## A RESOLUTION DECIDING HOW A VACANCY ON THE CARRBORO BOARD OF ALDERMEN SHALL BE FILLED

WHEREAS, Michelle Johnson resigned from the Board of Aldermen effective May 31, 2017, and;

WHEREAS, Michelle Johnson's term expires in December of 2019, and;

WHEREAS, the Charter of the Town of Carrboro requires that whenever a seat on the Board of Aldermen (other than that of the Mayor) becomes vacant at a time when one year or more of the term of office of that seat remains unexpired, that such seat shall be filled by an appointment by the board of aldermen in accordance with provisions of G.S. 160A-63 or by special election, and;

WHEREAS, the special election shall be called by the Board of Aldermen by the adoption of a resolution pursuant to G.S. 163-287 at the next regular meeting of the Board after the vacancy occurs, and;

WHEREAS, the special election may be set as the same date as the municipal general election on November 7, 2017.

## SECTION 1. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CARRBORO BOARD OF ALDERMAN THAT:

- 1. A special election is hereby called for: November 7, 2017
- 2. The Filing Fee shall be: \$10.00
- 3. The filing period shall be: July 7, 2017 at noon and ending on July 21st, 2017 at noon.
- 4. Early voting locations will be the same as the general municipal election and begin on October 19, 2017.
- 5. The Town Clerk is hereby authorized to forthwith deliver this Resolution to and call upon the Orange County Board of Elections to conduct the election described in this Resolution.
- 6. If there is a Board Meeting scheduled for the Tuesday of the Election, it is hereby cancelled.
- 7. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

## \*\*\*\*\*OR\*\*\*\*

ALTERNATIVE SECTION 1. The Carrboro Board of Aldermen shall fill the vacant seat by appointment and direct the Town Clerk to call for applications.