A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A STATEMENT EXPLAINING THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN'S REASONS FOR ADOPTING AN AMENDMENT TO THE TEXT OF THE CARRBORO LAND USE ORDINANCE

Draft Resolution No.

WHEREAS, an amendment to the text of the Carrboro Land Use Ordinance has been proposed, which amendment is described or identified as follows: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CARRBORO LAND USE ORDINANCE SETBACK REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN LIVESTOCK FACILITIES.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Carrboro Resolves:

Section 1. The Board concludes that the above described amendment is consistent with the Downtown Carrboro Vision document and Carrboro Vision2020 as it supports, in a controlled manner, the growing interest in urban chickens, considered by many as part of Carrboro's quirky, artsy, historic mill-town character, and helps to maintain the high level of town services by the Police Department, and by association, Orange County Animal Services, who administers the provisions of the animal control ordinance.

Section 2. The Board further concludes that the above described amendment which will align the provisions of the Land Use Ordinance, with regard to setback provisions for certain livestock facilities, to those in the Town Code relating to Animal Control is in the public interest.

Section 3. This resolution becomes effective upon adoption.

This the 28th day of February 2017.