RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF THE LATE ESTELLA MARIE STAMEY

WHEREAS, on October 2, 2017, this community lost one of its outstanding community leaders with the passing of the late Estella Marie Stamey;

WHEREAS, Ms. Stamey was a native of Lincolnton, North Carolina and graduated from Newbold High School;

WHEREAS, for over 20 years Ms. Stamey worked at Sears, Roebuck & Company and Liberty Hardware;

WHEREAS, she was known for her leadership and advocacy in the Eastside Park area and encouraged involvement by all members of the community;

WHEREAS, her dedicated leadership led to the development of the Eastside Park Community Center in 2003 with the assistance of the Rotary Club and Westminster Presbyterian Church;

WHEREAS, Ms. Stamey was also instrumental in establishing the after-school program for children; and for acquiring computers, books and other resources at the Center;

WHEREAS, during her service as president of the Eastside Park Neighborhood Association, Ms. Stamey was involved in the Greensboro Neighborhood Congress;

WHEREAS, Ms. Stamey served for seven years as a board member of Community Housing Solutions and three years for the Welfare Reform Liaison Project, Inc.;

WHEREAS, she was a member of New Hope Missionary Baptist Church;

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to express its sense of loss and sincere appreciation and gratitude for the many years of dedicated public service rendered by Estella Marie Stamey, the outstanding contributions she has made to the community, and the legacy she leaves.

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

- 1. That the City Council wishes to express its condolences, and offer its sincere appreciation and gratitude for Estella Marie Stamey's many years of dedicated public service. Her legacy will be remembered by the outstanding contributions she has made to the community.
- 2. That a copy of this resolution shall be delivered to the family of the late Estella Marie Stamey as a symbol of the gratitude of the people of Greensboro for her many contributions to this community.