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From: Jeanette Coffin
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 5:03 PM
To: the oldhceme
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Subject: email....RE: Petition for Action

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.

If your email is related to a development application or a particular issue being addressed by the Council, your comments will be made part of the record. If applicable, we encourage you to attend any public meetings related to the items addressed in your email.

Again, thank you for your message.

Sincerely,

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From: the oldhceme [mailto:oldhceme@gmail.com]
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Subject: Petition for Action

On the Town website, the Old Cemetery material lists a Collection Inventory of historic materials for the Old Cemetery. These materials are unique, otherwise not available to the public and a repository for the history of this jewel of the town. The inventory cites some 28 folders of catalogued materials, a special binder of photo images, and another oversize box of related materials. The listing specifically states that these will be available at the Chapel Hill Public Library, although this has never happened!

For the last 22 months, every meeting of the Cemeteries Advisory Board has addressed this issue, voted unanimously to support this placement of a copy of the materials in the library, and had support from Preservation-Chapel Hill for this placement. Town staff at the meetings had a variety of platitudes and indirect positive assertions, but a recent check showed that nothing has happened! An earlier effort to place a copy of the materials at the Historical Society at the library also went nowhere.

As a citizen and supporter of the Old Chapel Hill Cemetery, I ask that you take steps to make this assertion on the town's website a reality. Please direct that a copy of the Collection Inventory as stated on the town website be available to the public at the Chapel Hill Library!

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Steve Moore, Chair
Friends of Old Chapel Hill Cemetery