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**HOUSE BILL 1525**  
**Committee Substitute Favorable 6/25/02**  
**Committee Substitute #2 Favorable 7/8/02**

Short Title: Red Cross Charter.

(Local)

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Sponsors:

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Referred to:

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June 5, 2002

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE TOWN OF RED CROSS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** A Charter for the Town of Red Cross is enacted to read:

"CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF RED CROSS.

"ARTICLE I. INCORPORATION AND CORPORATE POWERS.

"Section 1.1. **Incorporation and Corporate Powers.** The inhabitants of the Town of Red Cross are a body corporate and politic under the name 'Town of Red Cross'. The Town of Red Cross has all the powers, duties, rights, privileges, and immunities conferred and imposed on cities by the general law of North Carolina.

"ARTICLE II. CORPORATE BOUNDARIES.

"Section 2.1. **Town Boundaries.** Until modified in accordance with the law, the boundaries of the town of Red Cross are as follows:

BEGINNING at the northwest corner of the property having pin number 559500704616, said point also being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Lakewood Road, thence from said point of beginning along the southern right-of-way of Lakewood Road in a southwesterly direction approximately 1263 feet to the intersect of the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of NC 205 highway and the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Lakewood Road to a point, thence in a southerly direction with the eastern right-of-way of NC 205 Highway to the intersect of the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of NC 205 Highway and the boundary of the extended southern right-of-way of Hatley Burris Road to a point, thence in a southwesterly direction to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number 559400693440, said corner also being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Hatley Burris Road, thence in a southwesterly direction with the southern right-of-way of Hatley Burris Road to the northwestern corner of the property having pin number 559400585598, said point also being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Hatley Burris Road, thence in a northwesterly direction to the

1 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559400583812, said point also  
2 being located on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Hatley Burris Road,  
3 thence in a northwesterly direction to the northwestern corner of the above said  
4 property, thence in a northeasterly direction along the northeastern property lines of the  
5 properties having pin numbers 559400583812, 559400585948, 559400595151, and  
6 559400597149 to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number  
7 559400597149, thence in a northwesterly direction along the property line of the  
8 property having pin number 559400595534 to the northwestern corner of the above said  
9 property, thence in a northerly direction along the western property lines of the  
10 properties having pin numbers 559400594700 and 559400595534 to the southeastern  
11 corner of the property having pin number 559400591934, thence in a westerly direction  
12 along the southern property line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of  
13 the above said property, thence in a northerly direction along the property line of the  
14 above said property to the northern corner of the above said property, said corner also  
15 being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a  
16 southwesterly direction with the southern right-of-way of Hilltop Road to the  
17 northeastern corner of the property having pin number 559400499069, said corner also  
18 being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a  
19 southerly, the southwesterly, direction following the eastern and southeastern property  
20 lines of the above said property to the most southeastern corner of the above said  
21 property, thence in a northwesterly direction along the property line of the above said  
22 property to the southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a northeasterly  
23 direction along the property lines of the above said property to the northwestern corner  
24 of the above said property, said corner also being located on the southern right-of-way  
25 of Hilltop Road, thence in a southwesterly direction with the southern right-of-way of  
26 Hilltop Road to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number  
27 559400492694, said point also being located on the boundary of the southern  
28 right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a southerly direction along the eastern property  
29 lines of the properties having pin numbers 559400492694, 559400493309, and  
30 559400493102 to the northern most point of the property having pin number  
31 559400483960, thence in a southeasterly direction along the property line of the above  
32 said property to the eastern most corner of the above said property, thence in a  
33 southwesterly direction along the southern property lines of the properties having pin  
34 numbers 559400483960 and 559400481784, thence in a northwesterly direction along  
35 the western property lines of the properties having pin numbers 559400481784,  
36 559400480989, 559400490224, and 559400399466 to the northwestern corner of the  
37 property having pin number 559400399466, said corner also being located on the  
38 boundary of the southern right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a northerly direction  
39 with the extended western property line of the property having pin number  
40 559400399466 to a point on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Hilltop Road,  
41 thence in a northeasterly direction with the northern right-of-way of Hilltop Road to the  
42 southwestern corner of the property having pin number 559400492854, said corner also  
43 being located on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a  
44 northerly direction with the western property lines of the properties having pin numbers

1 559400492854 and 559500402236 to the northwestern corner of the property having pin  
2 number 559500402236, thence in a westerly direction with the southern property line of  
3 the property having pin number 559500402988 to the southwestern corner of the above  
4 said property, thence in a northerly direction along the western property line of the  
5 above said property to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
6 559500410214, thence in a westerly direction along the southern property line of the  
7 above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
8 northerly direction along the western property line of the above said property to the  
9 northwestern corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the  
10 boundary of the southern right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in a westerly direction  
11 along the southern right-of-way of Peachtree Road to the northeastern corner of the  
12 property having pin number 559500313054, said corner also being located on the  
13 boundary of the southern right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in a southerly  
14 direction along the eastern property line of the above said property to the southeastern  
15 corner of the above said property, thence in a westerly direction along the southern  
16 property line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said  
17 property, thence in a southwesterly, and then southeasterly, direction along the property  
18 line of the property having pin number 559500216320 to the southeastern corner of the  
19 property having pin number 559500216320, thence in a southwesterly direction along  
20 the southeastern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 559500216320 and  
21 559500106395 to the southwestern corner of the property having pin number  
22 559500106395, thence in a northwesterly direction along the western property line of  
23 the above said property to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
24 559500103284, thence in a southeasterly direction along the southeastern property lines  
25 of the properties having pin numbers 559500103284 and 559500102204 to the  
26 southwestern corner of the property having pin number 559500102204, thence in a  
27 southeasterly direction along the northeastern property lines of the properties having pin  
28 numbers 559400099666 and 559400190449 to the southeastern corner of the property  
29 having pin number 559400190449, thence in a southwesterly direction along the  
30 property line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said  
31 property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of  
32 Hilltop Road, thence in a southwesterly direction along the extended southeastern  
33 property line of the above said property to a point on the boundary of the western  
34 right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a northwesterly direction along the western  
35 right-of-way of Hilltop Road to a point where the extended northern property line of  
36 the property having pin number 559500002971 intersects on the boundary of the  
37 western right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in an easterly direction with the northern  
38 property line of the property having pin number 559500002971 to the northeastern  
39 corner of the above said property, thence in a southeasterly direction along the property  
40 line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the above said property,  
41 thence in an easterly direction along the northern property lines of the properties having  
42 pin numbers 559500005607 and 559500006628 to the northeastern corner of the  
43 property having pin number 559500006628, thence in a southerly direction along the  
44 eastern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 559500006628 and

1 559500007506 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
2 559500007506, said corner also being located on boundary of the northern right-of-way  
3 of Peachtree Road, thence in a northeasterly direction with the northern right-of-way of  
4 Peachtree Road to the southwestern corner of the property having pin number  
5 559500100870, said corner also being located on the boundary of the northern  
6 right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in a northwesterly direction along the property  
7 line of the above said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property,  
8 thence in a northeasterly direction along the property line of the above said property to  
9 the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southeasterly direction  
10 along the property line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the  
11 above said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the northern  
12 right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in an easterly direction with the northern  
13 right-of-way of Peachtree Road to the southwestern corner of the property having pin  
14 number 559500113363, said corner also being located on the boundary of the northern  
15 right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in a northwesterly direction along the western  
16 property line of the above said property to the northwest corner of the above said  
17 property, thence with the northern property lines of the above said property and the  
18 property having pin number 559500115329 to the northeastern corner of the property  
19 having pin number 559500115329, thence in a southwesterly, and then southeasterly,  
20 direction along the eastern property line of the above said property to the southeastern  
21 corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the  
22 northern right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in a northeasterly direction with the  
23 northern right-of-way of Peachtree Road to the southwestern corner of the property  
24 having pin number 559500210443, said corner also being located on the boundary of  
25 the northern right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in a northwesterly direction along  
26 the western property line of the above said property to the northwest corner of the above  
27 said property, thence in a northeasterly direction with the northwestern property lines  
28 above said property and the property line of the property having pin number  
29 559500212612 to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number  
30 559500212612, thence in an easterly direction with the northeastern property line of the  
31 above said property to the eastern corner of the above said property, said corner also  
32 being located on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Peachtree Road, thence in  
33 a northeasterly, then easterly, direction with the northern right-of-way of Peachtree  
34 Road to the southwestern corner of the property having pin number 559500313054,  
35 thence in a northeasterly direction along the northwestern property line of the above  
36 said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in an easterly  
37 direction with the northern property lines of the above said property and the property  
38 having pin number 559500319621 to the intersect of the property having pin number  
39 559500412899, thence in a northerly direction along the western property line of the  
40 above said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in an  
41 easterly direction along the northern property lines of the properties having pin  
42 numbers 559500412899 and 559500511577 to the northwestern corner of the property  
43 having pin number 559500513793, thence in a northeasterly direction along the  
44 northwestern property line of the above said property to the northeastern corner of the

1 above said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the western  
2 right-of-way of NC 205 Highway, thence in a northerly direction with the western  
3 right-of-way of NC 205 Highway to the southeastern corner of the property having pin  
4 number 559500437527, said corner also being located on the boundary of the western  
5 right-of-way of NC 205 Highway, thence in a westerly direction along the southern  
6 property line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said  
7 property, thence in a northeasterly along the northwestern property line of the above  
8 said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
9 northerly direction with the western property line of the property having pin number  
10 559500433884 to the northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in an  
11 easterly direction with the northern property line of the above said property to the  
12 northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a westerly direction with the  
13 southern property line of the property having pin number 559500442720 to the  
14 southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a westerly, and then southerly,  
15 direction with the southeastern property line of the property having pin number  
16 559500341479 to the southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
17 westerly direction along the southern property line of the above said property to the  
18 southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a northerly, and then westerly,  
19 direction with the southwestern property line of the above said property to the  
20 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500251010, thence in a  
21 westerly direction following the southern property lines of the properties having pin  
22 numbers 559500146881, 559500145737, 559500145901, 559500143857, and  
23 559500141931 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
24 559500049896, thence in a southwesterly direction along the southern property lines of  
25 the properties having pin numbers 559500049896, 559500047693, 559500046581,  
26 559500046414, 559500045318, 559500044202, and 559500043112 to the intersect of  
27 the property having pin number 559500043112, thence in a southeasterly direction  
28 along the property line of the property having pin number 559500043915 to the  
29 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500043915, thence in a  
30 southwesterly direction to the southern corner of the above described property, thence  
31 with the property line of the above described property to the southeastern corner of the  
32 property having pin number 558500955410, thence in a westerly direction along the  
33 southern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 558500955410,  
34 558500952160, 558500951303, and 558500856241 to the southwestern corner of the  
35 property having pin number 558500856241, thence in a northerly direction to the  
36 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 558500748984, thence in a  
37 westerly direction to the southwestern corner of the above said property, said corner  
38 also being located on the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Pless Mill Road,  
39 thence with the eastern right-of-way of Pless Mill Road to the northwest corner of the  
40 property having pin number 558500844115, said corner also being located on the  
41 boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Pless Mill Road, thence in a southeasterly  
42 direction with the northern property lines of the above said property and the property  
43 having pin number 558500835789 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin  
44 number 558500835789, thence in a southwesterly direction along the eastern property

1 line of the above said property to the southern corner of the above said property, said  
2 corner also being located on the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Pless Mill  
3 Road, thence in a southerly direction with the eastern right-of-way of Pless Mill and  
4 then the eastern right-of-way of Hilltop Road to the northwest corner of the property  
5 having pin number 558500927048, said corner also being located on the boundary of  
6 the eastern right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a northwesterly direction to the  
7 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 558500828710, said corner also  
8 being located on the boundary of the western right-of-way of Hilltop Road, thence in a  
9 westerly direction along the southern property line of the above said property to the  
10 southwestern corner of the above said property, said corner also located on the boundary  
11 of the eastern right-of-way of Pless Mill Road, thence in a northwesterly direction to the  
12 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 558500825910, said corner also  
13 being located on the boundary of the western right-of-way of Pless Mill Road, thence  
14 with the southwester, then western, then northwestern property line of the above said  
15 property to the northeastern corner of the above said property, said corner also being  
16 located on the boundary of the western right-of-way of Pless Mill Road, thence in a  
17 northerly direction with the western right-of-way of Pless Mill Road to the southeastern  
18 corner of the property having pin number 558500840628, said corner also being located  
19 on the boundary of the western right-of-way of Pless Mill Road, thence in a  
20 northwesterly direction along the southwesterly property lines of the properties having  
21 pin numbers 558500840628 and 558500748984 to the northwestern corner of the  
22 property having pin number 558500748984, said corner also being located on the  
23 boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a northwesterly  
24 direction with the extended western property line of the above said property to a point  
25 on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, also said point  
26 being the southwestern corner of the property having pin number 558500755321, thence  
27 in an easterly direction with the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to a point  
28 where the northern boundary of the right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway intersects with  
29 the western boundary of Running Creek Church Road, thence in a northerly direction  
30 with the western right-of-way of Running Creek Church Road to the point where the  
31 boundary of the western right-of-way of Running Creek Church Road intersects with  
32 the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Bethel Church Road, thence in an easterly  
33 direction along the northern right-of-way of Bethel Church Road to the southeastern  
34 corner of the property having pin number 558500874785, said corner also being located  
35 on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Bethel Church Road, thence in a  
36 northerly direction along the eastern property line of the property having pin number  
37 558500874785 to the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
38 northeasterly direction along the western property lines of the properties having pin  
39 numbers 558500971822, 558500982130, and 558500982395 to the northwestern corner  
40 of the property having pin number 558500982395, said corner also being located on the  
41 boundary of the southern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a northerly  
42 direction with the northerly extended property line of the above said property to a point  
43 on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in an  
44 easterly, then southerly, direction with the northern, and then eastern, right-of-way of

1 Smith Grove Road to a point where the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Smith  
2 Grove Road intersects with the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Bethel Church  
3 Road, thence in a westerly direction to the eastern corner of the property having pin  
4 number 558500875287, thence in a westerly direction along the southern property line  
5 of the properties having pin numbers 558500875287 and 558500872269 to the  
6 northeastern corner of the property having pin number 558500856992, thence in a  
7 southerly direction along the eastern property line of the above said property to the  
8 southeastern corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the  
9 boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in an easterly  
10 direction along the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the southwestern  
11 corner of the property having pin number 558500954995, thence in a northerly direction  
12 along the western property line of the above said property to the northwestern corner of  
13 the above said property, thence in an easterly direction along the northern property line  
14 of the above said property to the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence  
15 in a southerly direction along the eastern property lines of the properties having pin  
16 numbers 558500954995 and 558500956841 to the southeastern corner of the property  
17 having pin number 558500956841, said corner also being located on the boundary of  
18 the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in an easterly direction with the  
19 northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to a point where the boundary of the  
20 northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway intersects with the boundary of the western  
21 right-of-way of Bethel Church Road, thence in a northwestern direction with the  
22 western right-of-way of Bethel Church Road to a point in the boundary of the western  
23 right-of-way of Bethel Church Road intersects with the westerly extended northern  
24 property line of the property having pin number 559500056889, thence in a  
25 northeasterly direction with the extended northern property line of the above said  
26 property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, said point also being  
27 located on the boundary of the northeastern right-of-way of Bethel Church Road, thence  
28 in a northeasterly direction along the northern property line of the above said property to  
29 the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southeasterly direction  
30 with the northeastern property lines of the above said property and the property having  
31 pin number 559500058626 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
32 559500058626, thence in a southwesterly direction to the southwestern corner of the  
33 property having pin number 559500250908, said point also being located on the  
34 boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway and on the boundary of the  
35 northeastern right-of-way of Bethel Church Road, thence in an easterly direction with  
36 the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the southwestern corner of the  
37 property having pin number 559500256728, said corner also being located on the  
38 boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a northerly  
39 direction along the western property line of the above said property to the northwestern  
40 corner of the above said property, thence in a northeasterly direction along the  
41 northwestern property line to the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence  
42 in a southeasterly direction along the northern property lines of the properties having  
43 pin numbers 559500258785 and 559500352901 to the northeastern corner of the  
44 property having pin number 559500352901, said point also being located on the

1 boundary of the western right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a northerly  
2 direction with the western right-of-way of Smith Grove Road to the extended  
3 northwestern corner of the northern property line of the property having pin number  
4 559500357853, said corner also located on the boundary of the western right-of-way of  
5 Smith Grove Road, thence in an easterly direction to the northwestern corner of the  
6 property having pin number 559500357853, said corner also being located on the  
7 boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a southeasterly  
8 direction along the northern property line of the above said property to the northeastern  
9 corner of the above said property, thence in a northeasterly direction along the  
10 northwestern property line of the property having pin number 559500355598 to the  
11 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500464329, thence in a  
12 northwesterly direction along the property line of the above said property to the western  
13 corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the  
14 eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a southerly direction with the  
15 eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road to a point where the southerly extended  
16 southern property line of the property having pin number 559500363695 intersects with  
17 the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a westerly  
18 direction to the southeastern corner of the above said property, said corner also being  
19 located on the boundary of the western right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a  
20 northwesterly direction along the southwestern property line of the above said property  
21 to the western most corner of the above said property, thence in a northeasterly direction  
22 along the northern property lines of the above said property and the property having pin  
23 number 559500366724 to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number  
24 559500366724, thence in a southeasterly direction along the northeastern property line  
25 of the above said property to the intersect of the property having pin number  
26 559500378012, thence in a northerly, then northeasterly, direction along the northern  
27 property line of the above said property to the northeastern corner of the above said  
28 property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the western right-of-way of  
29 Smith Grove Road, thence in a northeasterly direction with the extended northern  
30 property line to a point where the extended northern property line intersects with the  
31 boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a southerly  
32 direction with the eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road to the northwestern corner  
33 of the property having pin number 559500465989, said corner also being located on the  
34 boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a northeasterly  
35 direction with the northwestern property line of the above said property to the  
36 northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southerly, then northeasterly  
37 direction with the northeastern property line of the above said property to the intersect  
38 of the property having pin number 559500571799, thence in a northwesterly direction  
39 with the southwestern property line of the above said property and the property having  
40 pin number 559500487387 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
41 559500486524, thence in a southwesterly direction along the southern property line of  
42 the above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in  
43 a northerly direction along the property line of the above said property to the  
44 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500388126, thence in a



1 westerly direction with the southern property line of the above said property to the  
2 southwestern corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the  
3 boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a westerly  
4 direction with the westerly extended southern property line of the above said property to  
5 a point on the western boundary of the right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a  
6 northerly direction with the western right-of-way of Smith Grove Road to the intersect  
7 with the property having pin number 559500383023, said corner also being located on  
8 the boundary of the western right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a  
9 southwesterly direction along the eastern property line of the above said property to the  
10 southern most corner of the above said property, thence in a northwesterly direction  
11 along the southern property line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of  
12 the above said property, thence in a northeasterly direction along the western property  
13 line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the property having pin  
14 number 559500382108, thence in a northwesterly direction along the southern property  
15 line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said property,  
16 thence in a northeasterly direction along the western property line of the above said  
17 property to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500380268,  
18 thence in a northwesterly direction to the southwestern corner of the above said  
19 property, thence in a northerly direction to the northwestern corner of the above said  
20 property, said corner also located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of Smith  
21 Grove Road, thence in a northeasterly direction with the northerly extended western  
22 property line of the above said property to a point where the extended property line  
23 intersects with the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence  
24 in an easterly direction with the northern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road to the  
25 intersect with the property having pin number 559500388126, said corner also being  
26 located on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of Smith Grove Road, thence in a  
27 northeasterly direction along the northwestern property lines of the above said property  
28 and the property having pin number 559500486524 to the northwestern corner of the  
29 property having pin number 559500486524, thence in an easterly direction along the  
30 northern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 559500486524,  
31 559500483868, 559500487884, 559500581817, and 559500584879 to the northeastern  
32 corner of the property having pin number 559500584879, said corner also being located  
33 on the boundary of the western right-of-way of Jacob Road, thence in an easterly  
34 direction with the extended northern property line of the above said property to the  
35 extended northeastern corner located on the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of  
36 Jacob Road, thence in a southerly direction with the eastern right-of-way of Jacob Road  
37 to the intersect of the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Jacob Road and the  
38 boundary of the western right-of-way of Ridgecrest Road, thence in an easterly  
39 direction to the northwestern corner of the property having pin number 559500671304,  
40 said corner also being located on the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Ridgecrest  
41 Road, thence in an easterly direction with the northern property lines of the properties  
42 having pin numbers 559500671304, 559500674219, 559500676214, 559500677223,  
43 and 559500678232 to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number  
44 559500678232, thence in a southeasterly direction along the eastern property lines of

1 the properties having pin numbers 559500679146, 559500770005, and 559500761927  
2 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500761927, said  
3 corner also being located on the boundary of the northwestern right-of-way of Gaddis  
4 Road, thence in a northeasterly direction with the northwestern right-of-way of Gaddis  
5 Road to a point where the northwesterly extended northern property line of the property  
6 having pin number 559500765865 intersects with the boundary of the northwestern  
7 right-of-way of Gaddis Road, thence in a southeasterly direction to the northeastern  
8 corner of the property having pin number 559500765865, said corner also being located  
9 on the boundary of the southeastern right-of-way of Gaddis Road, thence in a  
10 southeasterly direction with the northern property line of the above said property to the  
11 southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southwesterly direction with  
12 the southeastern property of the above said property to the northeastern corner of the  
13 property having pin number 559500669099, thence in a southerly direction along the  
14 eastern property line of the above said property to the northwestern corner of the  
15 property having pin number 559500756605, thence in an easterly direction along the  
16 northern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 559500756605 and  
17 559500758790 to the southwestern corner of the property having pin number  
18 559500850878, thence in a northerly direction along the eastern property line of the  
19 above said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in an  
20 easterly direction along the northern property line of the above said property to the  
21 northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southerly direction along the  
22 eastern property line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the above  
23 said property, thence in an easterly direction along the northern property lines of the  
24 properties having pin numbers 559500853711, 559500855722, 559500857713, and  
25 559500859773 to the southwestern corner of the property having pin number  
26 559500952932, thence in a northerly direction along the western property line of the  
27 above said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in an  
28 easterly direction along the northern property line of the above said property to the  
29 northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southerly direction along the  
30 eastern property line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the above  
31 said property, thence in an easterly direction to the northeastern corner of the property  
32 having pin number 559500953703, thence in a southerly direction to the southeastern  
33 corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the  
34 northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in an easterly direction with the  
35 northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the southwestern corner of the property  
36 having pin number 559500957855, said corner also being located on the boundary of  
37 the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a northerly direction along  
38 the western property lines of the above said property and the property having pin  
39 number 559500967325 to the northern corner of the property having pin number  
40 559500967325, thence in a southerly direction with the eastern property lines of the  
41 above said property and the property having pin number 559500957855 to the  
42 southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500957855, said corner also  
43 being located on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway,  
44 thence in an easterly direction with the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to

1 the southwestern corner of the property having pin number 650500056704, said corner  
2 also being located on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway,  
3 thence in a northerly direction along the western property lines of the properties having  
4 pin numbers 650500056704 and 650500058931 to the northwestern corner of the  
5 property having pin number 650500058931, thence in an easterly direction to the  
6 northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southerly direction to the  
7 southeastern corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the  
8 boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in an easterly  
9 direction along the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the southwestern  
10 corner of the property having pin number 650500262275, said corner also being located  
11 on the boundary of the northern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a  
12 northerly direction along the western property line of the above said property to the  
13 northwestern corner of the above said property, thence in an easterly direction along the  
14 northern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 650500262275,  
15 650500265371, and 650500268540 to the northeastern corner of the property having pin  
16 number 650500268540, thence in a southerly direction along the eastern property line of  
17 the above said property to the southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in  
18 an easterly direction along the northern property line of the property having pin number  
19 650500360392 to the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
20 northerly direction along the western property line of the property having pin number  
21 650500361593 to the northwestern corner of the property having pin number  
22 650500361593, thence in an easterly direction to the northeastern corner of the above  
23 said property, thence in a southerly direction to the southeastern corner of the above  
24 said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the northern  
25 right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a southerly direction with the extended  
26 eastern property line of the above said property to the extended southeastern corner  
27 located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a  
28 westerly direction with the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the  
29 northeastern corner of the property having pin number 650500351705, said corner also  
30 being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway,  
31 thence in a southerly direction with the eastern property line of the above said property  
32 to the southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a westerly direction  
33 along the southern property line of the above said property to the southwestern corner of  
34 the above said property, thence in a northerly direction along the western property line  
35 of the above said property to the northwestern corner of the above said property, said  
36 corner also being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27  
37 Highway, thence in a westerly direction with the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27  
38 Highway to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number 650500254762,  
39 said corner also being located on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27  
40 Highway, thence in a southerly direction with the eastern property line of the above said  
41 property to the southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a westerly  
42 direction with the southern property line of the above said property to the southwestern  
43 corner of the above said property, thence in a northerly direction with the property line  
44 of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number

1 650500252734, thence in a westerly direction with the southern property line of the  
2 above said property to the southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
3 northerly direction with the western property line of the above said property to the  
4 northwestern corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the  
5 boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a westerly  
6 direction with the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the northeastern  
7 corner of the property having pin number 650500159460, said corner also being located  
8 on the boundary of the southern right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a  
9 southerly direction with the eastern property line of the above said property to the  
10 southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a westerly direction along the  
11 southern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 650500159460,  
12 650500162556, and 650500151160 to the point where the property having pin number  
13 650500151160 intersects with the boundary of the eastern right-of-way of Lakewood  
14 Road, thence in a southerly, and then southwesterly, direction along the eastern  
15 right-of-way of Lakewood Road to the intersect with the property having pin number  
16 650500141160, said point also being located on the boundary of the southern  
17 right-of-way of Lakewood Road, thence in a southerly direction to the southeastern  
18 corner of the property having pin number 650500151160, thence in a westerly direction  
19 with the southern property lines of the properties having pin numbers 650500151160,  
20 650500048958, and 650500045993 to the southwestern corner of the property having  
21 pin number 650500045993, thence in a southerly direction with the eastern property line  
22 of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
23 559500952193, thence in a northwesterly direction along the southern property line of  
24 the above said property to the northeastern corner of the property having pin number  
25 559500844105, thence in a southerly direction along the eastern property line of the  
26 above said property to the southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a  
27 westerly direction along the southern property line of the above said property to the  
28 southwestern corner of the above said property, thence in a northerly direction with the  
29 western property line of the above said property to the northwestern corner of the above  
30 said property, thence in a westerly direction along the southern property line of the  
31 property having pin number 559500743314 to the southwestern corner of the above said  
32 property, thence with the western property lines of the properties having pin numbers  
33 559500743314 and 559500741963 to the northwestern corner of the property having pin  
34 number 559500741963, said corner also being located on the boundary of the southern  
35 right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a westerly direction with the southern  
36 right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway to the northeastern corner of the property having pin  
37 number 559500548819, said corner also being located on the boundary of the southern  
38 right-of-way of NC 24/27 Highway, thence in a southerly direction along the eastern  
39 property lines of the properties having pin numbers 559500548819 and 559500547794  
40 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number 559500547794, thence in a  
41 westerly direction along the southern property line of the above property to the  
42 southwestern corner of the property having pin number 559500547794, thence in a  
43 southerly direction along the eastern property line of the property having pin number  
44 559500546608 to the southeastern corner of the above said property, thence in an

1 easterly direction along the property lines of the above said property and the property  
2 having pin number 559500549324 to the eastern corner of the property having pin  
3 number 559500549324, thence in a southwesterly direction along the southern property  
4 line of the above said property to the northeastern corner of the property having pin  
5 number 559500545073, thence in a southerly direction along the eastern property lines  
6 of the properties having pin numbers 559500545073, 559500535863, 559500545073,  
7 and 559500425859 to the southeastern corner of the property having pin number  
8 559500425859, thence in an easterly direction along the northern property line of the  
9 property having pin number 559500527774 to the northeastern corner of the above said  
10 property, thence in a southerly direction along the eastern property lines of the  
11 properties having pin numbers 559500527774 and 559500620269 to the southeastern  
12 corner of the property having pin number 559500620269, thence in an easterly direction  
13 along the northern property line of the property having pin number 559500710159 to  
14 the northeastern corner of the above said property, thence in a southeasterly direction  
15 along the eastern property line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of  
16 the above said property, said corner being on the boundary of the northern right-of-way  
17 of Lakewood Road, thence in a northeasterly direction with the northern right-of-way of  
18 Lakewood Road to a point where the northerly extended eastern property line of the  
19 property having pin number 559500706769 intersects on the boundary of the northern  
20 right-of-way of Lakewood Road, thence in a southeasterly direction with the northerly  
21 extended eastern property line of the above said property to the northeastern corner of  
22 the above said property, said corner also being located on the boundary of the southern  
23 right-of-way of Lakewood Road, thence in a southeasterly direction with the  
24 northeastern property line of the above said property to the southeastern corner of the  
25 above said property, thence in a westerly direction along the southern property lines of  
26 the properties having pin numbers 559500706769 and 559500704616 to the  
27 southwestern corner of the property having pin number 559500704616, thence in a  
28 northerly direction along the western property line of the above said property to the  
29 northwestern corner of the above said property, said corner also being located on the  
30 boundary of the southern right-of-way of Lakewood Road, said corner also being the  
31 point of beginning.

32 EXCEPTED from the above-described track are the following internal parcels:

- 33 (1) Property having pin number 559500553885.
- 34 (2) Property having pin number 559500561490.
- 35 (3) Property having pin number 559500552596.
- 36 (4) Property having pin number 559500476425.
- 37 (5) Property having pin number 559500475814.
- 38 (6) Property having pin number 559500470701.
- 39 (7) Property having pin number 559500611552.
- 40 (8) Property having pin number 559500612263.
- 41 (9) Property having pin number 559500614021.
- 42 (10) Those parcels of land in Arbor Heights subdivision, and road right-of-  
43 ways of Redwood Drive and Birchwood Court recorded in Plat Book  
44 17 Page 386 and previously annexed into the town of Oakboro, NC.

1 By parcels, these properties being identified by the following pin  
2 numbers.

3 (10.1) That property having pin number 659503418442

4 (10.2) That property having pin number 559503418373

5 (10.3) That property having pin number 559503419204

6 (10.4) That property having pin number 559503349155

7 (10.5) That property having pin number 559504510006

8 (10.6) That property having pin number 559504500948

9 (10.7) That property having pin number 559504500889

10 (10.8) That property having pin number 559504501820

11 (10.9) That property having pin number 559504501751

12 (10.10) That property having pin number 559504502740

13 (10.11) That property having pin number 559504504639

14 (10.12) That property having pin number 559504505639

15 (10.13) That property having pin number 559504506685

16 (10.14) That property having pin number 559504506851

17 (10.15) That property having pin number 559504505942

18 (10.16) That property having pin number 559504503889

19 (10.17) That property having pin number 559504514060

20 (10.18) That property having pin number 559504502986

21 (10.19) That property having pin number 559504515101

22 (10.20) That property having pin number 559504514210

23 (10.21) That property having pin number 559504512019

24 (10.22) That property having pin number 559504513108

25 (10.23) That property having pin number 559504511169

26 (10.24) That property having pin number 559504511218

27 (10.25) That property having pin number 559504511318

28 (10.26) That property having pin number 559504503740

29 (10.27) That drive by the name of Redwood

30 (10.28) That drive by the name of Birchwood

31 "ARTICLE III. GOVERNING BODY.

32 "Section 3.1. **Structure of Governing Body.** The governing body of the Town of  
33 Red Cross shall be the Town Council, which shall have four members and the Mayor.

34 "Section 3.2. **Temporary Officers.** Until the initial elections of 2003 provided for  
35 by Section 4.1 of this Charter, C. J. Barbee, Heath Hahn, J. D. Hinson, Raeford Quick,  
36 and Larry Wayne Smith are hereby appointed to the Town Council of the Town of Red  
37 Cross. They shall possess and exercise the powers granted to the governing body until  
38 their successors are elected or appointed and qualified pursuant to this Charter. The  
39 temporary officers shall elect a person from among the members of the temporary  
40 governing body to serve as interim mayor. If any person named in this section is unable  
41 to serve, the remaining temporary officers shall, by majority vote, appoint a person to  
42 serve until the regular municipal elections are held in 2003.

43 "Section 3.3. **Manner of Electing Town Council; Term of Office.** The qualified  
44 voters of the entire Town shall elect the members of the Town Council and, except as

1 provided in this section, they shall be elected to four-year terms. In 2003, the two  
2 candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall be elected to four-year terms and  
3 the two candidates receiving the next highest number of votes shall be elected to  
4 two-year terms. In 2005, and quadrennially thereafter, two members shall be elected to  
5 four-year terms.

6 "Section 3.4. **Manner of Electing Mayor; Term of Office; Duties.** The qualified  
7 voters of the entire Town shall elect the Mayor. In 2003, and quadrennially thereafter,  
8 the Mayor shall be elected for a term of four years.

9 "Section 3.5. **Residence of Governing Body Members.** All members of the  
10 governing body of the Town of Red Cross, whether elected or appointed, must be  
11 qualified voters who reside within the corporate limits of the Town of Red Cross in  
12 order to qualify to take, hold, and continue in any such office.

13 "ARTICLE IV. ELECTIONS.

14 "Section 4.1. **Conduct of Town Elections.** Elections shall be conducted on a  
15 nonpartisan basis and results determined by a plurality as provided in G.S. 163-292.

16 "ARTICLE V. ADMINISTRATION.

17 "Section 5.1. **Town to Operate Under Mayor-Council Plan.** The Town of Red  
18 Cross will operate under the Mayor-Council form of government as provided in Part 3  
19 of Article 7 of Chapter 160A of the General Statutes."

20 **SECTION 2.** From and after the effective date of this act, the citizens and  
21 property in the Town of Red Cross shall be subject to municipal taxes levied for the  
22 year beginning July 1, 2002, and for that purpose, the Town shall obtain from Stanly  
23 County a record of property in the area incorporated in Section 1 of this act that was  
24 listed for taxes as of January 1, 2002. The Town may adopt a budget ordinance for fiscal  
25 year 2002-2003 without following the timetable in the Local Government Budget and  
26 Fiscal Control Act, but shall follow the sequence of actions in the spirit of the act  
27 insofar as is practical. For fiscal year 2002-2003, ad valorem taxes may be paid at par or  
28 face amount within 90 days of adoption of the budget ordinance and thereafter in  
29 accordance with the schedule in G.S. 105-360. If the effective date of incorporation is  
30 prior to July 1, 2002, the Town may adopt a budget ordinance for fiscal year 2001-2002  
31 without following the timetable in the Local Government Budget and Fiscal Control  
32 Act, but shall follow the sequence of actions in the spirit of the act insofar as is  
33 practical.

34 **SECTION 3.** This act is effective when it becomes law.