Resolution No.

Resolution Regarding Electronic Participation by a Member of City Council

WHEREAS, Virginia Code Section 2.2-3708.2 provides that an individual member of a public body may fully participate in meetings electronically if any such member meets the criterial of the code and the public body has adopted an Electronic Meeting Policy; and

WHEREAS, City Council adopted an Electronic Participation Policy on June 22, 2021 as Resolution No. 3011; and

WHEREAS, City Council Member Alyia Gaskins notified the Mayor and the Clerk that he is unavailable to be physically present for October 8, 2024, City Council Legislative Meeting due to a personal matter, specifically work-related travel; and

WHEREAS, the Council Member has not participated in more than two or 25% of City Council Meetings by electronic means during this calendar year; and

WHEREAS, the City Council Member will participate in the City Council Meeting by Zoom Video Conference Call from St. Louis, Missouri, and arrangements have been made to ensure the member shall be heard by all participants at the City Council Meeting; and

WHEREAS, a quorum of the City Council is physically assembled in person.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA:

That pursuant to Virginia Code 2.2-3708 and the City Council's Electronic Meeting Policy Resolution 3011, City Council Member Alyia Gaskins will participate remotely in this meeting by video conference call.

ADOPTED: October 8, 2024

JUSTIN M. WILSON MAYOR

ATTEST:

Gloria A. Sitton, CMC City Clerk