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Mr. Steven Orr
City Manager
City of Saluda
6 East Main Street
Saluda, North Carolina 28733

RE: Letter of Support
City of Saluda Water System Merger Integration Assistance Grant

Mr. Orr:

As you know, over the past few years the City of Hendersonville has participated in the City of Saluda's study to investigate the feasibility of a potential merger, in part or in whole, regionalization, or some combination thereof of the municipality's water systems. The study has identified needs and/or projects necessary for a merger, but will also improve the resilience of the Saluda water system regardless of its ownership.

With submittal of this letter, we offer our support of the items identified in the study to ensure the viability and resilience of the Saluda water system. Our support of the items identified, however, does not bind us to act on a merger, in part or in whole, regionalization, or some combination thereof.

Sincerely,

John F. Connet
City Manager

attachment: Resolution by City of Hendersonville City Council