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RESOLUTION ABOLISHING THE NORTH CENTRAL FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, on or about June 13, 1995, the North Central Fire Protection Service District was created by this Board pursuant to Article 16 of Chapter 153A of the North Carolina General Statutes by Resolution #: 95-6-9; and WHEREAS, following public hearings held on October 20, 2015, this Board has approved resolutions creating fire protection and ambulance and rescue service districts covering all areas originally covered by the North Central Fire Protection Service District and which areas are to be served by the Reems Creek, Woodfin and North Buncombe fire departments effective July 1, 2016; and WHEREAS, a county may abolish a service district pursuant to GS §153A-306, Abolition of service districts, if its board finds that there is no longer a need for a district and that there are no outstanding bonds or notes issued to finance projects in the district; and WHEREAS, new fire protection and ambulance and rescue service districts have been established to provide financial support for the districts and to contract with volunteer and professional fire departments to provide services as single-source, full service and comprehensive responding agencies as part of the Buncombe County EMS System; and WHEREAS, there is no record of any Buncombe County bonds or notes issued to finance projects in the North Central Fire Protection Service District; and WHEREAS, this Board held a public hearing on this particular matter called in accordance with GS §153A-306.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe as follows:

- That this Board finds that there is no longer a need for the North Central Fire
 Protection Service District because new fire protection and ambulance and
 rescue service districts have been created to provide services to the area and
 that there are no outstanding bonds or notes issued to finance projects in said
 district.
- 2. That given these findings, and, pursuant to GS §153A-306, Abolition of service

districts, the North Central Fire Protection Service District shall be abolished.

- 3. That the North Central Fire Protection Service District is hereby abolished effective June 30, 2016.
- 4. That this Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

| This the 3rd day of November, 2015. | |
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| Attest | Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe |
| | By: |
| Kathy Hughes, Clerk | David Gantt, Chairman |
| Approved as to Form | |
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| County Attorney | |