

Dear Mayor and Council:

At the April 20, 2022 meeting of the Chapel Hill Cultural Arts Commission (CAC), the CAC voted unanimously to change the existing seat on the CAC which is held exclusively for a resident of the town of Carrboro into a regular "at large" seat for a Chapel Hill resident.

This decision was based on a desire for uniformity with other councils and commissions in Chapel Hill, and to allow the CAC to have the ability to have members of other local arts groups (including, but not limited to Carrboro, Orange County, and Hillsborough) attend CAC meetings as non-voting liaisons. Finally, this change creates parity with the Carrboro Arts Council, where there is not a designated seat for a Chapel Hill resident.

We submit this petition for review and approval at your earliest convenience.

Signed,
Justin Haslett and Josh Rosenstein
On Behalf of the Chapel Hill Cultural Arts Commission