City Council – Action Request Form

Date: May 12, 2025

To:

Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore and Members of the City Council Reid Hutchins, Transportation Operations Manager From: Jeff Fansler, Director of Transportation Aaron King, Assistant City Manager

Council Action Requested:

Ordinance Amending Section 42-123 (c) and (e) of the City Code Relating to the State Highway System (East and Northeast Wards).

Strategic Focus Area: Quality Transportation Strategic Objective: Improve Integrated Road Network Strategic Plan Action Item: No Key Work Item: No



Summary of Information:

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) is requesting that the City of Winston-Salem amend section 42-123 (c) and (e) of the Winston-Salem Code of Ordinances. Currently, New Walkertown Road from US-52 to the northern municipal limits, approximately 0.718 miles southwest of NC-74, is designated as U.S. 311 in the state highway street system; however, the NCDOT is requesting that New Walkertown Road be designated as SR 4706 between the municipal limits and Martin Luther King, Junior Drive. This item would repeal line 10 of Sec. 42-123 (c) of the City Code and replace it with the new SR number for New Walkertown Road. Additionally, Martin Luther King Junior Drive from US-52 to New Walkertown Road would be assigned SR 4394 in the state highway street system. This would amend Sec. 42-123(e) with the addition of line 3.

NCDOT regularly requests these ordinance amendments when conducting field investigations. In this instance NCDOT has found it beneficial to assign a new SR number to New Walkertown Road and Martin Luther King Junior, Drive. The only change is the concurring Ordinance reflecting the SR number change, these street names will remain the same. The Winston-Salem Department of Transportation has reviewed the request and recommends approval for the repeal and adoption of a concurring Ordinance as described herein.

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Committee Action:			
Committee	PS Committee 05/12/2025	Action	Approval
For	Unanimous	Against	
Remarks:			