## **ORDER**

## TO APPROVE AN AGREEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PERTAINING TO A REDISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE CITY OF LAUREL RESULTING FROM THE RECENT PENDORFF ANNEXATION COURT DECISION

**WHEREAS**, the City of Laurel is required by law to have fair and proper representation for its seven city wards and council positions; and

**WHEREAS,** as a result of the recent court decision regarding the Pendorff Annexation Case, the City of Laurel has obtained a proposal for redistricting services from Slaughter & Associates to develop a redistricting plan for the City of Laurel.

**THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED**, that the City of Laurel enter into an agreement with Slaughter & Associates for professional services pertaining to the City's redistricting plan, at a cost between \$9,000.00 - \$12,000.00 and the Mayor has the authority to sign the agreement between the City and Slaughter & Associates.

**IT IS ALSO ORDERED,** that the Finance Director is authorized to make all necessary budget amendments to the FY 2021 Budget.

**SO ORDERED** this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020. Motion was made by <u>Councilperson Capers</u>, and seconded by <u>Councilperson Amos</u>, for the adoption of the above and foregoing Order.

Upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS: Capers, Wheat, Thaxton, Carmichael, Amos, Page

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: Comegys

The President thereupon declared the motion carried and the Order adopted this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, A.D., 2020.

PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL	

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