

- Commercial Development Strategy -

VISION: Taking our place on the map as a world class center for research and development.

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Strategy Goal		Actions
1. Strengthen the Town-Gown Relationship		
a) Blurred Boundaries	a.1	Identify co-working and Stage II space for companies
	a.2	Support University efforts to recruit/retain public-private partners with streamlined entitlement process
	a.3	Create research/office space for UNC partners companies
b) Diversify downtown	b.1	Work to enhance downtown's attractedness to help in encouraging future projects that provide employment opportunities. (Enhance appearance of downtown.) (Safety, lighting and other issues will be addressed through the Downtown Strategy) 1-Evaluate cultural arts of the Town to contribute with CORE in place by 2017
	b.2	Increase the economics of downtown through strategic drivers.
c) New solutions to old problems	c.1	or Town and University parking downtown
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	c.5	Explore long-term parking opportunities in downtown
	c.6	relore long-range mobility and connection opportunities for downtown.
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	a.2	Consider rezoning Milhouse Road area for light-industrial/research companies.
	a.3	Strategy for housing in the community
	a.4	2- store ple Consider joint Incentive Policy with Grange Cott y
	a.4	Consider other incentives (loans or grants) from the Town to encourage business recruitment, retention and
	a.5	expanion
b) A Start-up Scene.	b.1	Encourage the development of spaces for connecting and dealmaking in and around Chapel Hill (Third places). Use the idea of "long tables" in shared spaces to encourage this to occur.
c) Seamless learning	c.1	New opportunities for learning for all ages (workshop offerings, computer training, workforce classes and continuing education)
3) Tell our Story		
a) Take our place on the map.	a.1	Create a marketing plan to share defining characteristics of Chapel Hill to broad audience. (To attract companies
		to approved space and to attract post-doc type residents for employees.)
 b) Create business ambassadors. 	b.1	Build network of "storytellers" including committee members and others
c) Get citizens involved.	c.1	Enhance Economic Development Strategy with support strategies for Urban Design and Livability



Focus for Economic Development:

- 1) Working with existing approved developments to help it move forward to create market opportunity for job creation and business development.
- 2) Working to strengthen our entrepreneur and maker ecosystem.
- 3) Marketing Chapel Hill to create interest in existing and new spaces.
- 4) Responding to development and business inquires from developers, businesses, site selection consultants and company staff.
- 5) Working to complete the goals in the Commercial Development Strategy.

Providing
economic
opportunity by
catalyzing new
companies,
creating jobs,
retaining
businesses, and
building
community
wealth through
growing the
nonresidential
tax base.



- 1. **Entrepreneur Roundtable** Met on August 1, 2018. New co-working by private investors announced and Digital Health in the Triangle (DHIT) announced a move to downtown.
- 2. **LaUNCh** Cohort 10 announced and celebrated on August 7, 2018. Began incorporation of Launch and preparing for Town to assume management of financial in January. Participated in strategic planning for Launch Executive Board. Amy Linnane is the Interim Director, Launch.
- 3. **Economic development** for Carraway Village, Blue Hill (Ephesus-Fordham), Glen Lennox and others for job creation opportunities. SECU/BCBS building on the market, working with broker to promote.
- 4. Marketing and sponsorships to promote Chapel Hill.
 - a) Working towards web-site redesign and marketing next steps with Liaison Design.
 - b) Monthly e-news, building LinkedIn account, sharing the video "Why Chapel Hill", promoting available office space and continuing Twitter promotion/ads
- 5. **Collaborating** on projects like: Wallace Deck exploration (Public Works), Basnight Parking additions (Manager/Parking/Police), Addition of private parking to public management, reuse of the 828 Martin Luther King Jr. property, and others.
- **6. Engagement**: Leadership Chapel Hill/Carrboro, WCHL, Participated in IDA downtown review

Update on Economic Development

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TWEET HIGHLIGHTS

Top Tweet earned 1,355 impressions

#Open2Food -Food hall with plans for beer garden debuts in Chapel Hill bizjournals.com/triangle/news/... via @TriangleBIZJrnl pic.twitter.com/gzRprzHqUg



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View Tweet activity

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Top Follower followed by 799K people



Larry Kim

@larrykim FOLLOWS YOU

CEO @MobileMonkey_, Founder @WordStream (acquired for \$150M) Columnist @Inc, @Medium, @CNBC. Startups, AdWords, Chatbots. Popularized Unicorns in Marketing.

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Top mention earned 6 engagements



Chapel Hill Chamber

@CarolinaChamber · Jun 20

Thanks @CHEconDev's Dwight Bassett for presenting not only his original presentation on the Blue Hill District, but also adding information on the new parking system and the downtown work plan.

#CHCPolicySeries

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Top media Tweet earned 481 impressions

Congratulations @Wegmans for #FavoriteGrocery and look forward to your opening in #ChapelHill #Open2Food tinyurl.com/yaenspjs pic.twitter.com/h2M4lttXUK



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JUN 2018 SUMMARY

Tweets

Tweet impressions 11.2K

Profile visits

137

Mentions

New followers

9



Jul 2018 • 31 days

TWEET HIGHLIGHTS

Top Tweet earned 469 impressions

#Open2Produce

Chapel Hill startup Seal the Seasons to take fresh produce to much of US | WRAL TechWire

wraltechwire.com/2018/07/09/cha... pic.twitter.com/6LcdejdsLb



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Top Follower followed by 26.6K people



Mark van Rijmenam

QVanRijmenam FOLLOWS YOU

Speaker | Founder @Datafloq | Author "Blockchain: Transforming Your Business and Our World" & "Think Bigger" | #BigData & #Blockchain Influencer | PhD Candidate

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Top mention earned 5 engagements



Erin Schwie Langston @eslangston · Jul 1

Excited that my side of town will finally get a neighborhood bar from @thecrunkleton.

Been talking about the need for one besides with the @SienaHotel or restaurants @UPlaceNC & EF (I refuse to call it Blue Hill) just the other day with Pat Evans.

#drinklocal @CHEconDev twitter.com/oates4council/...

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Top media Tweet earned 306 impressions

#Open2BestBurger bizjournals.com/triangle/news/.. @alsburgershack pic.twitter.com/An3eDE724y



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JUL 2018 SUMMARY

Tweets

Tweet impressions

8,106

Mentions

New followers

Profile visits

84



Aug 2018 • 19 days so far...

TWEET HIGHLIGHTS

Top Tweet earned 2,054 impressions

#Open2BRT

heraldsun.com/news/local/art... @michaelparker1

41 92

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Top Follower followed by 4,039 people



Guatemalan Coffees

@Guatemalacoffee FOLLOWS YOU

Promoting Guatemalan Coffees and supporting more than 125,000 growers in Guatemala's eight growing

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Top mention earned 64 engagements



Launch Chapel Hill Launch Chapel

We welcomed 10 AMAZING ventures for cohort 10 at our Launch party last night! Seems appropriate! Congrats on a wonderful night of pitches (thanks @2timflood)! BIG props to our partners: @unc @chapelhillgov @OCNCGOV @innovateunc @UNCeship @CHEconDev @CHDPartnership @GrowinOrangeNC pic.twitter.com/VXH7XJA3bA



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Top media Tweet earned 647 impressions

#Open2Pizza - Pizza Press looks to stand out in a stuffed #ChapelHill pizza market -North Carolina Business News Wire ncbiznews.com/the-pizza-pres... @thepizzapress pic.twitter.com/t7mcRbpcWK



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AUG 2018 SUMMARY

Tweet impressions 14.4K

Profile visits 68

Mentions 10

New followers



Your Tweets earned 22.7K impressions over this 51 day period



	Impressions	Engagements	Engagement rate
Chapel Hill Econ Dev @CHEconDev · 3h #Open2Social Proud to have #ChapelHill's @TheSocialInst in our ecosystem bizjournals.com/triangle/news/ pic.twitter.com/89wly3NT50 View Tweet activity	117	6	5.19
Promoted in campaigns	244	4	1.6
Chapel Hill Econ Dev @CHEconDev · Aug 15 #Open2Biz #ChapelHill Focuses on Office Spaces chapelboro.com/news/developme pic.twitter.com/nG4eVagknW	303	10	3.39
View Tweet activity			
Promoted in campaigns	803	10	1.2
Chapel Hill Econ Dev @CHEconDev · Aug 11 #Open2BRT heraldsun.com/news/local/art @michaelparker1 View Tweet activity	2,057	13	0.6
#Open2BRT heraldsun.com/news/local/art @michaelparker1	2,057	13	0.64

Promoted in campaigns

YOUR TWEETS
During this 51 day period, you earned 450 impressions per day.



Engagements Showing 51 days with daily frequency

Engagement rate 0.6% Aug 20 2.0% engagement rate





Likes 31





Chapel Hill Econ Dev @CHEconDev

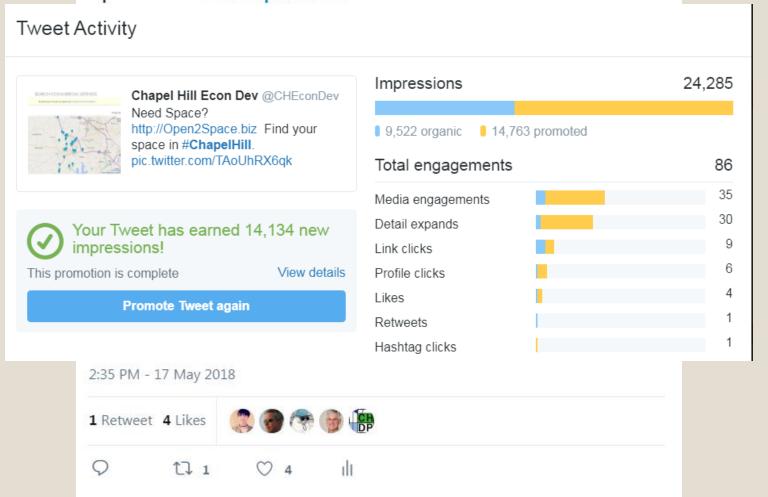
Income category	Comparison	Difference
mount outegory		Difference
\$150,000 - \$199,999	15% - 9%	6% more
\$75,000 - \$99,999	13% 1	4% less
\$100,000 - \$124,999	12% 1 2%	Equal
\$250,000 - \$399,999	10% 4 %	6% more
\$200,000 - \$249,999	10% 6%	4% more
Values based on 60.19	6 match rate from Ti	witter partners

Occupation type	Comparison	Difference
Professional/technical	39% 28%	11% more
Self-employed	17% 19%	2% less
White collar worker	17% 15%	2% more
Management	17% 12%	5% more
Homemaker	16% 27%	11% less
Health services	14% 18%	4% less
Retired	13% 1 3%	Equal
Sales/marketing	13% 1 11%	2% more
Military/government	6% 5%	1% more
Tradesman/laborer	6% 11%	5% less
Values based on 17.8% match n	ate from Twitter partners	
Home value Your followers All Twitter Use	75	
Home value category	Comparison	Difference
\$99,999 and under	3% 12%	9% less
\$100,000 - \$199,000	19% 30%	11% less
\$200,000 - \$299,000	20% 22%	2% less
\$300,000 - \$499,000	38% 21%	17% more
	21%	6% more





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July/August - 2018

<u>Type</u>	Square Feet		
Light Manufacturing	10,000 -15,000		
Unknown	15,000-,20,000		
Entrepreneur Company	5,000-10,000		
Non-profit	5,000		

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Inquiries

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^{*} Several Inquires (not noted) required greater space than what is available

CONTINUING July/August - 2018

Company	<u>SF</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Status</u>
Insurance (REIN)	6,500		Announced
Life Sciences	100,000	200	Discussion
Co-working	28,000	4-5	Discussion

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