Resolution to Support the *myFutureNC* Attainment Goal

**WHEREAS,** *myFutureNC* is a statewide non-profit organization focused on educational attainment and is the result of cross-sector collaboration between North Carolina leaders in education, business, and government; and

**WHEREAS,** the *myFutureNC* Commission, along with the North Carolina General Assembly and Governor, concluded that North Carolina should have a goal that 2 million North Carolinians will have a high-quality credential or postsecondary degree by 2030; and

**WHEREAS,** Rockingham Community College is committed to endeavor to bring about the alignment of educational offerings provided by the Community Colleges in North Carolina with the State’s workforce needs; and

**WHEREAS,** community colleges, along with other key education partners, help advance educational attainment of students in North Carolina by providing high-quality, accessible educational opportunities that minimize barriers to post-secondary education, maximize student success, develop a globally and multi-culturally competent workforce, and improve the lives and well-being of individuals; and

**WHEREAS,** the Rockingham Community College Board of Trustees agrees that North Carolina faces a gap between attainment of, and the projected need for, citizens with post-secondary degrees or high-quality credentials.

**THEREFORE,** **BE IT RESOLVED** Rockingham Community College supports the attainment goal of *myFutureNC* that 2 million North Carolinians should have a high-quality credential or postsecondary degree by 2030; and

Rockingham Community College will continue to foster partnerships across the education continuum, and with leaders in business, education, state and local government, and community-based organizations to achieve the goal.

**BE IT RESOLVED, FURTHER,** that this Resolution be included in the minutes of the Board of Trustees of Rockingham Community College for its perpetual preservation, that a copy be forwarded to Cecilia Holden, CEO of *myFutureNC* and that a copy be forwarded to the media of this County to the end that all citizens may be made aware of the goal of *myFutureNC* and of Rockingham Community College’s commitment to do its part to contribute to the 2030 goal of 2 million North Carolinians with a high quality credential or postsecondary degree.

**ADOPTED** at their regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Rockingham Community College, this 17th day of March 2020.

ROCKINGHAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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