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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PERMISSION TO APPLY FOR THE FY2020 STRATEGIES FOR POLICING INNOVATION GRANT TO SUPPORT A REAL-TIME CRIME CENTER FOR THE WINSTON-SALEM POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Strategies for Policing Innovation grant initiative from the United States

Department of Justice supports law enforcement agencies in building evidence-based, datadriven law enforcement tactics and strategies that represent a strategic approach to help police
agencies figure out what works in crime prevention and crime reduction; and

WHEREAS, the Winston-Salem Police Department wishes to apply for this 36-month grant and use funding for equipment and technology expenses in a proposed real-time crime center; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department wishes to use grant funding for a new Crime Analyst position that will be assigned to the real-time crime center; and

WHEREAS, there is no required match for this grant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem hereby authorize permission to apply for the FY2020 Strategies for Policing Innovation grant, as outlined above, by the appropriate City officials, upon approval as to form and legality by the City Attorney's Office.