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RE: Windham Market Square Overlay District

To Whom It May Concern:

In an effort to provide opportunity for varied economic development in the community of Windham, the Board of Directors of the Greater Salem Chamber of Commerce voted unanimously on February 3, 2016 to endorse the proposed Windham Market Square Overlay District.

The Chamber believes the development options allowed through the Market Square Overlay District will attract new businesses to the area and provide existing businesses with growth opportunities. The addition of this zoning to the proposed area will create a positive environment for economic development for years to come, as well as a surge of community pride for both businesses and residents alike.

The Market Square Overlay District is the result of the planning, analysis, and prudent investigation of both the Windham Economic Development Committee (WEDC) and the Windham Planning Board. The proposed location, relative to the new highway patterns, holds a tremendous opportunity for Windham to leverage its location to attract businesses, create jobs, generate business tax revenue, and bring together resources to improve the quality of life in the community.

Sincerely,

Donna Morris President

Greater Salem Chamber of Commerce