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## RESOLUTION AMENDNING THE CONSTRUCTION LOAN PROGRAM ESTABLISHED IN 1997, ESTABLISHING GUIDELINES, AND PROVIDING FUNDING FOR THE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, City Council established a Construction Loan Program ("CLP") on May

12, 1997 to conserve and substantially improve existing affordable housing and to facilitate the

production of new affordable rental and owner-occupied housing, and

WHEREAS, consistent therewith, the CLP placed an emphasis on single-family

construction, rehabilitation, purchase-rehabilitation, and small-scale multifamily developments

of 50 units or less; and

WHEREAS, the CLP was designed for non-profit borrowers and for-profit borrowers

who were builders/developers/contractors under the Section 3, M/BW or Small Business

Administration programs; and

**WHEREAS**, the CLP authorized the City Manager or his designee to make loans, within certain parameters, not to exceed \$250,000; and

WHEREAS, the CLP has been utilized for such loans since its inception; however, the CLP may benefit from some enhancements which may stimulate greater access to and use of the CLP; and

**WHEREAS**, the City, acting as a housing authority pursuant to G.S, 157-3(12) and additional community development related statutes, has the authority to continue the CLP and make grants and provide low interest loans for housing initiatives that provide or increase the

supply of affordable housing; and

**WHEREAS**, the guidelines attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> will replace the original CLP plan summary, as described in the attached chart; and

**WHEREAS**, the CLP may also benefit from the recommended infusion of \$2 million in ARPA Revenue Replacement Funds.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Winston-Salem City Council that the "Construction Loan Program Guidelines", attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>, are hereby adopted, and the same shall replace the 1997 plan summary that was attached to the aforementioned 1997 resolution.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Winston-Salem City Council hereby authorize the allocation of \$2 million in ARPA Revenue Replacement Funds for the construction loan program.

This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.