

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY AND PROPER TO APPROVE THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES NOMINATION SUBMITTAL FOR THE SITE FORMALLY KNOWN AS EARLES DRUG STORE.

WHEREAS, the owner of 134 W. Center Street, formerly home to Earles Drug Store, submitted an application to list the property on the National Register of Historic Places; and

WHEREAS, as a Certified Local Government (CLG) through the State Historic Preservation Office, the city is required to have all National Register nominations reviewed by both the Historic Zoning Commission and the Board of Mayor and Aldermen prior to submission to the State Review Board; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Zoning Commission reviewed the nomination and approved the draft for submission to the State at its regular meeting on April 14, 2025.

Now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. That the National Register nomination was reviewed prior to submission to the State Review Board by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

SECTION II. That the mayor, or in his absence, incapacity, or failure to act, the vice mayor, is authorized and directed to execute, in a form approved by the city attorney, and subject to the requirements of Article X, Section 10 of the Charter of the City of Kingsport, all documents necessary and proper to approve the National Register of Historic Places Nomination Submittal for the site formally known as Earles Drug Store.

SECTION III. That the board finds that the actions authorized by this resolution are for a public purpose and will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the city.

SECTION IV. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

ADOPTED this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

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PAUL W. MONTGOMERY, MAYO

ATTEST:

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ANGELA MARSHALL, DEPUTY CITY RECORDER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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RODNEY B. ROWLETT, III, CITY ATTORNEY