

## **GROWTH MANAGEMENT TASK FORCE RECOMMENDED HIGH PRIORITY STRATEGIES**

### **Community Character**

1. Preserve and enhance Wake County's tree canopy.
2. Adopt regulations to protect and enhance community aesthetics.

### **Schools**

3. Adopt regulations and incentives to create more diverse communities.
4. Obtain better technical information from stakeholders.

### **Transportation**

5. Ensure planning and regulations make the land use/transportation connection and reduce vehicle miles traveled.
6. Work cooperatively to coordinate local transportation programs.

### **Open Space**

7. Establish a permanent, dedicated funding source to acquire open space.
8. Adopt a model conservation subdivision ordinance.

### **Water/Sewer**

9. Continue to work cooperatively to merge water and sewer utilities.
10. Adopt uniform natural resource protection standards and incentives.
11. Implement demand management strategies.

### **Cost of Growth**

12. Work cooperatively to develop a joint funding strategy to pay for growth.
13. Prepare and adopt a State legislative agenda to enable a range of cost-recovery tools.