

MECKLENBURG COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE MECKLENBURG
COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS DIRECTOR TO PLACE ON THE NOVEMBER 5,
2019 BALLOT AN ADVISORY REFERENDUM ON THE QUESTION OF WHETHER
TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL ONE-QUARTER CENT SALES AND USE TAX AS
AUTHORIZED BY ARTICLE 46 OF CHAPTER 105 OF THE NORTH CAROLINA
GENERAL STATUTES

WHEREAS, Article 46 of Chapter 105 of the North Carolina General Statutes allows the Board of County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County to institute a one-quarter 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-quarter cent local sales and use tax is estimated to generate an additional fifty million dollars annually; and

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2019, the Board of County Commissioners voted to place an advisory referendum before the voters on November 5, 2019;

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 5, 2019 ballot an advisory referendum on the question of whether to levy an additional one-quarter cent sales and use tax as authorized by Article 46 of Chapter 105 of the North Carolina General Statutes; and

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

[] FOR [] AGAINST

Local sales and use tax at the rate of one-quarter percent (0.25%) in addition to all other state and local sales and use taxes.

APPROVED the _____ day of _____, 2019

Approved as to Form:

County Attorney

Clerk to the Board