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RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR THE PIEDMONT TRIAD SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES REGIONAL PLANNING GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, On June 23, 2010 the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) released a Notice of Funding Availability for Sustainable Communities Regional Planning Grants; and

WHEREAS, The Piedmont Triad is defined as Alamance, Caswell, Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Guilford, Montgomery, Randolph, Rockingham, Surry, Stokes, and Yadkin Counties; and

WHEREAS, The grant will support regional planning efforts to integrate housing, land use, economic and workforce development, transportation, and infrastructure investments in a manner that empowers jurisdictions to consider the interdependent challenges of:

(1) Economic competitiveness and revitalization;
(2) Social equity, inclusion, and access to opportunity;
(3) Energy use and climate change; and
(4) Public health and environmental impact; and

WHEREAS, A coordinated vision and regional plan will provide communities in the Piedmont Triad with the ability to secure additional funding to implement the plans recommendations and projects in a comprehensive, integrated, and cost-effective manner.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Alderman of the Town of Kernersville hereby supports the application for a Sustainable Communities Regional Planning Grant on behalf of the Piedmont Triad and further agrees to be a grant application consortium member.

Adopted this day of , 2010.

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Dawn H. Morgan, Mayor

Attest:

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Dale F. Martin, Town Clerk