

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN INTER-LOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE AND THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE  
REGARDING EOC COVID-19 HEALTH ASSESSMENTS

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WHEREAS, a State of Emergency was declared by the City, the County, and the State of North Carolina due to the COVID-19 Pandemic;

WHEREAS, the Buncombe County Emergency Operations Center is operating and the possibility exists that County employees working in the Emergency Operations Center ("EOC") may contract or be exposed to COVID-19;

WHEREAS, the City has agreed to provide COVID-19 evaluations to County EOC personnel at City Health Services following County EOC personnel being out of work within the County EOC due to COVID-19 Quarantine-related measures before County EOC personnel will be permitted to return to work within the County EOC;

WHEREAS, the Parties are authorized to execute and enter into this Interlocal Agreement pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 160A-461; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners feels that it is in the best interest of the citizens and residents of Buncombe County to enter into this Interlocal Agreement with the City of Asheville.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the County Manager is hereby authorized to execute the attached Interlocal Agreement for the purpose of authorizing County EOC personnel to receive COVID-19 evaluations at City Health Services following their being out of work within the County EOC due to COVID-19 Quarantine-related measures before County EOC personnel will be permitted to return to work within the County EOC.
2. That this Resolution shall be upon its adoption.

Adopted this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2020.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
FOR THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE

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Lamar Joyner, Clerk to the Board

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Brownie Newman, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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County Attorney