## **RESOLUTION NO. 2024-361-R**

## AUTHORIZATION OF A JOINT PURCHASING AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF MADISON, ALABAMA AND HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

**WHEREAS**, the City of Madison, Alabama (hereinafter, "Madison"), and the City of Huntsville, Alabama (hereinafter, "Huntsville"), desire to enter into a Joint Purchase Agreement pursuant to the terms of Alabama Code § 41-16-50(c) to provide for the purchase of light duty vehicles; and

**WHEREAS**, Huntsville currently holds a contract with Woody Anderson Ford, Inc. (Contract #101-2022-54A) ratified via Huntsville Resolution No. 22-820 and amended on January 12, 2023 via Resolution No. 23-15; and

**WHEREAS**, Contract #101-2022-54A was established pursuant to a competitive bid process executed by the City of Huntsville in full accord with the Alabama Competitive Bid law; and

**WHEREAS**, Huntsville agrees to allow Madison to utilize its contract with Woody Anderson Ford, Inc., to purchase Light Duty Vehicles pursuant to its letter dated October 25, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, Madison's utilization of Huntsville's existing contract with Woody Anderson Ford, Inc. shall provide lower costs to Madison and serves a public purpose with such lower pricing for said vehicles.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that by adoption of this resolution, Madison expresses its approval of the agreement set out herein below to provide for joint purchasing by Madison and Huntsville on the following terms:

1. Madison may, at its option, elect to purchase any light duty vehicle designated and priced

through Huntsville's Contract #101-2022-54A; and

2. Madison will order directly from the vendor and pay the vendor directly for any vehicle

enumerated under Huntsville's contract with Woody Anderson Ford; and

3. Each party to this Agreement shall be responsible for purchasing and paying for its agreed

upon purchase of a light duty vehicle; and

4. This Resolution, after its adoption and execution, shall be effective to constitute a Joint

Purchasing Agreement with Huntsville, Alabama, upon the City of Madison's acceptance

of Huntsville's October 25, 2024, Letter offer to enter into this joint purchasing agreement

(Attachment A: October 25, 2024, Huntsville Offer Letter).

READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED at a regularly scheduled meeting of the City

Council of the City of Madison, on this  $12^{\text{th}}$  day of November 2024.

	John D. Seifert II, City Council President City of Madison, Alabama
ATTEST:	
Lisa D. Thomas, City Clerk-Treasurer City of Madison, Alabama	_
<b>APPROVED</b> this day of No	ovember, 2024.
	Paul Finley, Mayor
	City of Madison, Alabama