RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE AND THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE REGARDING ADMINISTRATION OF CODE PURPLE FUNDING

- WHEREAS, Code Purple is a coordinated effort among local shelters and organizations to provide expanded emergency shelter capacity during extreme weather events to those experiencing homelessness with fewer requirements for entry; and
- WHEREAS, Buncombe County and the City of Asheville wish to mutually support Code Purple and each has budgeted \$50,000 toward this end; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Asheville will serve as the administrator of Code Purple funding agreements on behalf of Buncombe County; and
- WHEREAS, an interlocal agreement is required for local governments to enter into such a mutual undertaking; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 153A-445 and N.C. Gen. Stat. § 160A-461 a city and county may enter into agreements with each other in order to execute any undertaking as ratified by resolution of the governing board of each unit of government; and
- WHEREAS, City Council Resolution No. _____ signed on _____, City Council authorized the City Manager to enter into this Interlocal Agreement and;
- WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners is of the opinion that is in the best interest of the parties involved to enter into this Interlocal Agreement with the City of Asheville.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe as follows:

- 1. The County Manager is hereby authorized to execute the attached Interlocal agreement between the City of Asheville and the County of Buncombe and any subsequent addendums or amendments; and
- 2. This Resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.

Adopted this 18th day of February 2025.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE

Sarah Gross, Clerk to the Board

By: _____ Amanda Edwards, Chair

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

County Attorney