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A RESOLUTION HONORING THE WORK OF HARRISONBURG DOWNTOWN RENAISSANCE

WHEREAS, Harrisonburg Downtown Renaissance (HDR) was created in 2002 to work in partnership with the community to develop a comprehensive vision and master plan to revitalize downtown Harrisonburg into a prosperous and vibrant City Center; and

WHEREAS, throughout its existence it has encouraged and facilitated significant redevelopment of downtown buildings and businesses, location of new businesses and the attraction of numerous new events, bringing millions in new investment and tens of thousands in visitors to downtown; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of their successes over the years HDR has received a number of state, regional and national awards and recognition, including the winning of a "Great American Main Street Award", all of which has brought positive recognition to the City of Harrisonburg; and

WHEREAS, more recently HDR has received additional honors in the form of four Virginia Main Street Awards indicating that they are doing some of the best work in Virginia and continue to be a model for others to follow; and

WHEREAS, just this month HDR staged a very successful 4th of July event and organization fundraiser, the Friendly City Fortune raffle.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HARRISONBURG CITY COUNCIL, that council hereby honors and congratulates Harrisonburg Downtown Renaissance, its staff and it's Board of Directors for their ongoing efforts and history of success in support of the City's goal of downtown revitalization.

Adopted this 25th day of July 2017.

BY: _____

Deanna R. Reed, Mayor

ATTEST: _____

Pamela S. Ulmer, Deputy City Clerk