## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$250,000 WITH THE CITY OF GREENSBORO AND STUDIO DISPLAYS, INC. FOR THE COMMUNITY INPUT, EXHIBIT DESIGN AND INSTALLATION FOR THE RUTH WICKER TRIBUTE TO WOMEN AT BARBER PARK

WHEREAS, in 2009 the Parks and Recreation Commission approved the Barber Park Master Plan Phase II;

WHEREAS, on June 16, 2009 the City Council approved a resolution accepting a generous donation from the Last Will and Testament and Revocable Trust of Ruth Wicker for the design and construction of the tribute space;

WHEREAS, the Last Will and Testament and Revocable Trust of Ruth Wicker detailed that the building should be built in a public park and be a building that honors women who have contributed to Greensboro;

WHEREAS, the Ruth Wicker Tribute to Women will be an exhibit space of the larger community building developed to create opportunities to honor and showcase the contributions of women who have lived, worked, and served in Greensboro that have impacted, influenced, transformed, or shaped the rich history of City in a variety of ways;

WHEREAS, a specialized exhibit design firm is necessary to develop and design the space for the contributions of women based on input from targeted organizations and the public to define the content;

WHEREAS, at its January 10, 2017 meeting the Parks and Recreation Commission unanimously recommended that the City Council approve the contract with Studio Displays, Inc. for community input, design and installation of Ruth Wicker Tribute to Women at Barber Park in the amount of \$250,000;

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

That the execution of a contract with City of Greensboro and Studio Displays, Inc. in the amount of \$250,000 with funding available in account number 472-5008-01 and approval of the associated budget adjustment for the community input, design and installation of Ruth Wicker Tribute to Women at Barber Park is hereby approved.