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## RESOLUTION CHANGING THE REGULAR MEETING TIMES FOR THE COMMITTEES OF THE WINSTON-SALEM CITY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Winston-Salem City Council established four committees of City Council that meet on the second Monday and Tuesday of the month; and

**WHEREAS**, the committee meetings have generally occurred at 4:30p.m. and 6:00p.m. on the second Monday and Tuesday of the month; and

WHEREAS, City staff conducted a survey of other cities and counties in close proximity to Winston-Salem, such as the cities of Greensboro, and High Point, and the counties of Forsyth and Guilford regarding the starting times for their governing body meetings and committee meetings; and

WHEREAS, City staff has determined that the other cities and counties start both their governing body meetings and committee meetings or work sessions earlier than that of the Winston-Salem City Council; and

WHEREAS, at the December 2022 meeting of the Community Development/
Housing/General Government Committee, Council Members discussed changes to the starting
times for the City Council's meetings and committees; and

WHEREAS, at the direction of the City Council, City staff conducted a survey to seek feedback from citizens about proposed changes in City Council meeting times; and

WHEREAS, based on these discussions and feedback the Community

Development/Housing/General Government Committee recommends changing the starting
times for the Public Safety Committee to 2 p.m. and the Community Development/

Housing/General Government Committee to 4 p.m. on the second Monday of each month; and

WHEREAS, the Community Development/Housing/General Government Committee

Winston-Salem City Council
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recommends changing the starting times for the Public

Works Committee to 2 p.m. and the Finance Committee to 4 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Winston-Salem City Council hereby change the regular meeting schedule for the Public Safety Committee to 2 p.m. and the Community Development/ Housing/General Government Committee to 4 p.m. on the second Monday of each month and the regular meeting schedule for the Public Works Committee to 2 p.m. and the Finance Committee to 4 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month.

This Resolution shall become effective on February 1, 2023.