

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AUTHORIZING THE MUNICIPAL TECHNICAL ADVISORY SERVICE TO CODIFY AND REVISE THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF KINGSPORT, TENNESSEE AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL OTHER DOCUMENTS NECESSARY AND PROPER TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSE OF THIS RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, periodically it is necessary to recodify the code of ordinances in order to ensure amendments to various provisions have been properly incorporated; reorganize divisions, articles, and chapters which have been amended over time; and to review the code for provisions which may be inapplicable or that conflict with state law; and

WHEREAS, historically the recodification process has occurred at approximately 15-year intervals with the last full recodification of the code undertaken in 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Technical Advisory Service (MTAS) offers recodification services to various municipalities across the state; and

WHEREAS, MTAS will conduct a thorough review of the city code for compliance with state law, will propose revisions as necessary for compliance, and MTAS will place the City of Kingsport Municipal Code into a standardized 20 title format implemented by many cities across the state; and

WHEREAS, the fee for review and recodification is \$18,000 which is based upon population; and

WHEREAS, the full review and recodification is anticipated to take a year to complete.

Now therefore,

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

SECTION I. That the use of Municipal Technical Advisory Service to recodify and review the City of Kingsport Code of Ordinances, in an amount not to exceed \$18,000 is approved.

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 and to take any and all action as may be required on the part of the city to carry out, give effect to, and consummate the transactions contemplated by this resolution.

SECTION III. That the board finds that the actions authorized by this resolution are for a public purpose and will promote the health, comfort and prosperity 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 15th day of September, 2026.

PAUL W. MONTGOMERY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

ANGELA MARSHALL, DEPUTY CITY RECORDER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RODNEY B. ROWLETT, III, CITY ATTORNEY