PRELIMINARY RESOLUTION TO CLOSE CERTAIN ALLEYS IN THE FOURTH WARD

WHEREAS, NCGS 160A-299 authorizes the City Council to close public streets and alleys; and

WHEREAS, the City Council considers it advisable to conduct a public hearing for the purpose of giving consideration to the closing of the following certain numbered alleys in the Fourth Ward, and shown on the attached map, which is incorporated herein by reference:

Alley Number 98 described as extending north approximately 250 feet off of B Street and running parallel to Wood Street and Herrington road; and

Alley Number 42 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Herrington and Highland, parallel to Magnolia and Arbutus; and

Alley Number 39 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Herrington and Highland, parallel to Hemlock and Spruce; and

Alley Number 36 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Herrington and Highland, parallel to Massachusetts and Witherspoon; and

Alley Number 94 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Herrington and Highland, parallel to Hemlock and Massachusetts; and

Alley Number 38 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Highland and Southern, parallel to Hemlock and Spruce; and

Alley Number 37 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Highland and Southern, parallel to Massachusetts and Hemlock; and

Alley Number 35 described as extending east and west approximately 400 feet between Highland and Southern, parallel to Witherspoon and Massachusetts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Elizabeth City that:

- 1) A public hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. on the 9th day of September, 2013 in the City Council Chambers of the Municipal Administration Building to consider a resolution closing those certain alleys within the Fourth Ward.
- The City Clerk is hereby directed to publish this Preliminary Resolution once a week for four successive weeks in *The Daily Advance*, or other newspaper of general circulation in the area.
- 3} The City Clerk is further directed to transmit by registered or certified mail to each owner of property abutting upon that portion of said alley a copy of this Preliminary Resolution.
- The City Clerk is further directed to cause adequate notices of this Preliminary Resolution and the scheduled public hearing to be posted as required by NCGS 160A-299.

ADOPTED, this the 8th day of July 2013.

Joseph W. Peel Mayor

Dianne S. Pierce-Tamplen, MMC City Clerk

