RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING NOVEMBER 15TH THROUGH DECEMBER 31ST, 2016 "BUY LOCAL SEASON"

WHEREAS, a celebration of all local independent businesses has begun in the Triad area;

WHEREAS, Triad Local First ("TLF"), a non-profit organization, educates and advocates for citizens about investing in the local economy, and provides networking and other opportunities for local business owners, farmers, and supporters of the buy local movement;

WHEREAS, independent businesses create wealth by engaging local citizens in the production, marketing, and consumption of goods as well as contribute tax dollars that are reinvested in the community;

WHEREAS, spending at local businesses can have a positive impact for local entrepreneurs and assist in keeping their doors open.

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

That November 16th through December 31st is hereby proclaimed "Buy Local Season" for 2016 and years to come.