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**A RESOLUTION CONSOLIDATING THE DARE
COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES INTO THE
DARE COUNTY CONSOLIDATED HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of NCGS 153A-77 Dare County has previously consolidated its Health Department and its Transportation Department into the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency; and

WHEREAS, The Dare County Department of Social Services is a human services agency eligible for consolidation under the provisions of NCGS 153A-77; and

WHEREAS, the Dare County Department of Social Services Board, the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency Board and the Dare County Board of Commissioners find that consolidating the Dare County Department of Social Services into the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency is beneficial to the Dare County Department of Social Services and its staff, to the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency and its staff, to Dare County and to the citizens of Dare County; and

WHEREAS, the Dare County Department Social Services Board, the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Board and the Dare County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to the provisions of NCGS 153A-77, find that upon such consolidation it is in the best interest of the Dare County Department of Social Services and its staff, the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency and its staff, Dare County and the citizens of Dare County that the current members of the Dare County Department of Social Services Board be appointed to the Dare Consolidated Human Services Board; that the Dare Consolidated Human Services Agency Board shall serve as the policy making, rulemaking, and administrative board of the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency; and that the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency and its staff, including the staff of the Dare Department of Social Services, operate under the personnel policies of Dare County, subject to the nine principles of the Federal Merit System, and work at the direction of and under the supervision of the County Manager; and

WHEREAS, the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency Board and the Dare County Board of Commissioners find that it is in the best interest of the Dare County Department of Transportation and its staff, Dare County and the citizens of Dare County that the Dare County Department of Transportation be transferred from the supervision of the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency to the supervision of the Dare County Public Services Department.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Dare County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to the provisions of NCGS 153A-77, effective the date hereof, does hereby:

1. Assume all powers, responsibilities, and duties of the Dare County Department of Social Services Board and delegate all of the powers and duties set forth under the provisions of NCGS 153A-77(d) to the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency Board;
2. Consolidate the Dare County Department of Social Services into the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency;
3. Appoint all current members of the Dare County Department of Social Services Board to serve on the Dare County Consolidated Human Services Agency Board;
4. Direct that all staff of the Dare County Department of Social Services operate under the personnel policies of Dare County, subject to the nine principles of the Federal Merit System, and work at the direction of and under the supervision of the County Manager.
5. Assign the Dare County Transportation Department to the supervision of the Dare County Public Services Department.

Adopted by the Dare County Board of Commissioners this the 4th day of November 2013.

Warren C. Judge, Chairman
Dare County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST: _____
Gary Gross, Clerk to the Board

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