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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A DONATION OF SURPLUS
RIGHT OF WAY FROM THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION**

WHEREAS, the City of Winston Salem seeks to acquire 1.894 acres of surplus Right of Way from the North Carolina Department of Transportation via donation; and

WHEREAS, Right of Way was acquired by North Carolina Department of Transportation on both the North and South sides of Salem Parkway for the redevelopment of the transportation corridor; and

WHEREAS, the project includes a multi-use path Strollway facility for bicycle and pedestrian recreational use; and

WHEREAS, Portions of the Right of Way acquired for the project were not utilized and are considered surplus areas; and

WHEREAS, the donated Right of Way will allow the City to be able to better maintain the Strollway; and

WHEREAS, other than using the donated Right of Way to support the City's maintenance obligations on the Strollway, the City will otherwise keep the donated Right of Way area as public green space; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Department of Transportation has agreed to transfer the surplus Right of Way areas to the City of Winston Salem via donation; and

WHEREAS, the property is identified in the exhibit map.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Winston-Salem, upon the recommendation from the Finance Committee, hereby authorize the

**Winston-Salem City Council
APPROVED
November 18, 2024**

acceptance of said Right of Way by donation, as described in the Exhibit map, from the North Carolina Department of Transportation as public green space and allow for the maintenance of the Strollway, subject to the City Attorney's approval.