November 9, 2022 Town Council Regular Meeting

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE END OF THE ROLLOUTWARRENTON! PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THECONTINUED CLOSURE OF FIRST AND SECOND STREET TO VEHICLE TRAFFIC

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

WHEREAS, the Town developed and implemented the RollOutWarrenton! program as a temporary program to assist businesses in navigating the restrictions from the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, at the May 12th, 2020 Town Council Meeting a public hearing was held and the Council voted to temporarily relax zoning ordinances and provide use of public streets to expand businesses; and

WHEREAS, First St and Second St. were closed to vehicle traffic; and

WHEREAS, in December of 2020, Council made the decision to continue the RollOutWarrenton! Program; and

WHEREAS, in April of 2021, Council made the decision to continue the RollOutWarrenton! Program; and

WHEREAS, in March of 2022, Council made the decision to continue the RollOutWarrenton! Program; and

WHEREAS, the RollOutWarrenton! program is ending Nov 1, 2022 after successfully assisting businesses and providing an effective model for increasing pedestrian traffic and additional events along Main St.; and

WHEREAS, the existing parklets will be removed from all Town streets; and

WHEREAS, First Street will remain closed and designated as "Town Hall Plaza" designated to provide a pedestrian gateway onto Main St.; and

NOW, **THEREFORE**, **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Warrenton Town Council Hereby is recognizing the end of the RollOutWarrenton! program;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED First Street and Second Street will remain closed to vehicle traffic;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town of Warrenton Town Council agrees the next step for the RollOutWarrenton! program, the continuation of the parklet program and use of Town streets requires a permanent program and directs the Town Manager to work with Experience Old Town Warrenton and develop the parameters of a permanent RollOutWarrenton! program for Town Council Consideration during the first quarter of 2023.

<u>Votes:</u>	
Ayes:	
Nays:	
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Absent from Meeting:	
For Information: Public Works Director	
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ATTEST:Town Record	der
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