ORDINANCE TO APPROVE THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF GREENSBORO AND SOUTH CAROLINA TELEPHONE GROUP HOLDINGS, LLC D/B/A SPIRIT COMMUNICAITONS: FIRST APPROVAL

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO THAT:

Section 1.

WHEREAS, North Carolina General Statute §160A-76 requires that all franchise grants, renewals, extensions, or amendments be made by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina General Statute §160A-76 further requires that an ordinance making a grant, renewal, extension, or amendment of any franchise be passed at two regular meetings of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, this is the first regular meeting of the City Council at which the franchise agreement may be approved; and

WHEREAS, the franchise agreement begins October 3, 2017 for a term of ten (10) years with an option for Spirit Communications to renew for an additional five (5) year period by notifying the City in writing; and

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

The franchise agreement between Spirit Communications the City of Greensboro is hereby adopted by ordinance and that this is the first of the two ordinance approvals required by statute.

Section 2.

That this ordinance shall become effective upon second adoption.