

## HOTELS UNDER CONSTRUCTION OR ANNOUNCED FOR WAKE COUNTY

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**September - 2008**

- 1. Renaissance Hotel at North Hills** – Located at 4100 Main at North Hills (within the North Hills shopping center), this hotel will be a 229-room four-star luxury hotel that will anchor North Hills' new mixed-use district of three city blocks and will feature 6 luxury suites and one presidential suite. It will have a club level, 8,000 square feet of meeting space, 5,500square foot ballroom, and an upscale restaurant. The hotel will connect directly to the Natural Body Spa (a European-style day spa) and guests will have access to a new 50,000 square foot Gold's Gym Athletic Club. Project is being developed by Concord Hospitality Enterprises Company. Contact is Concord Hospitality Enterprises, 8601 Six Forks Rd., #540, Raleigh, NC 27615, (919)455-2900.  
**STATUS:** Construction is underway with an anticipated opening in Fall/Winter 2008.
- 2. Westin at Crabtree Valley** – Located at 4501 Glenwood Ave., this 290-room, 4-star-quality hotel will have 30,000 square feet of function space that includes a ballroom and meeting space. A wellness spa, state-of-the-art fitness center and indoor swimming pool will be located on the 17<sup>th</sup> Floor. Designed as a 43 story building, this iconic structure will boast 54 luxury condominiums beginning on the 20<sup>th</sup> floor and will be one of the tallest residential buildings in North and South Carolina. The building will be adjacent to the Crabtree Valley Mall which features a variety of retail and dining including McCormick & Schmicks's Seafood Restaurant, PF Changs and The Cheesecake Factory. Flemings Steakhouse and Wine Bar and Brio Tuscan Grille are currently under construction. The Westin Raleigh Soleil Center has been developed by The Soleil Group. Architects are Perkins and Will. Contact is Nitin Khanna, Vice President, Soleil Group, 4901 Glenwood Ave., Ste. 210, Raleigh, NC, 27612, (919) 719-3090. [www.soleil-group.com](http://www.soleil-group.com)  
**STATUS:** Construction underway. Projected completion scheduled for 2010.
- 3. Hilton Garden Inn** – Located at 6412 Capital Blvd., this 100+ room property built by Daly Seven Hotels. Contact is John Tyler, Daly Seven, 1005 Bullard Ct., #100, Raleigh, NC 27615, (919)872-3507, [www.dalysevenhotels.com](http://www.dalysevenhotels.com)  
**STATUS:** Opening set for November 5, 2008.
- 4. Embassy Suites** – Located on Arco Corporate Drive, this 170 room property will be next to the Hampton Inn & Suites RDU/Brier Creek. It will have 7,000 sq. ft. of meeting space. Hotel will be owned and operated by Winwood Hospitality. Contact is Amit Patel, Winwood Hospitality, Morrisville, (919) 468-9190.  
**STATUS:** Construction began in June 2008 with opening in 2009.
- 5. eSuites Hotel** – Located at 111 TransAir Dr. (off Airport Blvd). eSuites are technology-rich boutique hotels. 8 Story, 224 room with pool and fitness center. Two room guest suites will be 460+ sq. ft. Hotel will offer free internet service, advanced-technology business center, on site restaurant, fitness complex and complimentary use of a Lincoln Town Car or Navigator for local transportation. Contact: e-Suites, 6308 Benjamin Rd., #710, Tampa, FL 33634, 813/882-0410, [info@esuiteshotels.com](mailto:info@esuiteshotels.com).  
**STATUS:** Construction is scheduled to begin December 2007 with completion in fall 2008. (9/07)
- 6. Comfort Inn** – located at 2739 S. Saunders St., Raleigh, NC 60-room hotel. Call 919-821-0521 for additional information.  
**STATUS:** Expected opening date is mid-October.
- 7. Cambria Suites Raleigh-Durham Airport** – located at 300 Airgate Drive, Morrisville, NC. The Cambria Suites is an all new upscale brand, designed with a unique blend of style and function to best meet the needs of today's

traveler. This property features 103 spacious suites, with luxurious bedding, two flat panel TVs, and complimentary wired/wireless high speed internet access throughout the hotel. Food and beverage options include a casual dining area serving breakfast and dinner; a barista featuring Wolfgang Puck coffees, full service bar, spa-like fitness center, indoor pool and Jacuzzi. Our complimentary shuttle provides transportation to the airport and surrounding area. Contact us at 919-361-3311 to make your next reservation.

**STATUS:** Under construction with a projected opening date of November 2008.

8. **Value Place Hotel** – 121 room, 4-story hotel located at US 1 & Highway 55 in Apex. This brand features hotel rooms with a full size refrigerator, 2-burner stove and microwave. Developer information is: Value Place Hotel, 8621 E. 21st Street North, Suite 250, Wichita, Kansas 67206, Ph: 316/630-5577, Fax: 316/631-1260  
**STATUS:** Under construction with a projected opening date of mid-December 2008
9. **Fairfield Inn & Suites & Convention Center** – 1109 Markham St., Apex, NC. This is a 102 room, 4-story hotel. The hotel will break ground on May 28, 2008. Owner is Charles Tyner, Sr., Executive Director, White Oak Foundation, 1621 White Oak Church Rd., Apex, NC 27523, 919/362-6768, 919/362-0769 (fax).  
**STATUS:** Under construction, broke ground 5/2008.
10. **Four Points Hotel by Sheraton** – 6-story, 105 room hotel located on 1200 Claren Circle, Morrisville, NC 27560. The owner is VMP, Inc., 217 Roebing Ln., Cary, NC 27513, 556-7444, 556-5507 (fax).  
**STATUS:** Under construction, expected opening April 15, 2009.
11. **Aloft Hotel at Brier Creek** – 5-story, 150-room hotel with 1 meeting room located at 10020 Sellona St., Raleigh 27617. Developer is NARSI Properties, (704) 400-6020.  
**STATUS:** Preliminary site plan filed on 9/11/08. Scheduled to open March 1, 2010.

#### **PROPOSED PROJECTS:**

**The Lafayette (city site #4)** – A 16-21 story, mixed-use project containing a 100-125 room luxury, full service Kimpton brand hotel, signature restaurant, 40-80 condominiums and 15,000 square feet of retail space. The 0.5 acre city-owned property is located at Lenoir and Salisbury Street. The \$70 million project would include a rooftop swimming pool, bar and glass elevator facing Fayetteville Street. Rooms would feature plasma televisions, DVD players, valet and concierge services. Contact is Greg Hatem, Empire Properties, 133 Fayetteville Street, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Raleigh, NC 27601, (919) 834-8350.

**STATUS:** Memorandum of understanding was approved in 2007. 8/5/08 Extension granted for additional months to secure financing.

**Aloft Hotel** – \$18.9 million, 151 room hotel to be built adjacent to the Hilton Garden Inn at RDU International Airport. Hotels are characterized by exposed beams and structural steel, guest rooms with 9-foot ceilings and oversized windows, wireless connectivity and high-tech entertainment centers. Contact is Bob Winston, President, Winston Hotels, 2626 Glenwood Ave., #265, Raleigh, NC 27608, (919) 334-6911.

**STATUS:** Not under construction (3/08)

**Forty-Wade Project** – 168 acre mixed use development across Edwards Mill Road from the RBC Center. The site has plans for a 300 room, 10-story hotel along with 1400-1800 town homes, condominiums and apartments. There is also 500,000 square feet of office space and 150,000 retail space. Construction on first building set to begin fall 2006. Project is expected to take around 10 years to complete. Area is bounded by Edwards Mill Road.

**STATUS:** Project approved by Raleigh City Council on May 16, 2006. Contact is Karl Blackley, Preston Development Company, Cary, (919) 481-3000. [www.prestondev.com](http://www.prestondev.com).

**The Hillsborough** - Located at 301 and 309 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh, NC. The 267,900 square foot mixed-use development would include a 136 room hotel, 26 condominiums, 17,500 square feet of ground floor retail and 216

proposed parking spaces in a four-story parking deck. Contact is Ted Reynolds, The Reynolds Companies, 316 W. Edenton St., Raleigh, NC 27603, (919) 832-4110.

**STATUS:** Land has been cleared. Project on temporary hold at this time. (5/08)

**Waverly Place Shopping Center** – Current shopping area to be razed to make way for new development. The estimated \$180 million project includes a 120-room hotel, 204,000+ square feet of retail space, 216,000 square feet of office space and 200 residential units. Expected completion of project is 2009 or later. Developer is Zapolski & Rudd, 501 Washington St., Durham, NC 27701. Contact Luis Rios (919) 956-2722.

**STATUS:** As of 5/2007 the town of Cary has approved the plans for the center. Site plan approval is next.

**Crabtree Village** – Located at Kidds Hill (Blue Ridge, Edwards Mill Rd., Homewood Banks Rd.) Crabtree Village is a mixed project of residential (350 apartments and 130 condos) and retail (102,000 square feet) which has included a site for a possible hotel or other facility. City Council approved site plan on 11/21/06. Madison Retail (Atlanta) will be responsible for retail development and York Residential will handle residential.

**5401 North** – Located at the interchange of US 401 and I-540. Mixed use development of 1200-1400 homes, apartments, along with 1.6 million square feet of offices, retail, restaurants, movie theater, plaza area for concerts and a 250 room hotel. Project was approved by Raleigh City Council 1/9/07. Contact Jimmy Barnes, NAI Carolantic Realty, Inc., PO Box 1550, Raleigh, NC 27602, (919) 832-0594, jrbarnes@naicarolantic.com, www.5401north.com.

**Drury Inn & Suites** – located at White Oak Crossing, northwest quadrant of I-40 and US Hwy 70 in Garner. Approximately 150 rooms; may have meeting space. Initial announcement on this project was made in 3/2003 by Drury Hotels in St. Louis. Contact is Chris Garcia, Regional Manager, Drury Hotels, 678-422-6656, chris.garcia@druryhotels.com.

**Aloft/Hampton Inn** - located on one-acre block bounded by Hillsborough, Edenton, West and Harrington streets. Project would have two different hotels under one roof.... and Hampton Inn. It would have 80 rooms and the Hampton Inn would have 120 rooms. In addition to the two hotel brands the project could also have 200-250 condos as part of the project. With the condos the structure would be 22-25 stories high. Without the condos the project would be half as tall. If project is approved construction could begin in early 2008 and completed by 2010. Contact Winston Hotels, Inc., Bob Winston, President, Winston Hotels, 2626 Glenwood Ave., #265, Raleigh, NC 27608, (919) 334-6911.

**The Edison** – located in an area bounded by Wilmington, Blount, Davie and Martin Streets. This 4+ acre, four tower project would have two 39-story towers and two 29-story towers. The project would provide one-half million square feet of office space, 1600 parking spaces, street level retail and restaurants and a mix of 560 hotel rooms and condos space. Preliminary site plans are being submitted to the city of Raleigh June 2008. Construction would begin around 2010 with expected completion by 2018. Developer is Gregg Sandreuter with Hamilton Merritt, Cary, NC.

**Status:** In 6/2008 preliminary site plan information was submitted to the Raleigh City Council.

**Value Place Hotel** – Located at 8840 Wadford Rd., Raleigh this is projected to be a 121 room property. Wadford is located just off of Capital Blvd. and north of Durant Road. Value Place Hotels offer extended stay accommodations. Developer is Value Place, 8621 E. 21<sup>st</sup>. St. North, Wichita, KS 67206, (704) 579-0405.

**Status:** Site plan has been filed.

**Crowne Plaza Hotel** – Located at 251 Airgate Dr., Cary, currently site of the I-40 Park & Fly facility. Projected to be a 200 room hotel, 12,000 square foot ballroom and 2,000 square feet of meeting space. Construction is expected to begin in 2008 with completion in 2009. Owner is Hitesh Patel, President, Sahaj Hotels, 1230 SE Maynard Rd., Cary, 27511, (919) 380-3587.

**3700 Glenwood Ave** – An upscale, boutique hotel is being considered at 3700 Glenwood Ave. Developer is Gordon Grubb, Grubb Ventures, 3733 National Dr., Ste. 125, Raleigh NC 27612, (919) 786-9905.

**Daly Seven Hotels** – Small hotel to be located beside the Hilton Garden Inn at Triangle Town Center. Contact is John Tyler, Daly Seven, 1005 Bullard Ct., #100, Raleigh, NC 27615, (919)872-3507, [www.dalysevenhotels.com](http://www.dalysevenhotels.com)

**Park West Village** – Located at 9705 Chapel Hill Rd., Morrisville (southwest corner of Cary Parkway and NC 54 Intersection). A 94-acre proposed mixed use plan with residential apartments, retail, office and garden style or business hotel. Hotel would consist of 140 rooms in a 5-story structure. Developer is Morrisville Partners, LLC.  
**Status:** Town of Morrisville approved site plan 1/08.

**Powerhouse Plaza** – This would be a 10 story project with ground floor shops and restaurants, 85,000 square feet of office space, 400 parking spots and 134-room hotel and rooftop bar (to occupy 5 stories of building). The building would be located on the southern half of a block bordered by Jones, West Harrington, and Lane Streets. Hotel brand would be Hyatt Place. Hotel will be owned by Premier Development Group, Charleston, SC. If plans are approved construction could begin summer of 2008 with completion by 2010. Developer is Cross Williams, Williams Realty & Building Company, 3111 Glenwood Ave., Raleigh, NC, (919) 781-7107  
**Status:** Preliminary site plans will be submitted to Raleigh City Council in February 2009.

**Hotel Sierra** – Located at NC Highway 54 and Carrington Mill Blvd., at Perimeter Park, Morrisville, for a 4 story, boutique-style hotel site, medical building and approximately 30,000 square feet for restaurants, cafes and a copy shop. Developer contact is Mike Daood, Lodgeworks, 8100 E. 22<sup>nd</sup> St., Bldg. 500, Wichita KS, 67226-2305, 316-681-5100, [www.lodgeworks.com](http://www.lodgeworks.com)  
**Status:** Site Plan approved by Town of Morrisville (11/07)

**Courtyard/Residence Inn** – Located on Little Brier Creek Lane this would be a 5 story building housing a 120 room Courtyard By Marriott and a 128 room Residence Inn sharing an indoor pool. Owner is Sree Hotels, 5113 Piper Station Dr., Charlotte, NC 28277.  
**Status:** Site Plan has been filed with the City of Raleigh (3/08).

**Springhill Suites** -90 room property next to the Holiday Inn Express Wakefield, 11400 Common Oaks Dr., Raleigh. Contact is Nine Points, Inc., 11400 Common Oaks Dr., Raleigh, NC 27614, (919)570-5757  
**STATUS:** On hold, completion in 2009.

**Holiday Inn Express Raleigh** – 4-story building with 110 rooms on Gorman St. and Centennial Campus. Contact is Nine Points, Inc., 11400 Common Oaks Dr., Raleigh, NC 27614, (919) 570-5757.  
**STATUS:** Site Plan has been filed with City of Raleigh (1/08)

**Hyatt Summerfield Suites Hotel** – 4-story building Hyatt brand hotel with 123 rooms, 1100 SF of meeting space, fitness room and an indoor swimming pool. This property is located on the corner of Nowell and Trinity Roads near the RBC Center. The developer is Oxford Development Corp., 1 Oxford Center, 301 Grant St., #4500, Pittsburgh, PA, 15219-1489, (412)261-1500.  
**STATUS:** Site Plan has been filed with City of Raleigh (4/08)

**Fairfield Inn & Suites** – 6-story, 130 room hotel located at 10040 Sellona St. (near Globe Rd & I-540) Raleigh. The developer is Gary Chhabra, CMC Hotels, 5440 Centerview Dr., #412, Raleigh, NC 27606.  
**STATUS:** Site plan has been filed with City of Raleigh (4/08)

**Marriott at Triangle Towne Center** – Courtyard by Marriott located off Sumner Road at Triangle Towne Center. 120 room property location on 2.27 acres. Owner of property is Vinita Mittal and Anuj Mittal, MJM Real Estate Group, 3005 London Bell Dr., Raleigh, NC, 27614, 919-645-9495.

**STATUS:** Preliminary site plan submitted 6/2008. Construction to begin 12/2008.

**West Raleigh Hyatt Place** – 6-story, 133 room hotel located off Corporate Center Drive in west Raleigh. Developer is HJH Associates, 770-497-4570.

**STATUS:** Preliminary site plan filed on 7/15/08.

**Hyatt Summerfield Suites Hotel** – 7-story, 140 room all-suite property to be built on the corner of Park and Market Streets across from North Hills in Raleigh's Midtown. Guest rooms will feature full kitchens, living area with 32 inch plasma TVs and a separate bedroom. Developer is Concord Hospitality, 8601 Six Forks Rd., Raleigh, NC, 27615, 455-2900, www.concordhotels.com. Construction is expected to begin in 2009 with completion in 2010.

**Four Points by Sheraton Cary** – additional information has been requested regarding this property. At this time it has been proposed as a 125 room property, located on Columbus Ave. in Cary (located in the vicinity of Dillard Dr. and Walnut Street). Four Points brand at this hotel will offer guest rooms with 32" TVs and free HD channels.

**Status:** Proposed opening date of November 19, 2009.

**element by Westin RDU** – additional information has been requested regarding this property. At this time it has been proposed as a 150 room property located at Pleasant Grove Church Rd. and Airport Blvd. just a short distance from RDU Airport. Eco-conscious **element branded** hotels contribute to sustainability through paper recycling bins in each room, recycled materials in carpets and low VOC interior paints.

**Status:** Proposed opening date of June 1, 2010.

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**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY - DECEMBER 1998**

LaQuinta Inn Crabtree	134	Studio Plus	82
Comfort Inn Fuquay-Varina	62	Suburban Lodge of America	140
Homewood Suites Crabtree	137	LaQuinta Inn Cary	128
Candlewood Suites	81	BridgeStreet Accommodations	90
Oakwood Corporate Housing	300	RDU Hilton Garden Inn	155
Microtel Inn & Suites	74	Extended Stay America - Cary	122
Wingate Inn	85	Homestead Crabtree	138
Red Roof Inn	133	Fairfield Inn Airport	112
Comfort Inn Apex	68	<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>2041</b>

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY - DECEMBER 1999**

AmeriSuites	128	Airport Residence Inn	120
Hampton Inn and Suites	124	Residence Inn Cary	108
Comfort Suites – Cary	122	Holiday Inn Express RDU	116
Sleep Inn of Wake Forest	80	MainStay Suites	88
Residence Inn Crabtree	112	Hampton Inn & Suites	131
Holiday Inn & Suites	120	LodgeAmerica (12/17/99)	137
		<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>1386</b>

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY - DECEMBER 2000**

Wingate Inn (Garner)	85	Cameron Park Inn	4
Country Hearth Inn (Knightdale)	40	<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>129</b>

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY - DECEMBER 2001**

Towneplace Suites/Cary (opened 2/13)	90	Comfort Suites (opened 6/26)	66
Candlewood Suites (opened 3/1)	122	Staybridge Suites (opened 6/25)	88
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>366</b>		

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2002**

Holiday Inn Express Apex/Raleigh (opened 2/18)	62	AmeriSuites Hotel RDU (opened 5/24)	94
Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites (opened 11/8)	94	Comfort Suites ESA (opened 4/26)	82
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>332</b>		

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2003**

Best Western Inn & Suites (opened 3/03)	75
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>75</b>

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2004**

Country Inn & Suites by Carlson Raleigh/Durham Airport (opened 11/1)	76
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>76</b>

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2005**

**Total Rooms** **0**

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2006**

Knights Inn (opened 4/06)	70	Ramada Plaza Hotel (opened 5/06)	202
Woodburn Cottage (opened 5/06)	2		
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>274</b>		

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2007**

The Umstead Hotel & Spa (opened 1/15)	150
Samuel Thomas House Bed & Breakfast Wendell (opened 8/07)	3
Hampton Inn & Suites Brier Creek Corporate Center (opened 8/07)	143
Holiday Inn RDU (opened 10/07)	141
Lions Gate Inn (opened 10/07)	4
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>441</b>

**HOTELS OPENED IN WAKE COUNTY FROM JANUARY – DECEMBER 2008**

Raleigh Marriott City Center (opened 7/21/08)	400
<b>Total Rooms</b>	<b>400</b>