

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO
ENTER INTO A NEW MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT WITH THE
NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FOR THE PROJECT TO REPLACE BRIDGE #296 ON WEST FIRST STREET**

WHEREAS, the City OF Winston-Salem proposes to make certain improvements under the Federal-Aid Highway Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program, said improvements consisting of the replacement of Bridge #296 on West First Street; and

WHEREAS, In 2011 City Council approved an agreement with the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) for the said improvements wherein the City agreed to prepare the planning report and design the project; and

WHEREAS, the preliminary engineering phase is complete and the City has requested a new agreement with NCDOT for the right-of-way acquisition and construction phases; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of this project is \$6,533,903; and

WHEREAS, the City will construct the project and NCDOT will reimburse the City for eighty percent (80%) of all eligible expenses, up to \$5,227,122 and the City will be responsible for providing a twenty percent (20%) match; and

WHEREAS, the City's local match of \$1,306,781 is available from the *Bridge Repair and Replacement* capital improvement project and 2023 LOBS, which have been previously appropriated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem, that the City Manager and City Clerk are authorized to enter into a new Municipal Agreement with NCDOT for the replacement of Bridge #296 on W. First Street.