

## **If Perkins says he will do it, it will get done**

Saturday, October 8, 2011

I first met Robbie Perkins 14 years ago when he served as my District 3 council representative. I had pursued every possible avenue to resolve a traffic problem near my home in Westerwood, without success. Finally, I called Robbie, explained the problem, and to my surprise, he knocked on my door within the hour.

Days later, the problem was resolved. When you get that kind of response from your council representative, you don't forget it.

Through the years, based on Robbie's handling of other issues, one thing is clear: If Robbie tells you he will do it, he will do it. If he disagrees with you, he will tell you that also. His word is as good as gold.

Robbie strongly supports open space protection and scenic corridors and is a leader in seeking high development standards for Greensboro. And he knows that a vital city must protect its neighborhoods.

Robbie's refreshing honesty and sincerity in doing the right thing for constituents are rare assets in politicians. Robbie has supported his constituents during many years of public service. He will put Greensboro first and will be a hard-working, forward-thinking mayor. Let's support him on Election Day.

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