



Contact: Bill Crabtree  
Telephone: (919) 554-6196  
Email: [bcrabtree@wakeforestnc.gov](mailto:bcrabtree@wakeforestnc.gov)

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **SIDEWALK RESTORATION PROJECT TO BEGIN JULY 22**

**WAKE FOREST, NC – July 17, 2009** – The Town of Wake Forest has contracted with Precision Safe Sidewalks, Inc., to begin a month-long sidewalk restoration project in the downtown area and along North White Street.

Beginning July 22, Precision Safe Sidewalks will start repairing 10' - 15' sections of sidewalk at a time until all uneven sidewalks and trip hazards in the area are removed.

The process utilizes a newly patented dust abatement system to collect 85% to 95% of the concrete dust. Upon completion of the project, sidewalks will be cleaner and smoother and will meet the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

"We understand the temporary inconvenience that will be placed on pedestrians and the downtown businesses during this construction period," said Public Works Director Mike Barton, "but we believe rehabilitating our sidewalks by removing potential trip hazards is an important step in making ours a safer, more pedestrian-friendly community."

For more information about the sidewalk restoration project, call (919) 554-6120.

###

For more information about the [Town of Wake Forest](#), contact Public Information Officer [Bill Crabtree](#) at (919) 554-6196.