

**RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT
TO CREATE AND JOIN A NEW LOCAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AREA**

WHEREAS, currently, the Counties of Chatham, Harnett, Lee, and Sampson jointly cooperate to provide workforce development services through the Triangle South Workforce Development Area/Workforce Development Board; and

WHEREAS, currently, Central Carolina Community College serves as the grant administrator for the Triangle South Workforce Development Area/Workforce Development Board; and

WHEREAS, in cooperation with Cumberland County, Sampson County, Central Carolina Community College, and Mid-Carolina Regional Council, Harnett County wishes to help facilitate the formation of new regional workforce development area/workforce development board; and

WHEREAS, Harnett County desires to become a member of this new regional local workforce development area/workforce development board, to be known as the Mid-Carolina Workforce Area/Workforce Development Board; and

WHEREAS, based on discussions with Central Carolina Community College and Mid-Carolina Regional Council, Harnett County desires Mid-Carolina Regional Council to become the grant administrator for the Mid-Carolina Workforce Area/Workforce Development Board; and

WHEREAS, it is understood that the formation of the new regional workforce development area/workforce development board will take place on or before July 1, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Harnett County Board of Commissioners that:

1. Harnett County desires to be member of the Mid-Carolina Workforce Development Area/Workforce Development Board.
2. Harnett County desires that Mid-Carolina Regional Council be the grant administrator for the Mid-Carolina Workforce Development Area/Workforce Development Board.
3. Harnett will work cooperatively with Cumberland County, Sampson County, Central Carolina Community College, and Mid-Carolina Regional Council to ensure a smooth transition of workforce development services and administration from Triangle South Workforce Development Area/Workforce Development Board to Mid-Carolina Workforce Development Area/Workforce Development Board.

Adopted by the Harnett County Board of Commissioners in regular session, this 6th day of December 2021.

HARNETT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

By: Lewis Weatherspoon
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Melissa D. Capps, Clerk