RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$255,652 WITH MERITECH INC. FOR PROFESSIONAL LABORATORY SERVICES

WHEREAS, the City of Greensboro was issued its current National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit NC0047384 on July 1, 2014. This permit contains effluent limits, monitoring requirements as well as general Standard Conditions that need to be met;

WHEREAS, the City collects influent and effluent samples from the T. Z. Osborne Water Reclamation Facility, along with surface water samples and industrial pretreatment samples;

WHEREAS, professional laboratory services are needed to provide analyses for analytical tests the City does not perform;

WHEREAS, Meritech Inc. was one of four firms that submitted for the work and was selected to perform professional laboratory services over a three-year period in the amount of \$255,652; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That a three-year contract for \$255,652 with Meritech, Inc for laboratory services including payment to be made provided sufficient appropriations in succeeding fiscal years are hereby approved.