## Town of Carrboro



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**DEPARTMENT:** Town Clerk

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** Cathy Dorando

**INFORMATION:** Alderman Gist has requested that the Board of Aldermen have time to discuss this item during a meeting. Staff requests that the Board provide further direction to them at the end of the discussion. Previously, Alderman Gist had mentioned using interns during the summer, including the Town's Moxie Intern, to begin the work. This summer's Moxie internship dates are June 4<sup>th</sup>-July 26<sup>th</sup>. It is recommended that the Board review and approve any final design of the plaque at a future meeting.

**FISCAL & STAFF IMPACT:** If so decided, there will be a cost associated with design, production, and installation of the plaque. Funds could come from the Board's contingency line item.

**RECOMMENDATION:** It is recommended that the Board of Aldermen discuss this item and provide further direction to staff.