RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT FOR FY 2019-2020 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$275,000 FOR EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE

WHEREAS, the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) allows for FY 2019-2020 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program funding to exceed the fifteen percent public services cap when activities are used to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic;

WHEREAS, FY 2019-2020 CDBG funding in the amount of up to \$275,000 is proposed for public service subsistence payments for households experiencing economic hardship due to the COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, FY 2019-2020 CDBG funding in the amount of up to \$275,000 will allow Housing Consultants Group to provide mortgage assistance to carry out the public service of subsistence payments;

WHEREAS, Federal CDBG funds in the amount of up to \$275,000 will be utilized to fund said contract; and

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

That the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into contract with the aforementioned agency subject to the terms outlined above.