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MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. Robert Tucker, County Executive
From: Rochelle Garwood, Senior Environmental Planner *RG*
Date: March 20, 2008
Re: Amendment of Regional Boundary for Solid Waste Planning

Nelson County has requested withdrawal from the Thomas Jefferson Solid Waste Planning Region, which also includes the Counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, and Greene, the City of Charlottesville, and the Towns of Scottsville, Columbia, and Stanardsville. The request comes as a result of Nelson County's decision to join the Region 2000 Services Authority, which will afford the County access to less expensive waste disposal options. Nelson County has the option to continue participating with other localities in special waste events or recycling efforts, and has requested to do so, including the Household Hazardous Waste Events at the Ivy Materials Utilization Facility and the semi-annual meetings of the Solid Waste Management Plan Committee, which often focus on ways to improve recycling rates.

Section 9 VAC 20-130-220 of the Solid Waste Planning and Recycling Regulations, Amendment 2, states that "The director may amend a solid waste planning unit's boundary based on an application from the governing body or bodies of the solid waste planning unit. Along with the application each locality (within the original region and any locality being added) must submit a letter acknowledging the change in the boundary." In order to simplify meeting this requirement for the localities in our region, a form has been attached that you may sign and return to acknowledge the change. Please respond by April 15, 2008.

Enclosures: Form

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Acknowledgment of Regional Boundary Change for the Thomas Jefferson Solid Waste Planning Region

By the signature below, the County of Albemarle acknowledges the change in the regional boundary of the Thomas Jefferson Solid Waste Planning Region. The region will continue to include the Counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, and Greene, the City of Charlottesville, and the Towns of Scottsville, Columbia, and Stanardsville, but will no longer include Nelson County. Nelson County will continue to participate as desired with localities in the Thomas Jefferson Solid Waste Planning Region in special waste events and/or recycling efforts, but will no longer be included in the Regional Solid Waste Management Plan or have its recycling rate reported as part of the regional recycling rate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
Mr. Robert Tucker, County Executive