Northside giving input on development

BY MARY CHOI STAFF WRITER

to affect a historic neighborhood. and Making History. adjacent neighborhoods.

given its stakes in the community," town development. cussion on how potential changes sor and director of the Marian presented in June.

Framework and Action Plan and town, the Chapel Hill Downtown the National Association for the ment plan and give input. "This area, which is increas- guidelines for creating new streets, Episcopal Church. ingly impoverished and transient, a transit center and new crossways Town economic development a question-and-answer session.

between the Jackson Center and Pollock said the goals of this for documentary initiatives. Community members will meet to discuss the Development result of collaboration between the Chapel Hill-Carrboro branch of awareness, learn about the develop-occur about a month ago but was making noise are they like, 'Oh,

wanted to have a voice in planning and walkways to facilitate down- officer Dwight Bassett, who will "We're trying to create an open attend the meeting, said the town forum for people to educate them-Residents are invited to a dis- said Della Pollock, a UNC profes- The first draft of the plan was intended to get feedback from selves about potential changes," Northside residents at a meeting in said Alexander Stephens, the

to downtown Chapel Hill are likely Cheek Jackson Center for Saving The meeting is a joint effort August, but few people attended. Jackson Center's associate director

pushed back, said C.J. Suitt, asso- wait, we haven't consulted the how it will affect Northside and Partnership and the design firm Advancement of Colored People There will be multiple ways to ciate director for youth initiatives community," Suitt said. KlingStubbins. The plan includes and the St. Paul African Methodist provide feedback at the meeting, like at the Jackson Center. Several of a panel of community members and Suitt's relatives live in Northside. "I think only because we started

ATTEND THE DISCUSSION **Time:** 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Location: St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church at 101 N. Merritt Mill Road

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NCSSM food drive tries to break record

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Record as inspiration. On March 5 from 7 a.m. to 10 Faith Food Bank in Canada. chance to break the Guinness World North Carolina," said Sagar Shukla, to host a food drive instead. Record for the most food ever col-student body president at NCSSM. lected by a non-charitable organiza- "It's to promote community ser- nized in the way we have approached government suite in the annex to

around will be different.

tion during a 24-hour period. vice in our school." NCSSM fell short of beating the The idea for the food drive was

"world records" theme last year. Science and Math will combat pounds and was set by the Church a record for the largest gathering ing the donations to NCSSM. said Linda Fisher, special events at risk of hunger in those 34 coun-

drive coordinator for NCSSM. p.m., the school will get a second "Our goal is to fight hunger in Lewis said the students decided of non-perishable food.

> it this year," Shukla said. The school is partnering with

record last year, but hopes this time inspired by one residence hall's local businesses like Walmart and ed to The Food Bank of Central and not last one week because the need Chick-fil-A, who will be holding Eastern North Carolina. Students at the N.C. School of The current record is 509,147 Students first attempted to set their own food drives and deliver- "This is such a big thing for us," More than 500,000 people are

hunger, using a Guinness World of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints of nerds, but Guinness rejected the UNC-CH's student government and food drive coordinator at the ties alone and 30 percent of the in partnership with Calgary Inter- idea, said Sue Anne Lewis, food has also committed to helping the Food Bank of Central and Eastern households have at least one workschool by collecting 30,000 pounds North Carolina.

UNC students can donate really need it."

the Student Union.

"We have been much more orga- through bins set up in the student The food bank serves 34 coun- drive until midnight Feb. 27.

ties in North Carolina. "If we beat the Guinness World

is so great," Lewis said.

ing adult, she said. "It comes at a time when we Donations will also be taken online at www.ncssm.edu/food-

Contact the State & National The food collected will be donat- Record that amount of food will Editor at state@dailytarheel.com.





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