

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF
THE 2024 PROSECUTING COLD CASES USING DNA GRANT AWARD
FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

WHEREAS, the City of Winston-Salem has been awarded the 2024 Prosecuting Cold Cases Using DNA grant award in the amount of \$300,000 from the U.S. Department of Justice; and

WHEREAS, the Winston-Salem Police Department (WSPD) will use grant funds for personnel overtime, enhanced DNA testing to enable genetic genealogical research, and supplies; and

WHEREAS, there is no required match associated with this grant; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Winston-Salem hereby authorizes the acceptance of the 2024 Prosecuting Cold Cases Using DNA grant award, upon approval as to form and legality by the City Attorney's Office.