

# Survey of 2021 Candidates for Chapel Hill Mayor and Town Council

by The Chamber For a Greater Chapel Hill-Carrboro

The Chamber Questions and Responses		Candidates for Chapel Hill Mayor			Candidates for Chapel Hill Town Council							
Chapel Hill Candidate Questions	The Chamber	Pam Hemminger	Zachary R. Boyce	Hongbin Gu	Paris Miller-Foushee	Camille Berry	Karen Stegman	Vimala Rajendran	Adam Searing	Robert Beasley	Andrew Creech	Jeffrey Hoagland
1) Do you believe Chapel Hill is growing too quickly?	NO	NO	NO	Candidate's response did not conform with instructions	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
2) Should local businesses be prioritized in the Town's COVID response and recovery effort?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
3) Do you support the use of incentives to attract strategic new enterprises and jobs to Chapel Hill?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
4) Do you support town/university economic development partnerships to revitalize Downtown and foster innovation?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
5) Do you support investments in the talent pipeline that address local skills gaps and meet employer needs?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
6) Do you support increasing T density in Downtown and along transit corridors?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
7) Do you support the development of new housing units to meet projected population growth?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
8) Do you support efforts to reduce the time it takes to get a commercial permit and inspection?	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	YES	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
9) Are you committed to actively seeking and incorporating the voice of local business in local policy matters?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
10) Will you make affirmative efforts to increase business representation on Town boards?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
11) Do you support the Big Bold Ideas initiative recommendation to create 1,500 new affordable housing units in the next five years?	YES	YES	YES	Candidate's response did not conform with instructions	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
12) Are you committed to ensuring sufficient, accessible downtown parking?	YES	YES	NO	Candidate's response did not conform with instructions	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
13) Are you committed to maintaining or increasing investment in local and regional transit and transportation solutions?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
14) Are you willing to explore possible changes to the Water and Sewer Management, Planning, and Boundary Agreement to allow growth in Chapel Hill's southern Extraterritorial Jurisdiction (ETJ)?	YES	YES	YES	UNSURE	YES	UNSURE	UNSURE	YES	NO RESPONSE	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
15) Do you support allocating the full downtown special district tax to the Chapel Hill Downtown Partnership?	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO RESPONSE	UNSURE	NO RESPONSE	NO RESPONSE
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>