A motion was made by Council Member Nowell, seconded by Council Member Posada, that the following resolution be approved:

A RESOLUTION TO ENDORSE CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ADVOCACY GOALS PROPOSED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES FOR THE 2023-2024 LEGISLATIVE BIENNIUM

WHEREAS, the North Carolina League of Municipalities (NCLM) Board of Directors approved 16 proposed municipal advocacy goals for the 2023-2024 legislative biennium; and

WHEREAS, each NCLM member municipality may endorse up to 10 of the 16 proposed goals as part of the NCLM's legislative goals development process; and

WHEREAS, each NCLM member municipality may designate a single voting delegate who will cast the municipality's vote by January 12, 2023;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Carrboro, North Carolina, endorses the following goals from the list of 16 proposed legislative goals recommended by the North Carolina League of Municipalities Board of Directors:

- Expand federal and state resources for affordable housing.
- Create an adequate and permanent funding stream for local infrastructure.
- Allow municipalities to use local resources and capabilities to expand broadband access in their communities through innovative partnerships.
- Extend deadlines for completion of federal infrastructure projects.
- Expand state transportation funding streams for construction and maintenance for municipal and state-owned secondary roads.
- Support integrated and multi-modal transportation solutions.
- Increase state funding for public transportation operations.
- Expand incentives and funding for local economic development.
- Provide authority to municipal water systems to recoup costs of clean-up from polluters.
- Provide local revenue options beyond property tax.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Council designates the town clerk to act as the Town's voting delegate for the purpose of casting the Town's vote on the proposed legislative goals identified above, and directs the town clerk to cast the Town's vote before the January 12 deadline.

This the 10th day of January 2023.

Ayes: Mayor Damon Seils, Council Member Susan Romaine, Council Member Barbara Foushee, Council Member Danny Nowell, Council Member Eliazar Posada, Council Member Sammy Slade. Absent: Council Member Randee Haven-O'Donnell



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Damon Seils, Mayor