

# Partial List of Accomplishments

Over the past two decades, the Greater Charlotte Hospitality & Tourism Alliance (HTA) has proudly and relentlessly been the driving force behind making Charlotte a great destination by being a leader and pro-active participant in numerous major projects, development, and other initiatives to include:

- Building the Charlotte Convention Center and its adjacent hotel
  - Building the Time Warner Cable Arena
- Establishment of the Charlotte Regional Visitors Authority (CRVA)
- Building the NASCAR Hall of Fame and the addition of the Crown Ballroom
- Building Charlotte's \$200 million arts & cultural complex, as well as renovation to the Discovery Place
  - Building Charlotte Knights' Baseball Complex (BB&T Baseball Park)
- A primary leader in efforts to create a partnership between the city of Charlotte and the Carolina Panthers, upgrading the Bank of America stadium, and making it a better asset to attract more tourism-generating events including International Soccer matches and major college football games
- Opening of the Carolinas Aviation Museum, and pro-active involvement in bringing US Airways' Flight 1549 plane, better known as the "Miracle on the Hudson", to the museum
  - Renovation of Bojangles Coliseum
  - Securing 2017 NBA All-Star for Charlotte
- Active involvement in working with the City of Charlotte, CRVA, and other partners in major tourism conventions and events, such as the 2012 Democratic National Convention (DNC), CIAA Tournament, etc.
- Continuously building and enhancing relationships with decision makers whose actions are vital in making our region a better place to live, work, and visit!