RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT THE RACIAL EQUITY COMMISSION ANNUAL SYNOPSIS AND APPROVE A CHANGE TO THE RACIAL EQUITY COMMITTEE MAKE-UP

WHEREAS, the charge of the Racial Equity Commission is to advise and work with the Town Council, Race and Equity Officer, and Town staff to educate, provide leadership, and facilitate on-going equitable engagement within the immediate and greater Carrboro community toward the goal of creating a community of inclusiveness in which political, economic, social, and cultural institutions are no longer predicated and influenced by race; and

WHEREAS, the Racial Equity Commission held their first meeting on June 23, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Carrboro seeks to incorporate equitable policies, procedures and practices; and

WHEREAS, the Racial Equity Commission request the Town Council accept the annual synopsis which includes a proposed plan of action; and

WHEREAS, The Racial Equity Commission requests that the Town Council approve a change to the commission membership by adding "or BIPOC business owner" to the representative from the Farmer's Market Board. The change reads - representative from the Farmer's Market Board or BIPOC business owner.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CARRBORO RESOLVES:

Section 1. Accept the Annual Racial Equity Commission Synopsis

Section 2. Add or BIPOC business owner to the Commission membership – 1 representative from the Farmer's Market Board or BIPOC Business owner

Section 3. The resolution is effective upon adoption.