

**RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL TO
AUTHORIZE A CONTRACT WITH MAULDIN JENKINS**

WHEREAS, the North Carolina General Assembly has enacted Chapter 159-34 of the North Carolina General Statutes which requires all local governments to have their accounts audited as soon as possible after the close of each fiscal year by a certified public accountant, or accountant certified by the Local Government Commission as qualified to audit local government accounts, selected by and reporting to the governing board; and

WHEREAS, City staff issued a Request for Proposal from qualified auditing firms on March 8, 2021 and six proposals were received by the April 2, 2021 deadline; and

WHEREAS, staff reviewed the proposals based on the criteria outlined in the Request for Proposal; and

WHEREAS, Mauldin Jenkins, LLC scored the highest among the six proposals reviewed by staff.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Hendersonville, North Carolina that:

1. City Council selects Mauldin Jenkins, LLC as auditor for fiscal years 2021 for the amount of \$33,000.
2. City Council directs the Finance Director to submit the completed LGC-205 Contract to Audit Accounts to the Local Government Commission.
3. City Council authorizes the City Manager to sign the Mauldin Jenkins, LLC Engagement Letter and the LGC-205 Contract to Audit Accounts for the fiscal year 2021 audit.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Hendersonville, North Carolina on this 1st day of April 2021.

Attest:

Barbara G. Volk, Mayor, City of Hendersonville

Angela L. Reece, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Angela S. Beeker, City Attorney