



HIGH POINT
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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The High Point Chamber of Commerce

December 9, 2014

Rachel Moss Gauldin
Chief Operating Officer

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For High Point Convention and Visitors Bureau December 29, 2014
Organization Date

By Mary A. Rutledge
Name

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HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY

Joint Resolution in Support of The Renaming of Kivett Drive to Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive

WHEREAS, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., was an American clergyman, activist, and prominent leader in our Country's Civil Rights Movement which will forever continue to impact the lives of all Americans for all generations to come; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King shall forever remain known for his selfless role in the advancement of civil rights for all American while employing nonviolent civil disobedience actions. Through his selfless and courageous acts of unrestrained speech, protests, and marches, Dr. King worked diligently to enhance the lives of all Americans by his commitment to ensure that every individual regardless of their race, sex, or creed would be assured an equal opportunity to succeed based on the quality of their character, and

WHEREAS, Dr. King received the Nobel Peace Prize, the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the Congressional Gold Medal, and the United States Congress designated January as an American Federal Holiday celebrating Dr. King's significant impact on this Country and is observed on the third Monday of January each year, and

WHEREAS, there are currently 900 streets in 40 U.S. states that currently carry the name of Dr. King serving as important symbols that commemorate and symbolize to both residents and visitors alike a reminder of the significant historical importance of Dr. King to this country, and as a reminder of the need for continued focus on the ongoing focus of fulfilling the Dr. King's "Dream" of racial equality and social integration.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that we, the undersigned, encourage and support the renaming of Kivett Drive to Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive to recognize, honor and celebrate the significant contributions and achievements of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and hereby support a one-year delay of the implementation of this street renaming action to give the impacted residents and business owners time to prepare for this change.

For High Point University

Date January 2, 2015

By Donald A. Scarbrough



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The High Point Partners

December 30, 2014

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Scott Tilley
Chairman of the Board

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February 17th Association
Organization

Date December 29, 2014

Name _____

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For	<i>THE City Project</i>	<i>31 DEC. 2014</i>
	Organization	Date
By	<i>R. D. F. W.</i>	
	Name	

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For Ministers Conference of High Point & Vicinity, Inc.

December 30, 2014


By Rev. Frank K. Thomas, President

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<p>For <u>HighPoint NAACP</u> Organization</p>	<p><u>12-31-2014</u> Date</p>
<p>By <u>Orluta McLean, President</u> Name</p>	

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For Southwest Renewal Foundation January 1, 2015
Organization Date

By Dorothy Gay Dunn
Name

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For

Hayden-Harns Foundation
Organization

1/4/15
Date

By

[Signature]
Name



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For

High Point Community Foundation 11/5/15

Organization

Date

By

Paul J. Lessard

Name

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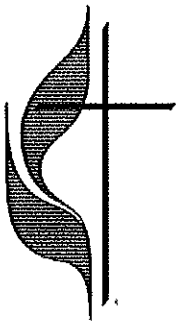
WASHINGTON STREET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION
Organization

Date

1/5/2015

By

Charity Jackson, President.
Name



Christ United Methodist Church

1300 North College Drive
HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA 27262
336-889-4777

January 12, 2015

To whom it may concern:

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For Christ United Methodist Church, High Point, NC
Organization

January 12, 2015
Date

By 
Rev. Dr. Matthew S. Farabow, Senior Minister

*Christ United Methodist Church is a growing
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Andrew Resident Association

Organization

1-19-20

Date

Lithia S. Strickland

Signature