

Terms of the agreement include:

- Membership is limited to governmental entities, public water utility companies or reservoir operators providing service within or using the water resources of the Yadkin River basin

- Members list of agencies include:
 - City of Albermarle
 - Charlotte Water
 - Davidson County
 - Davie County
 - City of Kannapolis
 - City of Monroe
 - Salisbury-Rowan Utilities
 - Union County
 - Winston-Salem Forsyth County Utilities
 - Water & Sewer Authority of Cabarrus County
 - Cube Yadkin Generation
 - City of Concord
 - Davidson Water, Inc.
 - Duke Energy
 - Montgomery County
 - Rowan County
 - City of Statesville
 - Town of Wilkesboro

- Establishes dues of \$10,000 per year to allow the group to conduct business

- Authorizes Winston-Salem to remain as the administrative agency which will act as the fiscal and contracting agency for the group while it pursues 501(c)(3) status

- Allows the group to sponsor additional projects for mutually beneficial planning and capital projects which may include:
 - Hydrologic and/or hydraulic modeling of the Yadkin River
 - Regional Water Supply Master Plan
 - Study of Additional Water Supply Resource Opportunities within the Yadkin River
 - Coordinated Drought Response Plan

- Sets a termination date for the agreement of 2026 in order to give the group time to incorporate as a 501(c)(3).

Staff recommends approval of an amendment to the MOU to continue participation in the YPDWVG and ensure the preservation and sustainability of this valuable resource. Staff also recommends approval authorizing the City of Winston-Salem as the administrative agency for the group.