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Thank you for your correspondence with the Town of Chapel Hill. The Mayor and Town Council are interested in what you have to say. By way of this email, I am forwarding your message to the Mayor and each of the Council Members, as well as to the appropriate staff person who may be able to assist in providing additional information or otherwise addressing your concerns.

Again, thank you for your message.

Sincerely,

Jeanette Coffin



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Dear Mayor and Council,

In 2020, a petition circulated on Dixie Drive in the North Forest Hills neighborhood to remove the street name. The petitioner suggested they rename Dixie "Seminole," by extending the current Seminole Drive. The petition to remove the street name failed to meet Chapel Hill's established guidelines for renaming streets. Only eight of 26 homes on Dixie Drive supported the petition. In 2021, the petitioner resubmitted the petition, this time appealing directly to Town Council to remove Dixie Drive. The issue was referred to the Council Naming Committee for consideration.

A longtime neighbor familiar with North Forest Hills history knew the street name originated from the Greene family, who developed the neighborhood. Several streets were named after women in the Greene family, including Ellen, Dixie, Cynthia, Virginia, and Barbara. Ironically the petition to remove Dixie Drive states, "The purpose of naming a street after a person, place or idea is to honor that person, place or idea." The purpose of the Greene family is clear. They meant to honor family members, not Confederate culture.

The petition outlined how the word Dixie has been included with Confederate symbolism and is associated with the Antebellum South. This is correct and as there is a cultural shift toward more inclusivity, some changes are needed. For example, Dixie State University, where the context is clearly Antebellum, recently changed its name. The DSU yearbook was *The Confederate*, they displayed a statue of a Confederate soldier, and their mascot was *Rodney Rebel*. In our neighborhood, though, the context is women's names. There is no connection to the pre-war South.

To make everyone feel welcome, neighbors in North Forest Hills have created a petition requesting the installation of signage under the Dixie Drive and Dixie Lane street signs that identify the Greene family. Since words frequently have multiple definitions and meaning we would like to make it clear Dixie is part of the Greene family, not Confederate culture. Neighbors also believe conversation is needed on this topic and they would like to be part of any larger conversations concerning street names in Chapel Hill.

Regards,

Lisa Ostrom

North Forest Hills History

According to Greene Family descendants, Taylor Milton (TM) Greene Sr. was a town barber and his wife Ellen Morrow McIver Greene was a school teacher. Orange County records show a deed to the family to lease the Klutz Building on Franklin Street for University and Carolina Barber Shops.

In 1947 Taylor "TM" Greene and Ellen Morrow McIver Greene purchased 156 acres from Charles and Emma Maddry. This land encompassed all of North Forest Hills to Piney Mountain and land on MLK. The first developed area of the North Forest Hills subdivision "Block A" included Taylor Street, Ellen Place and Lake Ellen.

The first mention of the North Forest Hills subdivision is in 1956 when TM and Ellen transferred land to TM Greene Jr. and his wife Peggy Collums Greene. The Greene's slowly developed North Forest Hills by blocks over the next few decades. Collums Rd. was named for Peggy Collums Greene. Greene family descendants confirmed Dixie Drive was named after a favorite cousin. Cynthia Dr., Barbara Ct. and Virginia Dr. are named for TM Greene Jr. and his wife Peggy Collums Greene's children who were born in the 1960's.

Eventually the second subdivision, Stateside, was created which is also included as part of North Forest Hills. In 1985 TM Greene created the Lake Ellen HOA that exists today. Orange County GIS records also show how our neighborhood became connected to OWASA. There was a one-time assessment of 3.6K for this improvement in the mid-1990's.

The Greene's developed other projects in Chapel Hill; the Greene Valley subdivision (Doar Road) and Greene Street which is off of Umstead. Many Greene Family members lived on Greene Street, it being close to Franklin Street where TM worked. The Greene's developed and sold land to the Shell station on MLK and sold land to Orange Church allowing them to expand.

The Greene's gave the Town of Chapel Hill permanent easements along Bolin Creek (1975 and 1977) to create the Bolin Creek Trail. In 1975 Herman and Bethyl Greene gave the Historic Preservation Fund land/funds to purchase property.

Greene development was prolific for decades and produced at least four generations of developer/Realtors. There may be 1,000 transactions at the Orange County register of deeds website associated with this family.

Dixie History

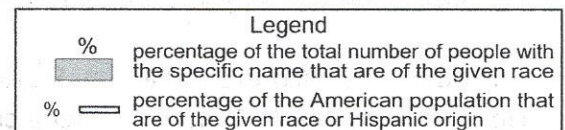
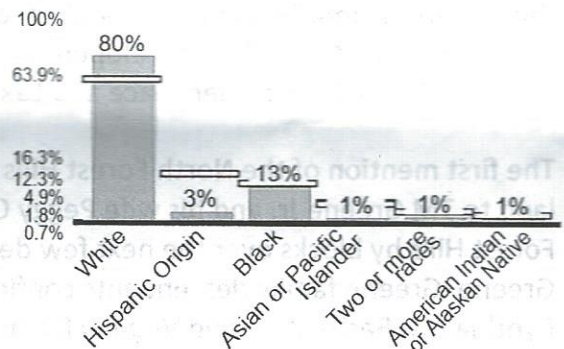
Dixie is derived from the Latin "decem, meaning "ten". The exact origin of the word Dixie is not known but it is not rooted in racism. It may have evolved from the popular \$10 note, derived from the French word for ten "dix" or from Jeremiah Dixon, a surveyor of the Mason-Dixon Line. Dixie gained popularity through a children's street game in New York City.

Families of color name their daughters'

Dixie. MyNameStats.com uses data from publicly available directories like social security and census data to conclude:

- "Dixie" is in the top 1,000 girls' names in the United States.
- There are estimated to be up to 57,000 women/girls named "Dixie" in the United States.
- About 13% of women/girls named "Dixie" are African American and about 4% of women/girls named "Dixie" identify as non-white.

Distribution by race and Hispanic origin of the bearers of first name DIXIE



Notable Dixie's

- Laura Mae Thompson Dixie - key figure dubbed "Mother of the Modern Civil Rights Movement" from Tallahassee, Florida. Grass roots organizer, responsible for decades of activism and community building including work with Martin Luther King Jr.
- Dixie Lee Bryant - Trailblazer for Women in Science, founder of North Carolina's first chemistry laboratory open to women; one of the first five women enrolled at UNC Chapel Hill
- Dixie Lee Boney Soo - Distinguished Professorship in Neurological Medicine at UNC. Dr. Dixie Soo was a UNC neurology resident and was on the teaching staff.
- Dixie Garr - completed a double major in three years and then went for her master's degree coursework as a Hughes Aircraft Co. fellow in computer engineering at UCLA. She's had a successful career in technology and received the Black Engineer of the Year Award in 1997.
- Dixie Kiefer - distinguished naval officer and pilot awarded the Purple Heart, Silver Star, Navy Cross, WW I Victory Metal, WWII Victory Metal and more.

Way Up North in Dixie

A BLACK FAMILY'S CLAIM TO
THE CONFEDERATE ANTHEM



Howard L. Sacks & Judith Rose Sacks

"Dixie Land" is credited to Ohioan Daniel Emmett but there is persuasive evidence to suggest an African American family, the Snowden Family Band wrote the song "Dixie Land" as a parody of white southern people.

The word took on a contentious historical context when it was popularized in "Dixie Land" the song that became the unofficial anthem for the Confederate States of America during the Civil War. The song is known for its enduring racial and political overtones. During this time Union troops changed the lyrics to make fun of the South. This song became known as "Union Dixie"

"Away down South in the land of traitors
Rattlesnakes and alligators...
... Where cotton's king and men are chattels,
Union boys will win the battles...
Each Dixie boy must understand
that he must mind his Uncle Sam..."

In a discussion on NPR radio, African American Jazz singer René Marie loved the song and was aware of its offensiveness said:

"Why should I let someone's misuse of a song determine whether I like it? I want to reclaim it as my mine — I'm from the South, too," she says. "But instead of singing it in this happy, up-tempo way it's usually played, I'm going to put some grit in there and some dirt, and sing it from the perspective of my people."

In the same discussion NPR says:

"In a similar spirit, Florida-based artist John Sims recently released an album called The AfroDixie Remixes. Featuring multiple versions of "Dixie" infused with African and African-American musical traditions, it's part of Sims' ongoing project to subvert Confederate memorabilia. From soul to samba and R&B, Sims describes his versions as "playing Dixie in the key of black." "When you take the best of one culture and mix it with the not-so-great of another culture, there's a magical opportunity for redemption, there's an opportunity for forgiveness and an opportunity to move forward.""

"Dixie Land" was a favorite of President Abraham Lincoln (himself born in Kentucky); he had it played at some of his political rallies and at the announcement of General Robert E. Lee's surrender". Famous musician and civil rights activist Bob Dylan has his own version of "Dixie Land".

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Signed,



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Signed,

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 9/29/22

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Signed,

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Elizabeth Drake 9-27-22
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Signed,

Date/Signature:



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Resident Name:



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Dixie Neff sept. 28, 2022

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Respectfully,

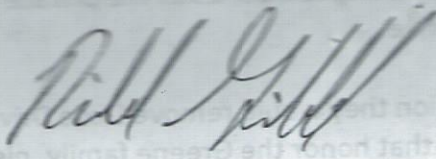
Lisa Ostrom & John Cautren, 105 Dixie Drive
Labele, Kevin & Dixie Neff, 104 Dixie Drive
Sunny & Daniel Chew, 103 Dixie Drive
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Margaret & Rick Gibard, 102 Dixie Lane

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Signed,



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Margaret Gildard

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Signed,

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09/27/22 *James R. Clark Pat S. Clark*

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Signed, _____

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Signed,

Sunny U. Chew



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Signed, Pai-Lien Chen

Date/Signature: Joselle 9/29/2022

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Signed,

Dan Howe
Eleanor Howe

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9/29/2022

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Signed, *Natellie Sredere, Matt Pajak*

Date/Signature: *9.29.22* *[Signature]*

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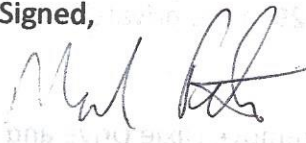
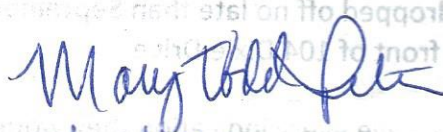


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Signed,

Date/Signature: 9/29/22

Resident Name: Mark Peters

Street Address: 104 Grainer Ln

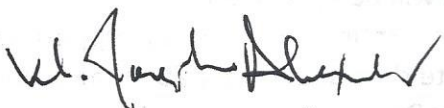
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Signed,


W. JOSEPH ALEXANDER

Date/Signature:

9/30/22 Beth Alexander

Resident Name:

Joe & Beth Alexander

Street Address:

107 Dixie Dr.
Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Email:

missbeth107@gmail.com

founder.of.ai@gmail.com

Petition to Council

In 2020, a petition circulated on Dixie Drive to remove the name. The petition requested they rename Dixie Lane, by extending the current Seminary Drive. The petition failed to meet Chapel Hill's stipulated guidelines for renaming streets. Only eight of 28 homes on Dixie Drive signed the petition. In 2021, the petition was submitted to the Council Naming Committee. The committee referred the petition to the Council Naming Committee, which met last month and indicated they would be open to changing the name and would make a recommendation to the Council. The Council Naming Committee will meet in October 2022.

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We have enclosed a petition to retain Dixie Drive that will be submitted to the Town of Chapel Hill on September 30. Please read the enclosed documentation and consider supporting the petition. Signed petitions should be dropped off no later than September 29 in the private package/mail delivery box located in front of 104 Dixie Drive.

Signed,

Date/Signature: 9/30/22
 Resident Name: Eric Y.H. Kuo (ERIC Y.H. KUO)
 Street Address: 107 Buena Vista Way, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
 Email: EKUO3288@gmail.com

Lisa Ostrom & John Cautren, 102 Dixie Drive
 Jadee, Kevin & Dixie Neff, 104 Dixie Drive
 Sunny & Daniel Chew, 103 Dixie Drive
 Beth and Joe Alexander, 107 Dixie Drive
 Margaret & Rick Glibard, 102 Dixie Lane

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Signed,

Date/Signature: *Marcin Sliwowski 9/27/22 Jie Xiao 9/27/22*
Resident Name: *MARCIN SLIWOWSKI & JIE XIAO*
Street Address: *115 BUENA VISTA WAY
CHAPEL HILL, NC 27514*
Email: *MSLIWOWS@GMAIL.COM*

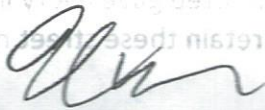
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Signed,

Date/Signature:

9/28/2021 

Resident Name:

Jane Kim

Street Address:

107 Grainger Ln, Chapel Hill NC 27514

Email:

janechah@yahoo.com

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Signed, *I fully support the maintenance of North Forest Hills street names that designated in honor of the Greene family and their history as longtime Chapel Hill property owners*

Date/Signature: *9/28/2022 Tina S. Shaban*

Resident Name: *Tina S. Shaban*

Street Address: *151 Dixie Dr. Chapel Hill, NC 27514*

Email: *tina.shaban@gmail.com*

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Signed,

Date/Signature:

9/28/22 ERICKA BRICENO

Resident Name:

ERICKA BRICENO and Randall Wood

Street Address:

141 Stateside Dr. Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Email:

ericka@woodbriceno.net
randall@woodbriceno.net

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Signed, *Harriet S. Solomon*

Stuart Solomon

Date/Signature: *9/27/2022*

9/27/2022

Resident Name: *Harriet S. Solomon*

Stuart Solomon

Street Address: *130 Lake Ellen Drive*

130 Lake Ellen Dr.

Email: *harriets@gmail.com*

ssolomon@gmail.com

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Signed,

Marion Cross

Date/Signature: 9/27/2022

Resident Name: Marion Cross

Street Address: 142 Lake Ellen Dr

Email: mroccross@mac.com

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Signed,

Peggy L. Leggett
9/28/2022

Date/Signature:

Resident Name:

Peggy L. Leggett (owner)

Street Address:

129 Dixie Drive

Email:

jldixie@aol.com

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Signed,

Date/Signature:

26 SEP 2022 / *James Hotelling*

Resident Name:

9/26/2022 *Celeste Mayer*
Celeste Mayer

Street Address:

James Hotelling
110 Cynthia Dr.

Email:

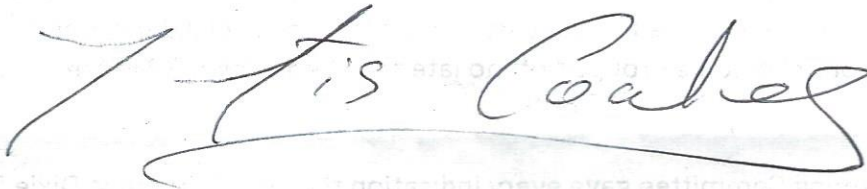
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Signed,



Date/Signature:

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Resident Name:

Martis Cowles

Street Address:

108 Cynthia Drive

Email:

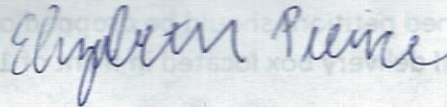
martiscowles@gmail.com

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Signed,



Date/Signature: 9/27/2022

9/27/2022

Resident Name: Michael Kalc

Elizabeth (Betsy) Pierce

Street Address: 112 Cynthia Drive
Chapel Hill NC 27514

Email:

elizabethbpierce@gmail.com

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Signed,

9/27/22 Rosemary Mackitis /

Date/Signature: 9/27/22 Will G. Lillard III

Resident Name: ROSEMARY MACKITIS / William G. Lillard III

Street Address: 116 Cynthia Drive Chapel Hill 27514

Email: mr.Bill@lillard.com

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Signed,

Lewis Bateman, Flicka Bateman

Date/Signature:

9/27/28 Flicka Bateman, Lewis Bateman

Resident Name:

Lewis & Flicka Bateman

Street Address:

106 Stateside Dr (corner of Dixie & stateside)

Email:

fbateman7@gmail.com

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Signed,



Date/Signature:

28 Sep 2022

Resident Name:

Jiang Lin

Street Address:

148 Dixie Dr, Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Email:

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Date/Signature: 28 SEP 22

Resident Name: KIMBERLY SUSSMAN GREEN

Street Address: 106 COLLUMS RD

Email:

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Signed,

Elizabeth Davis

Date/Signature: September 28, 2022

Resident Name: Kenneth + Elizabeth Davis

Street Address: 240 Seminole Dr. Chapel Hill NC

Email: Lizzy0049@aol.com

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Signed,

Amy Odom

Date/Signature: 9-28-22 *Amy Odom*

Resident Name: *Amy Odom*

Street Address: *111 Buena Vista Way*

Email: *aeo1966@gmail.com*

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Signed,

Sept. 28, 2022 Linda Williams

Date/Signature:

Resident Name:

Linda Williams

Street Address:

128 Dixie Dr.

Email:

LWilliams006@ec.rr.com

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Signed,

Alan W. Neebe *Alan W. Neebe* 9/27/2022

Date/Signature:

Eloise C. Neebe 9/27/2022

Resident Name:

Eloise C. Neebe

Alan W. Neebe

Street Address:

230 Indian Trail Rd. CH 27514

Email:

eloise.neebe@gmail.com
alanneebesmail.com

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Signed, *Mary F Kerby*

Date/Signature: *9/27/2022*

Resident Name: *Mary F Kerby*

Street Address: *102 Virginia Dr.
Chapel Hill N.C.
27514*

Email:

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Signed,



Date/Signature: 9/30/22

Resident Name: Jill Austin

Street Address: 1245 stateside Drive, Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Email: jhemmin@gmail.com

Petition to Council

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Signed,

Deb Nickell 10.1.22

Deb Nickell
102 DIXIE DR

no email