

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE DRS75056-LB-194 (03/01)

Short Title: Matthews Tree Ordinance Correction.

(Local)

Sponsors: Senator Tucker.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO AMEND THE TREE ORDINANCE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF
3 MATTHEWS TO CLARIFY THAT THE GENERAL LAW ON MUNICIPAL
4 AUTHORITY OVER FORESTRY ACTIVITY APPLIES.
5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
6 **SECTION 1.** Section 94(b) of S.L. 2006-264 reads as rewritten:
7 "**SECTION 94.(b)** The Town of Matthews may adopt ordinances, only after holding
8 public hearings, to regulate the removal of trees from public and private property within the
9 town in order to preserve, protect, and enhance one of the most valuable natural resources of
10 the community and to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its ~~citizens.~~ citizens, but,
11 notwithstanding G.S. 160A-458.5(c)(2), the provisions of G.S. 160A-458.5(b) apply."
12 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

