



**MECKLENBURG COUNTY**  
Land Use and Environmental Services Agency

April 18, 2013

Ms. Penelope Cothran  
Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission  
600 East Fourth Street  
Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

**Re: Rezoning Petition 2013-034**

Approximately 10 acres located on the east side of Brookshire Boulevard near the intersection of Caldwell Williams Road and Brookshire Boulevard.

Dear Ms. Cothran,

Representatives of the Air Quality (MCAQ), Groundwater & Wastewater Services (MCGWS), Solid Waste (MCSW), Storm Water Services (MCSWS), and Water Quality (MCWQ) Programs of the Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency (LUESA) have reviewed the above referenced rezoning petition.

**Programs with No Comment at this Time**

Air Quality  
Solid Waste  
Groundwater & Wastewater Services

**Recommendations and/or Ordinance Requirement Reminders**

Storm Water Services

The requirements of the post-construction storm water ordinance for the City of Charlotte should be applied to the proposed rezoning. More detailed information regarding ordinance requirements is available at the following website:

<http://charmeck.org/stormwater/regulations/Pages/Post-ConstructionStormWaterOrdinances.aspx> and click on City of Charlotte.

**Watershed Protection:**

Water supply watershed protection requirements apply as described on the following website:

<http://charmeck.org/stormwater/regulations/Pages/WaterSupplyWatershedOrdinances.aspx>.

However, the storm water controls specified in the post-construction storm water ordinance, as described on the website indicated above, are more restrictive and will

therefore supersede the watershed protection rules. The exception is that the built-upon-area caps in the water supply watershed will continue to apply along with any buffer requirements that are more restrictive.

**Impaired Streams:**

The property represented in this rezoning drains to surface waters listed on North Carolinas Department of Natural Resources 303(d) list of impaired streams. Long Creek is listed for copper and turbidity due to pollution discharges. By properly controlling pollutants both during and after construction you can help restore these surface waters. More information on North Carolina's impaired waters and 303(d) list can be found at <http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/wq/ps/mtu/assessment>.

Please contact the staff members who conducted the reviews if you have any questions.

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Respectfully,

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