

## RESOLUTION NO 2024-138

### CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA APPOINTING JAMES CARTER TO SERVE ON THE NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL; MAKING FINDINGS OF FACT IN SUPPORT THEREOF; DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO REFLECT SAID APPOINTMENT IN SUCH RECORDS OF THE CITY AS ARE NECESSARY AND PRUDENT; DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO COMMUNICATE SUCH APPOINTMENT TO THE NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL; REPEALING ALL PRIOR RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the North Central Florida Regional Planning Council (the “NCFRPC”) in partnership with economic development organizations and local governments, promotes regional strategies, partnerships and solutions to strengthen the economic competitiveness and quality of life of the 12 counties and 40 incorporated municipalities in the north central Florida region; and

**WHEREAS**, the NCFRPC is comprised of members from local governments and gubernatorial appointees; and

**WHEREAS**, the seat on the NCFRPC representing the City of Lake City (the “City”) is now vacant as a result of the retirement of former Mayor Stephen Witt; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council is imbued with the authority to appoint a new member to represent the City on the NCFRPC; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to appoint Councilman James Carter to represent the City on the NCFRPC; and

**WHEREAS**, appointing the foregoing individual to the NCFRPC is in the public interest and in the interests of the City; now therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida:

1. Appointing Councilman James Carter to the NCFRPC is in the public or community interest and for public welfare; and
2. The City Clerk is directed to reflect such appointment to the NCFRPC in the official records of the City; and
3. The City Clerk if further directed to communicate such appointment to the appropriate party at the NCFRPC; and
4. All prior resolutions of the City Council of the City of Lake City in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict; and
5. This resolution shall become effective and enforceable upon final passage by the City Council of the City of Lake City.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED**, by an affirmative vote of a majority of a quorum present of the City Council of the City of Lake City, Florida, at a regular meeting, this \_\_\_ day of December, 2024.

BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY,  
FLORIDA

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Noah E. Walker, Mayor

ATTEST, BY THE CLERK OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA:

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Audrey Sikes, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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Clay Martin, City Attorney