RESOLUTION AUTHORIZNG EXECUTION OF CONTRACT WITH THE GUILFORD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR THE SCHOOL SAFETY RESOURCE OFFICER PROGRAM FY25-26

WHEREAS, the Guilford County Board of Education desires the assistance of the City (Greensboro Police Department) in providing School Safety Resource Officers for additional police services to create safe and crime free educational campuses;

WHEREAS, there is a need to maintain the School Safety Resource Officer Program (SRO) jointly operated by the Greensboro Police Department and the Guilford County Board of Education in select public schools;

WHEREAS, the City agrees to provide seventeen (17) officers to be assigned to specific middle/high schools by the Chief of Police and three (3) sworn supervisor to oversee the School Safety Resource Officers and program;

The Guilford County Board of Education shall reimburse the City \$1,699,900.25 for the salaries of the officers assigned to the program for the period of July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.

The Greensboro Police Department and the Guilford County Board of Education shall continue to work together to ensure the successful protection of those educational campuses.

WHEREAS, the Greensboro Police Department would like to enter into a contract with the Guilford County Board of Education for School Safety Resource Officers; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That the Greensboro Police Department is hereby authorized to execute a contract with the Guilford County Board of Education for the School Safety Resource Officer program in Greensboro, NC for payment of \$1,699,900.25 (FY 2025-26) to be paid in quarterly reimbursements, to be funded with Guilford County Board of Education funds.