Resolution No.: 15-18

Date Adopted: April 21, 2015

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOLLY SPRINGS TOWN COUNCIL REQUESTING EXTENSION OF THE TOWN'S EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION

WHEREAS, the North Carolina General Assembly has provided in Chapter 160A-360 of the North Carolina General Statutes a process for municipalities of 25,000 or more population to extend their extraterritorial jurisdiction (ETJ) over an area extending not more than three miles beyond their corporate limits with approval by the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the area requested for ETJ expansion is designated by the Wake County Land Use Plan as lying in the Town of Holly Springs' urban service area; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Holly Springs has demonstrated a commitment to comprehensive planning by adopting *Vision Holly Springs: Town of Holly Springs Comprehensive Plan* in November 2007 and various updates; and

WHEREAS, *Vision Holly Springs* includes comprehensive planning documents for land use, transportation, and infrastructure and utilities that include the proposed ETJ extension area; and

WHEREAS, future development within this area will be at urban densities; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Holly Springs anticipates annexation of this land within 10 years; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Holly Springs has made progress in annexing and supplying municipal services throughout its existing ETJ; and

WHEREAS, the area designated for ETJ extension is within three miles of Holly Springs corporate limits;

WHEREAS, the area designated for ETJ extension is within the boundaries of the Town of Holly Springs annexation agreements with the Towns of Apex, Cary and Fuquay-Varina;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Holly Springs that it requests that Wake County designate the area shown on the attached map entitled "Holly Springs 2015 Proposed ETJ Extensions" and more particularly described below as Holly Springs extra-territorial jurisdiction (ETJ):