ADDENDUM TO TAX COLLECTIONS AGREEMENT

This Addendum to the Tax Collections Agreement ("Agreement") made and entered into January 8, 2019, by and between Buncombe County, a political subdivision of the State of North Carolina ("County") and the City of Asheville, a North Carolina Municipal Corporation ("City"):

Witnesseth:

Whereas, the County and City previously entered into an Agreement for the County to bill and collect real estate, business personal, personal property taxes, including the City's fee charged for motor vehicles licensed within the City, any taxes related to motor vehicles, and any lien for special assessments made and confirmed by the City;

Whereas, the Agreement is currently valid through June 30, 2025:

Whereas, the County and the City desire to modify the Agreement to conform to the provisions of Chapter 105 of the North Carolina General Statutes, entitled The Revenue Act.

Now therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants of the parties hereto and for the purposes aforesaid, it is hereby agreed between the County and City as follows:

- A. That the following provisions are added to the existing Agreement:
 - 27. During the term of this agreement Buncombe County will bill and collect for the City of Asheville Downtown Business Improvement District (BID) its real estate, business personal, personal property taxes, any taxes related to motor vehicles, and subject to the provisions of this agreement.
 - 28. The City understands the County resources involved in the set up and implementation of first year billing, fiscal year 2025, of the BID property tax and agrees to pay a first year set up and implementation fee of \$28,592.48.
 - 29. That for its services in billing and collecting BID taxes for fiscal year 2025, the City will pay the County a flat fee of \$26,432.11. Beginning July 1, 2025 the fee for these services shall increase annually with an automatic escalation rate of 2.5% for each successive year of any renewal term hereof.
- B. That each and every other of the terms and conditions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect.

[signature pages follow]

SIGNATURE PAGE 1 OF 2 TO ADDENDUM TO TAX COLLECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN BUNCOMBE COUNTY AND THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Addendum to the Tax Collection Agreement to be executed in their corporate names, by their duly authorized officers, all by authority of their governing bodies of each of their taxing units duly adopted, this the day and year first above written.

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	By:
ATTEST:	APPROVED BY:
Sarah Gross, Clerk to the Buncombe County Board of Commissioners	Jennifer Pike Buncombe County Tax Collector
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE	
knowledge of the identity of Sarah Gross, ar Buncombe County Board of Commissioners, acknowledged that she is Clerk to the Bunco Pinder is the Buncombe County Manager, an the County of Buncombe, the foregoing instr Manager, sealed with its official seal, and vo act and deed of the County of Buncombe, al	ry Public for said County and State, have personal and hereby certify that said Sarah Gross, Clerk to the personally appeared before me this day and combe County Board of Commissioners and that Avril and that by the authority duly given and as the act of rument was signed in its name by said County coluntarily attested to by himself as its Clerk as the laby authority duly given by its governing body. This the day of, 2025.
	Notary Public Printed Name:

My commission expires:

SIGNATURE PAGE 2 OF 2 TO ADDENDUM TO TAX COLLECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN BUNCOMBE COUNTY AND THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE

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ATTEST: APPROVED BY: Magdalen Burleson, City Clerk

CITY OF ASHEVILLE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE

1, Kenneth 3 Merritt, Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that Magdalen Burleson, City Clerk, personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged that she is Clerk to the City of Asheville and that Debra Campbell is the Asheville City Manager, and that by the authority duly given and as the act of the City of Asheville, the foregoing instrument was signed in its name by said City Manager, sealed with its official seal, and voluntarily attested to by herself as its Clerk as the act and deed of the City of Asheville, all by authority duly given by its governing body.

Witness my hand and notarial seal, this the 26 day of March

Kenneth B Merritt **NOTARY PUBLIC** Buncombe County, NC My Commission Expires January 28, 2029 Notary Public Kenneth B. Merritt
My commission expires: 1/28/2029

RESOLUTION NO. 25-62

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AN ADDENDUM TO THE TAX COLLECTIONS AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE AND BUNCOMBE COUNTY TO REFLECT COLLECTION AND BILLING FOR THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE DOWNTOWN BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

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WHEREAS, the Agreement is currently valid through June 30, 2025; and;

WHEREAS, the County and the City desire to modify the Agreement to conform to the provisions of Chapter 105 of the North Carolina General Statutes, entitled The Revenue Act.

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

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- B. That each and every other of the terms and conditions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect.

Read, approved and adopted this 25th day of March, 2025.

City Clefk

Ecten E. Menz Mayor

Approved as to form:

City Attorney