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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF LANDSCAPING RELATED TO THE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROJECT U-2827B (BUSINESS 40 CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENT)

WHEREAS, The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) and the City of Winston-Salem entered into an agreement on September 7, 2016, related to the betterments and associated cost sharing for certain elements of the Business 40 project; and

WHEREAS, the parties have agreed to supplement the original agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council voted on November 2016 to formalize the maintenance responsibilities for certain elements related to the Business 40 improvement such as sidewalks, the multi-use path, lighting, the Green Street Bridge, the Strollway Bridge, and any aesthetic betterments; and

WHEREAS, this third amendment to the agreement formalizes the maintenance responsibility for landscaping by the City to begin two years after completion of planting; and

WHEREAS, the landscaping is to be designed and installed by NCDOT without any additional cost to the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that the City Manager is authorized to enter into a supplemental agreement with the North Carolina Department of Transportation for the maintenance of landscaping related to the Transportation Improvement Project U-2827B.