

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE RENEWAL OF A CONTRACT WITH RECOLLECT SYSTEMS, INC.**

**WHEREAS**, in March 2022 for a one-year term, the City of Winston-Salem purchased a suite of technology solutions through ReCollect Systems, Inc., a sole source vendor, to create the Winston-Salem Collects digital solid waste communication tool; and

**WHEREAS**, the tool offers various applications and packages, including the solid waste collections calendar, waste wizard and the phone app which the City uses in their tool; and

**WHEREAS**, since August 2022, when the tool became publicly available, almost 19,000 new addresses have been searched, over 6,000 rollout reminders created, and nearly 9,000 materials have been viewed; and

**WHEREAS**, the cost for these services is \$22, 019.28 for the annual renewal for March 2023 through March 2024 which will be a shared cost between the Office of Sustainability and Sanitation Department; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the recommendation of the Finance Committee that an Independent Contractor Agreement be signed for the renewal of the contract with ReCollect Systems, Inc.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem hereby authorize the City Manager to renew and execute a contract with ReCollect Systems, Inc. for continued services to support the Winston-Salem Collects App for the period of March 2023 through March 2024 in the total amount of \$22, 019.28