

# MECKLENBURG COUNTY

# Land Use and Environmental Services Agency

May 16, 2014

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

**Re:** Rezoning Petition 2014-062

Text Amendment - Adding a Definition of 'Winery'

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

#### Water Quality:

**General Comments:** 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: <a href="http://charmeck.org/stormwater/regulations/Pages/Post-constructionStormWaterOrdinances.aspx">http://charmeck.org/stormwater/regulations/Pages/Post-constructionStormWaterOrdinances.aspx</a> and click on City of Charlotte.

## **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. Little Sugar Creek is listed for ecological/biological integrity of benthos, ecological/biological integrity of fish, fecal coliform, copper, turbidity, and water column mercury due to pollution discharges. By properly controlling pollutants both during and after construction you can help restore these surface waters. More information on North

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Carolina's impaired waters and 303(d) list can be found at http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/wq/ps/mtu/assessment

No further comments on the above petition at this time.

Please contact the staff members who conducted the reviews if you have any questions. The reviews were conducted by, Megan Green (Megan.Green@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCAQ, Dennis Tyndall (Dennis.Tyndall@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with GWS, Joe Hack (Joe.Hack@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCSW, Bill Tingle (Bill.Tingle@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCSWS, and Rusty Rozzelle (Rusty.Rozzelle@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCWQ.

Respectfully,

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