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RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION FISCAL YEAR 2019 SECTION 5307 JOB ACCESS REVERSE COMMUTE GRANT AWARDS FOR ELIGIBLE RECIPIENTS

WHEREAS, the Winston-Salem Urban Area is a direct recipient of the Section 5307 grant funds from the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) grant program; and

WHEREAS, for the 2019 Fiscal Year, the Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) allocated \$55,000 of those funds to be used for Job Access Reverse Commute (JARC) programs; and

WHEREAS, the JARC program provides available federal resources to eligible agencies to assist with meeting the transportation needs of low-income populations to get to education and work opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the Winston-Salem Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (WSUAMPO) conducted a public workshop on May 20, 2019 and held a 30-day call for projects from May 6, 2019 to June 6, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the WSUAMPO coordinated an external review of two (2) submitted proposals for Section 5307, JARC funding by the Greensboro Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (GUAMPO); and

WHEREAS, the WSUAMPO has recommended and the Transportation Advisory

Committee approved the funding distribution to each eligible sub-recipient as shown on

Attachment A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Winston-Salem hereby authorize the City Manager to enter into contracts with the approved agencies for the Section 5307 JARC funds.