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# Meeting Announcement

# Gary R Tomkins Chilled Water Operations Center

Location:	140 Mason Farm Road, Chapel Hill, NC, 27514
When:	Tuesday, February 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2013
Time:	6:30 PM
Request:	Bring your spouse or a guest.
Limit:	The event is limited to 30 persons, so RSVP early

Join us for a tour of the Gary R Tomkins Operation Center at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. The center was completed in 2006 and houses the operations control room for the most complex and sophisticated chilled water generating system in the State of North Carolina. It operates four chilled water plants, North, South, Cobb and Tomkins, which comprise a single virtual chilled water control system. The center also houses three 2,000 ton electric chillers, two 2,250 ton plate and frame heat exchangers and the pumps for a 5,000,000 gallon thermal storage tank.

The tour will be led by Douglas Mullen, Chilled Water Systems Manager. Douglas studied engineering at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, coming to UNC-CH in 2007. Douglas also worked at Iowa State University at their power plant for 11 years

An optional dinner meeting will be held afterwards at Mama Dip's for those who wish to socialize over a traditional southern meal. <u>http://www.mamadips.com/</u> Members and guests will be responsible for their own orders.

#### Please RSVP by February 22, 2013

RSVP to: Tim Wallace (timwallace@embarqmail.com) or call 919-552-6330

Name (s):			
Member	Prospective Member or Guest	Student	
Dinner			

## **Directions to Gary R Tomkins Operations Center**

From RTP/I-40 Take exit #273A NC-54W Chapel Hill onto Nelson Chapel Hill Hwy, go 3.1 miles Turn RIGHT and take ramp onto Fordham Blvd (US-15S/US-501S) towards NC-54 W, go 2.0 miles Take ramp towards US-15/US-501S/NC-86N to Chapel Hill, go 0.3 miles Turn RIGHT onto S. Columbia St (NC-86), go 0.6 miles Bear RIGHT onto Mason Farm Rd.

140 Mason Farm Road Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Parking at the center is limited. Additional parking is available in the parking deck across from the site.

## **Directions to Mama Dip's**

From the Gary R. Tomkins Operations Center turn RIGHT onto S. Columbia St (NC-86), go approximately 0.9 mi, turn LEFT on W. Rosemary St. Mama Dip's is approximately 0.4 miles.

#### MAMA DIP'S KITCHEN

408 W. Rosemary Street Chapel Hill, NC 27514 (919) 942-5837