RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SOLE SOURCE PURCHASE OF TASER INTERNATIONAL, INC. FOR POLICE BODY CAMERAS, DOCKING STATIONS, MOUNTING HARDWARE, SOFTWARE LICENSES, DATA STORAGE AND ASSURANCE PLANS

WHEREAS, the Greensboro Police Department requires the use of body worn cameras, supporting cloud service and licenses:

WHEREAS, the Greensboro Police Department currently uses and has been satisfied with Taser International, Inc. body worn cameras and its cloud platform since 2013;

WHEREAS, the City has researched many different body cameras and the software system to operate them and Taser International, Inc. is the only company with the product that will allow standardization and compatibility with the existing system used in the Greensboro Police Department;

WHEREAS; the Taser International, Inc. body worn cameras and software licenses and the costs falls within the statutory formal range for purchases and meets the requirements set forth in North Carolina General Statutes 143-129(e)(6) enabling the City to sole source purchase;

WHEREAS, sole source approval by City Council is necessary in order to purchase the body worn cameras, supporting cloud service and licenses;

WHEREAS, Taser International, Inc. will continue to provide the necessary services for the Greensboro Police Department Body Worn Camera Program;

WHEREAS, the total contract cost is estimated at approximately \$1,914,171 over the five year contract term;

WHEREAS, funds are available in the current year budget for year one of the contract in the amount of \$470,236. and funding is subject to City Council approval for future fiscal year budget appropriations.

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

That the City is authorized to enter into a contract with Taser International, Inc. for body worn cameras, supporting clouds services and licenses service. The City Manager and the City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Greensboro a five year contract with the first year cost of \$470,236 for its body worn camera and cloud service licensing program with future fiscal year budget appropriations subject to City Council approval.