

## RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING STAFF AND COUNTY ATTORNEY TO INITIATE THE  
PROCESS OF VOLUNTARY SETTLEMENT OF ANNEXATION WITH THE TOWN OF  
WARRENTON

WHEREAS, Chapter 34 of Title 15.2 recognizes that Virginia localities may be able to voluntarily negotiate and settle boundary matters in an efficient and beneficial manner to the orderly growth and continued viability of the localities; and

WHEREAS, the County determined after due consideration that the boundary between the County and Town of Warrenton should be adjusted and relocated as outlined in the Voluntary Settlement Agreement between the localities; and

WHEREAS, the County passed a resolution on March 14, 2024, to move forward with the Voluntary Settlement Agreement process; and

WHEREAS, two additional small portions of a property owned by Alwington Estates, LLC, PIN 6983-28-8269-000, containing 2.20772 acres and 0.56128 acres are desired to be added to the property adjusted into the boundary of the Town of Warrenton; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Fauquier County Board of Supervisors this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024, That, the County Administrator and County Attorney are hereby authorized to take all actions necessary to negotiate a Voluntary Settlement Agreement with the Town of Warrenton; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Attorney is authorized to present jointly with the Town of Warrenton such Proposed Settlement Agreement to the Commission on Local Government, subject to any changes to the Agreement approved by the County Administrator and County Attorney, to initiate the boundary line adjustment process in *Code of Virginia* § 15.2-3400; and, be it

RESOLVED FINALLY, That the County intends, subject to input received during the public hearing processes of the entities involved and review by the Commission, to adopt the Voluntary Settlement Agreement and directs that the principal point of contact for the County during this process is Tracy A. Gallehr, County Attorney, 10 Hotel Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, (540) 422-8010 phone, (540) 422-8022 fax, [tracy.gallehr@fauquiercounty.gov](mailto:tracy.gallehr@fauquiercounty.gov).

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