

**RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR SECURITY AND
COMPANY POLICE OFFICER SERVICES FOR CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM AND
WINSTON-SALEM TRANSIT AUTHORITY (WSTA)**

WHEREAS, the Property and Facility Management and Transportation Departments advertised for a qualified vendor to provide security services for City Hall, Bryce E. Stuart Building, and the Clark Campbell Transit Center; and

WHEREAS, four proposals were received on May 5, 2026, with a summary as follows:

Allied Universal Security Services	<u>City/State</u> Charlotte, NC	
Universal Security Guard Association, Inc.		Delray Beach,
FL		
Hinton Investigations, Inc.	Marshville, NC	
North State Security Group, LLC	Winston-Salem, NC	

WHEREAS, staff recommends that a three-year contract be awarded to Allied Universal Security Services for security and company police officer services in the estimated three-year amount of \$3,236,475.50 beginning September 1, 2026, with the option to extend the contract for as many as two additional annual periods until August 31, 2031, if both parties agree and funds are made available for that purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem, upon approval by the Finance Committee, that the contract for security and company police officer services in the estimated three-year amount of \$3,236,475.50, with the option to extend the contract for as many as two additional annual periods, is hereby awarded to Allied Universal Security Services. The City Manager and City Clerk are authorized to execute the contract on behalf of the City, with contract documents to be approved by the City Attorney.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that funds have been appropriated in the FY2026-2027 budget to cover the costs of these services through August 31, 2027, with costs thereafter for these services subject to future budget appropriations.