April 11, 2023 Town Council Regular Meeting Res. No.

## A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT UPDATED MISSION AND VALUES STATEMENTS AND CODE OF ETHICS FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE WARRENTON TOWN COUNCIL AND FOR THE MEMBERS OF ALL BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS APPOINTED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL

**WHEREAS**, Warrenton, VA (Hereinafter "the Town") is a municipal corporation located within the County of Fauquier; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has determined that the adoption of a Mission and Values Statements and Code of Ethics for its members and the members of all Council-appointed boards, committees and commissions will assist in achieving these ends; and

WHEREAS, the citizens and businesses of the Town of Warrenton are entitled to have fair, ethical and accountable local government which has earned the public's full confidence; and

WHEREAS, in keeping with Town Council's commitment to excellence, all public officials, both elected and appointed, must comply with both the letter and spirit of the laws and policies affecting the operation of government; and

WHEREAS, all public officials, both elected and appointed, are required to be impartial and fair in their judgment and actions and ensure that public office is used for the public good; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Warrenton Town Council Hereby is resolving to adopt the updated Mission and Values Statements and Code of Ethics for the members of the Warrenton Town Council and for the members of all boards, committees and commissions appointed by the Town Council

ATTACHMENT: Code of Ethics

<u>Votes:</u> Ayes: Nays: Absent from Vote: Absent from Meeting:

For Information: Town Clerk

ATTEST:

Town Recorder