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THE GRAPEVINE OPENS IN GREER STATION

(Greer, South Carolina) The Greer Development Corporation is pleased to announce that ***The Grapevine*** is relocating to 224 Trade Street in Greer Station, Greer's Hip and Historic Downtown. ***The Grapevine*** was formerly located in Kings Mountain, North Carolina. ***The Grapevine*** is a unique marketplace that offers an eclectic mix of gift ideas, home and garden décor, funky vintage clothing and cards.

Wanda Garcia, owner of ***The Grapevine***, chose to relocate to Greer Station because she "felt the atmosphere was positive and Greer Station appeared to be a happening kind of place for businesses. The economy of the area seems much more stable than my previous location."

Garcia went on to praise Greer Station merchants as being "a forward thinking body of public entities, all on the same page." Please join Garcia in her grand opening of ***The Grapevine*** on September 2, 2008. It will be a truly unique shopping experience.

For more information on ***The Grapevine***, visit their website at www.grapevinemarketplace.com.

For more information on Greer Station, Greer's Hip and Historic Downtown, please contact the Greer Development Corporation at (864) 416-0125, visit their websites (www.greerstation.com or www.greerdevelopment.com), or attend the Greer Station Association membership meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 16 at 5:30 p.m. at the Greer Development Corporation, 111-B South Main Street.

The Greer Development Corporation is a non-profit organization established to promote and enhance economic growth and development in the Greer community. GDC is a 501c(4) public-private partnership focused on business recruitment and retention activities, targeted marketing, and product development.