

## *Resolution*

- WHEREAS,** the Guilford County Board of Education believes that educating the children of Guilford County is critical and essential to all citizens of Guilford County; and
- WHEREAS,** the Guilford County Board of Education believes that all children deserve to attend school in a permanent building capable of supporting the educational programs and services that contribute to a sound education and no child should be disadvantaged by inadequate facilities or lack of proper instructional equipment; and
- WHEREAS,** the Guilford County Board of Education is grateful to the Guilford County Board of Commissioners, the voters and the taxpayers of Guilford County for the successful \$200,000,000 local bond referendum of May 2000 that funded projects at eight (8) high schools, eight (8) middle schools, sixteen (16) elementary schools and provided funding for Falkener Elementary, Hairston Middle, Triangle Lake Montessori Elementary and a replacement facility for Brightwood Elementary as well as the successful \$300,000,000 local bond referendum of November 2003 that funded six (6) new schools, four (4) replacement schools and fifteen (15) expansions/renovations at other campuses; and
- WHEREAS,** the Guilford County Board of Education has determined that significant school facilities and equipment needs still exist to adequately meet the demands of a growing student population and to achieve the goals set for students by the Board of Education; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Guilford County Board of Education requests that the Guilford County Board of Commissioners place a school construction bond referendum in the amount of \$457,315,000 (*see attached list of proposed projects*) on the May 2008 election ballot for approval by the voters of Guilford County.

Resolved this 8<sup>th</sup> day of January 2008.

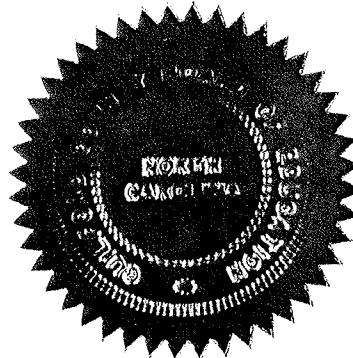
The Guilford County Board of Education

By:

Alan W. Dumas  
Its: Chairman

Attest:

Henry B. Green



**Guilford County Schools**  
**Projects Proposed for May 2008 Bond Referendum**  
**Adopted by Guilford County Board of Education on December 4, 2007**

Priority	Project	Project Total	General Scope
1	Jamestown Middle School	\$ 33,540,951	Funding for new 1,112 student replacement school on new site. (site has been purchased)
2	Ragsdale High School	\$ 24,913,499	Combine existing Jamestown MS with Ragsdale HS and add new gym and media center
	Ragsdale Autism Wing	\$ 8,505,330	Autism Wing at Ragsdale High School for 48 students
3	Special Education Center West	\$ 8,373,965	Additional funding to be added to current funding of \$9,455,625
4	Southeast High School	\$ 33,311,222	New classrooms, media center and gymnasium addition
5	Alamance Elementary School	\$ 20,300,161	Addition, demolition and renovations to convert to 700 student elementary school
6	Summerfield Elementary School	\$ 17,949,768	New classrooms and media center addition including expansion of the dining room
7	Southwest High School	\$ 31,089,918	New classrooms, media center and gymnasium addition
8	Southeast Area Elem. School	\$ 24,893,360	New 700 student school in Southeast area including cost of site
	SE Area Autism Wing	\$ 8,438,515	Autism Wing at Southeast Area Elementary School for 48 students
9	Allen Middle School	\$ 9,099,383	New classrooms and auxiliary gym addition
10	Southeast Middle School	\$ 13,088,725	New media center, auxiliary gym and dining room expansion. Convert existing media to classrooms
11	North Greensboro Area Elementary	\$ 25,362,974	New 700 student school, including purchase of site, to help relieve Jesse Wharton and Brightwood areas
12	Grimsley High School	\$ 11,747,890	New Cafeteria addition, renovate main gym and Jameson Stadium. Convert existing cafeteria to classrooms
13	Airport Area High School	\$ 71,996,741	New high school facilities in airport area for 1200 students, including cost of site
	Airport HS Autism Wing	\$ 8,498,171	Autism Wing at Airport Area High School for 48 students
14	Airport Middle School Land	\$ 2,067,969	Purchase land for future airport area middle school
15	Northwest Middle School	\$ 7,741,712	New auxiliary gym and classrooms addition
16	Allen Jay Middle School	\$ 12,171,572	Renovation of existing facility for use as a small Middle School
17	Dudley High School	\$ 3,150,748	Renovation of existing English building for use as additional classrooms
18	Dudley High School (athletics)	\$ 3,579,375	Funding to improve athletic facilities including football stadium
19	Mobile Classrooms	\$ 2,386,250	Relocation costs for mobile classrooms at construction projects
20	High Point Central High School	\$ 5,332,621	Lighting system/technology upgrades and renovations to main gym
21	McLeansville Elementary School	\$ 6,309,892	Classrooms addition and Media Center expansion
22	Northwest HS (site & athletics)	\$ 3,112,500	Site improvements for traffic control and improvements to athletic facilities
23	Simeon Stadium	\$ 2,075,000	Funding to improve athletic facilities including new lighting
24	Tracks	\$ 2,075,000	Systemwide improvements to high school running tracks
25	Tennis Courts	\$ 1,037,500	Systemwide improvements and additions to high school tennis courts
26	HVAC	\$ 8,069,487	Systemwide improvements to heating and air conditioning systems
27	Page HS (athletics)	\$ 2,074,801	Funding to improve athletic facilities
<b>Bond Project Sub-Total</b>		<b>\$ 412,315,000</b>	
Eastern High School Funding		\$ 45,000,000	Funding to supplement insurance proceeds to build replacement facility
<b>Total Including Eastern</b>		<b>\$ 457,315,000</b>	