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Chancellor Kevin Guskiewicz  
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
South Building, Suite 103  
200 East Cameron Avenue  
Chapel Hill, NC 27599-9100

Dear Chancellor Guskiewicz,

Thank you for reaching out to request a process for establishing new ways for our organizations to work together to ensure community safety, including possible joint jurisdiction for properties bordering the university where fraternity and sorority houses are located.

I have spoken with our Town Manager, Police Chief and Town Attorney, all of whom look forward to being part of this discussion. Based on my conversations with Town staff, it is my understanding that Mr. Jones and Chief Blue will be reaching out to their counterparts at the university to set up an initial meeting. Depending on holiday schedules, they hope to hold that initial meeting within the next two weeks.

As you and I discussed, the Town and the University have already established a successful model for this type of collaboration which is being used for Granville Towers and a portion of Carolina Square. Based on my conversations with Chief Blue, the shared experience working within these agreements will be useful as these new discussions proceed.

In addition, I have spoken with Elinor Landess, Director of the Chapel Hill Campus & Community Coalition to Reduce the Negative Impacts of High-Risk Drinking (CCC). Ms. Landess is interested in working with the Town and University to identify and implement better ways for changing behaviors, including several strategies that have had positive results in other college communities.

We greatly value our partnership with the University and are eager to move forward together on these and other ways to protect the health and safety of our communities.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pam Hemminger".

Mayor Pam Hemminger

Cc: Peter Hans, President, UNC System  
Richard Stevens, Chair, UNC-Chapel Hill Board of Trustees  
Robert Blouin, UNC-CH Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost  
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