

# DEPT. OF PLANNING & ZONING EROSION CONTROL DIVISION

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May 6, 2009

Dear Mr. Hauser:

Please find the enclosed fully executed copies of resolutions supporting the Iredell County Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Ordinance (SESCO) within the jurisdictional boundaries of Statesville and Troutman; a resolution for Iredell County to enforce the SESCO within the additional municipal jurisdictions; and a copy of the Iredell County Erosion Control Division Organizational Chart. These items are in support of our request for additional delegation of authority to operate a local program within the Statesville and Troutman municipal jurisdictional area. The staffing will be increased to correspond to the additional inspection load so that a ratio of one inspector for 80 projects can be maintained.

Therefore, in recognition of this ordinance and the continuation of a budget to support a local program, Iredell County requests that the North Carolina Sedimentation Control Commission delegate authority to expand the operations of a local soil erosion and sedimentation control program to include the municipalities of Statesville and Troutman. We would ask that this be made effective July 1, 2009. Please do not hesitate to contact me at 704-832-2352 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Mark A. Selquist

Erosion Control Administrator

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Enclosures: Iredell County Resolution, Statesville Resolution, Troutman

Resolution, Iredell County Erosion Control Organizational Chart

### RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, in 2007, Iredell County adopted an Erosion and Sedimentation Control Program which was applicable to all the unincorporated areas of Iredell County; and

WHEREAS, the areas within the incorporated areas of Iredell County are also experiencing issues with erosion and sedimentation arising principally from land disturbance activities related to economic development; and

WHEREAS, the City of Statesville and the Town of Troutman have enacted resolutions adopting the Iredell County Erosion and Sedimentation Control ordinance and making it applicable to the areas within their corporate and extraterritorial jurisdiction boundaries and requesting the assistance of Iredell County in policing and enforcing the Iredell County ordinance within their corporate and extraterritorial jurisdiction boundaries; and

WHEREAS, Iredell County has and does hereby agree to the request from Statesville and Troutman.

### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. The Erosion and Sedimentation Program adopted by ordinance by the County Commissioners of Iredell County on May 5, 2009 is hereby extended into the incorporated areas and the areas of extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Statesville and the Town of Troutman, effective on the 1st day of July 2009.
- 2. Iredell County personnel shall, effective on the 1st day of July 2009, begin to enforce the Iredell County Erosion and Sedimentation Control ordinance in the areas aforesaid to the same extent as the same is enforced in the unincorporated areas of Iredell County.

This the 5th day of May 2009.

IREDELL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Bv:

Marian Harmon

ATTESTED:

Clerk to the Board

### RESOLUTION REGARDING EROSION CONTROL IN THE CITY OF STATESVILLE

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Department of Natural Resources (NCDENR) currently handles erosion and sedimentation control for the municipalities in Iredell County, and

WHEREAS, Iredell County took over responsibility for Iredell County, except for the municipalities, in 2007; and

WHEREAS, NCDENR has a local office in Mooresville, but that the representatives of that office are also responsible for the entire multi-jurisdictional region, including Iredell, Alexander, Catawba, Lincoln, Gaston, Cleveland, Rowan, Cabarrus, Stanley, Mecklenburg and Union Counties and that other counties such as Catawba, Cabarrus, Gaston and Mecklenburg counties police and enforce the Erosion Control Program within their own counties and municipalities, and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of the City Council of the City of Statesville that having Iredell County police and enforce and conduct the Erosion Control Program within the City of Statesville would provide greater benefits and would lead to quicker turnaround time on plans and inspections, identify problems and violations and having those corrected quicker, allow for a regular inspection program rather than having a complaint driven system, obtain quicker results such as stop-work orders or withholding building permits, and provide a better and more effective control of erosion, and would have the greater ability to address long-term conditions and related standards.

THEREFORE, based upon the foregoing it is hereby resolved by the City Council of the City of Statesville that the City of Statesville supports the efforts of Iredell County to conduct and regulate and police and enforce the erosion control program within the City of Statesville and hereby requests the County to accept the City of Statesville in its overall erosion control program for the enforcement of local regulations as well as for the conduct of planning, regulating and enforcing local ordinances and state laws and regulations related to erosion control within the City of Statesville.

ADOPTED this the 20 day of April , 2009, by the City of Statesville Council.

Constantine H. Kutteh, Mayor

R. Lynn Smyth, Deputy City Clerk



### Resolution 12-09



## RESOLUTION REGARDING EROSION CONTROL IN THE TOWN OF TROUTMAN

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Department of Natural Resources (NCDENR) currently handles erosion and sedimentation control for the municipalities in Iredell County; and

WHEREAS, Iredell County took over responsibility for Iredell County, except for the municipalities, in 2007; and

WHEREAS, NCDENR has a local office in Mooresville, but that the representatives of that office are also responsible for the entire multi-jurisdictional region, including Iredell, Alexander, Catawba, Lincoln, Gaston, Cleveland, Rowan, Cabarrus, Stanley, Mecklenburg and Union Counties and that other counties such as Catawba, Cabarrus, Gaston and Mecklenburg counties police and enforce the Erosion Control Program within their own counties and municipalities; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Troutman that having Iredell County police and enforce and conduct the Erosion Control Program within the Town of Troutman would provide greater benefits than having NCDENR continue and would lead to quicker turnaround time on plans and inspections, identify problems and violations and having those corrected sooner, allow for a regular inspection program rather than having a complaint driven system, obtain quicker results such as stop-work orders or withholding building permits, create more personal interaction between regulators and developers, and violators and provide a better and more effective control of erosion, be able to adjust local ordinances as needed quicker and more effectively, and would have the greater ability to address long-term conditions and related standards.

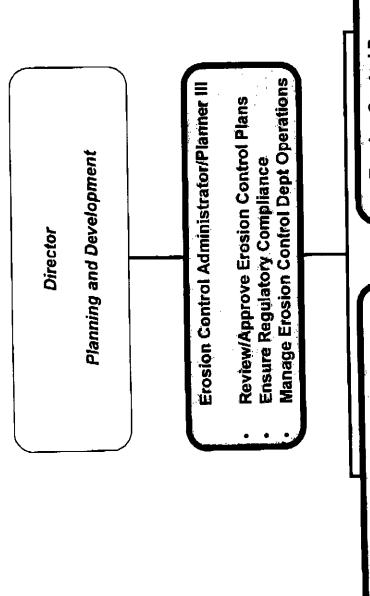
THEREFORE, based upon the foregoing it is hereby resolved by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Troutman that the Town of Troutman supports the efforts of Iredell County to conduct and regulate and police and enforce the erosion control program within the Town of Troutman and hereby requests the County to accept the Town of Troutman in its overall erosion control program for the enforcement of local regulations as well as for the conduct of planning, regulating and enforcing local ordinances and state laws and regulations related to crossion control within the Town of Troutman.

Adopted this the 9th day of April , 2009, by the Town of Troutman Board of Aldermen.

Elbert H. Richardson, Mayor

Kimberly H. Davis, Town Clerk

# **Erosion Control Organizational Chart**



Erosion Control Inspectors (3)

Site Compliance Inspections Respond to Complaints/Concerns Education of Public re: Erosion Control

- **Erosion Control Processing Assistant IV**
- Maintain Department Files/Records Issue Project Authorizations Respond to Public Inquiries