidi Perry, and Dale McKeel.