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**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM
GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MANAGER TO OBLIGATE GRANT
MATCHING REQUIREMENTS IN CERTAIN SITUATIONS**

WHEREAS, the City of Winston-Salem is constantly seeking partnerships and opportunities to provide excellent and innovative services; and

WHEREAS, the City seeks out grant funding opportunities as a way to minimize the cost of current services, develop new programs, and procure necessary supplies and equipment; and

WHEREAS, the normal process for the City requires that any grant with a matching component be approved by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, there are grant notices and application periods that, due to the small amount of time between the notice and due date for the application, do not allow for the Mayor and City Council to provide approval for a grant match during its regularly scheduled meetings; and

WHEREAS, the City could potentially benefit from grants that require a match but the grant timeline does not allow for approval by the Mayor and City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem delegate authority to the City Manager to have sole discretion to obligate funds on behalf of the City for all grant matches under \$100,000 when the timeline for the grant does not allow for review by the Mayor and City Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council that for all grant matches \$100,000 or greater, the City Manager will consult with the Mayor and Members of the City Council and use their feedback in determining the necessity for the grant match when the timeline for the grant does not allow for review by the Mayor and City Council.