

RESOLUTION APPROVING MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND ADDENDUM
AUTHORIZING THE GUILFORD COUNTY FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE TO COMPLETE FIRE
PLAN REVIEWS AND FIRE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE INSPECTIONS FOR GUILFORD
COUNTY SCHOOLS INSIDE THE GREENSBORO CITY LIMITS

WHEREAS, fire inspections must be conducted in public schools a minimum of two times a year in accordance with North Carolina General Statute's 115C-525(b);

WHEREAS, staff of the City of Greensboro and staff of Guilford County determined in 2001 that it was in the best interest of the citizens of Greensboro and Guilford County to allow the Guilford County Fire Marshal's Office to perform the mandated fire inspections of public schools within the City of Greensboro limits;

WHEREAS, the Guilford County Fire Marshal's Office has conducted fire inspections for public schools inside the Greensboro city limits and Fire Plan Reviews and Fire Certificate of Compliance Inspections with payment made to Guilford County since October 2001;

WHEREAS, an amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding executed in 2001 was negotiated in August 2016 clarifying that the Guilford County Fire Marshal's Office shall have access to inspect all public school facilities, which receive federal, state or local funding, not limited to charter schools located in the city of Greensboro and Guilford County, North Carolina;

WHEREAS, the 2001 Memorandum of Understanding and the 2016 Addendum are both interlocal agreements and require Council approval;

WHEREAS, the City of Greensboro's Fire Chief and Engineering and Inspection Director have determined that it is in the City of Greensboro's best interest to allow the Guilford County Fire Marshal's Office to perform mandated fire inspections of public schools located in Greensboro, Guilford County, North Carolina.

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

Section 1. That the proper city officials are hereby authorized to enter into the Memorandum of Understanding signed in October 2001 and the amendment to the 2001 Agreement negotiated in August 2016.

Section 2. That this resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.