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## Memorandum

To:

Professor Jan Tovey

Chair of the Faculty

From:

Steve Ballard Hell Chancellor

Date:

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Subject:

**April Resolution 08-35** 

I appreciate the report from the Environment Committee submitted on April 22, 2008. I will reject this resolution and refer the recommendations to two vice chancellors for continuing evaluation and discussion.

The ideas related to the UNC Tomorrow report are certainly important. As I have done with other resolutions related to the UNC Tomorrow Report, I am referring these ideas to Vice Chancellor Mageean. The UNC Tomorrow Report is a work in progress that will continue throughout the fall semester. I am certain she and the Committee will take these ideas seriously and evaluate them appropriately.

Regarding the idea of an Office of Sustainability, I am referring this recommendation to Vice Chancellor Seitz and Interim Associate Vice Chancellor Koch. While this year is unlikely to be a time when ECU can afford a new office, there are many aspects of the recommendation that deserve further consideration.

Vice Chancellor Kevin Seitz pc: Associate Vice Chancellor Bill Koch Vice Chancellor Deirdre Mageean Faculty Senate Officers Interim Provost Marilyn Sheerer Interim Vice Chancellor Phyllis Horns Mr. Robert Greczyn Ms. Donna Payne