

**MECKLENBURG COUNTY**  
**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE**  
**MECKLENBURG COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS DIRECTOR TO PLACE**  
**ON THE NOVEMBER 4, 2025 BALLOT AN ADVISORY REFERENDUM ON**  
**THE QUESTION OF WHETHER TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL ONE CENT**  
**SALES AND USE TAX AS AUTHORIZED BY "THE PAVE ACT" FOR**  
**TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES IN MECKLENBURG COUNTY.**

**WHEREAS**, Article 43 of Chapter 105 of the North Carolina General Statutes, as amended by The PAVE Act, allows the Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to institute a one-cent sales and use tax subject to certain conditions, including, among other things, approval by a majority of those voting in an advisory referendum for the levy; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to levy the local sales and use tax, the County of Mecklenburg must conduct an advisory referendum in accordance with the provisions of North Carolina General Statute 163A-1592; and

**WHEREAS**, if approved by the voters the one cent local sales and use tax would be used as outlined in the PAVE Act; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 30, 2025, the Board voted on the language to be included on the November 4, 2025 ballot referendum and scheduled a public hearing for August 6, 2025.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of County Commissioners shall, and hereby does, direct the Mecklenburg County Board of Elections Director to place on the November 4, 2025 ballot an advisory referendum on the question of whether to levy an additional one-cent sales and use tax as authorized by the General Statutes and The PAVE Act; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that pursuant to G.S. 105-537(c) the question shall appear on the ballot as:

"[ ] FOR [ ] AGAINST"

One percent (1%) local sales and use taxes, in addition to the current local sales and use taxes, to be used only for roadway systems and public transportation systems.

APPROVED the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025

Approved as to Form:

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County Attorney

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Clerk to the Board