

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$150,000 WITH
HAZEN AND SAWYER, P.C. FOR THE SERVICES TO UPDATE THE WATER
RESOURCES DEPARTMENT ELECTRICAL SAFETY PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requires employers to provide a safe work environment for all employees to include the identification and labeling of hazardous electrical equipment;

WHEREAS, OSHA also requires employers to perform periodic assessments / studies to ensure all systems comply with the most recent National Fire Protection Agency (NFPA) 70E electrical standard;

WHEREAS, this contract provides for: (1) electrical arc flash study procedures and requirements, (2) establishes / updates electrical safety related design standards, (3) establishes / updates electrical safety standard operating procedures, and (4) department-wide arc flash studies and labeling in accordance with NFPA standards;

WHEREAS, Hazen and Sawyer, P.C. is proposed to complete the program update and electrical arc flash evaluation in the amount of \$150,000 due to their demonstrated capabilities and qualifications.

**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 Hazen and Sawyer, P.C. for services to update the Water Resources Department electrical safety program subject to the terms outlined above. The Mayor and/or City Manager and the City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Greensboro a proper contract to carry the proposal into effect, providing equal disbursement be made in the amount of \$50,000 from account number 501-7023-01.5413, 501-7056-01.5413, and 501-7071-01.5413 for a total contract amount of \$150,000.