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April 23, 2019

To the Honorable Council
City of Norfolk, Virginia

Re: Climate Action Plan

R-02

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

Attached is a resolution supporting the Climate Action Plan of the Mayor's Advisory Commission.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bernard".

Bernard A. Pishko
City Attorney

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Attachment

Form and Correctness Approved:

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NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

Resolution

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CLIMATE ACTION PLAN OF THE MAYOR'S ADVISORY COMMISSION ON CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION AND ADAPTION.

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WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Norfolk, Virginia established the Mayor's Advisory Commission on Climate Change Mitigation and Adaption ("Commission") on January 23, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Commission members worked diligently and collaboratively to develop a Climate Action Plan to identify measurable achievable goals for cutting Norfolk's carbon emissions, to mitigate and adapt to climate change, and to position Norfolk as a vibrant, resilient, healthy, and economically flourishing City; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Norfolk:

Section 1:- In keeping with the Paris Accord on climate change, and in support of the Covenant of Mayors on Climate and Energy to which Norfolk Mayor Kenneth Cooper Alexander is a signatory, this Council embraces the long-term goal of minimizing energy use. The Climate Action Plan of the Mayor's Advisory Commission on Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation includes measures to support this goal. Upon the finalization of the Climate Action Plan, the City administration is encouraged to proceed, where appropriate, to develop a timely work plan for

presentation to the City Council for portions of the Climate Action Plan achievable by the City.

Section 2:- That this resolution shall be in effect from and after its adoption.