

**RESOLUTION TO APPOINT Zachary Matthews  
AS AN ASSISTANT FIRE MARSHAL WITH POLICE POWERS**

**WHEREAS**, Virginia Code § 27-30 provides that the governing body of a county may appoint a fire marshal and Albemarle County Code § 6-111 establishes the Office of the Fire Marshal; and

**WHEREAS**, Albemarle County Codes §§ 6-111, 6-200 and 6-201 recognize the Fire Marshal as Albemarle County’s Fire Official for the duties and responsibilities as established by Title 27 of the Virginia Code, the Virginia Statewide Fire Code, and the Albemarle County Code; and

**WHEREAS**, Virginia Code § 27-34.2:1 provides that the governing body of a county may authorize the fire marshal to have the same police powers as a sheriff, police officer or law-enforcement officers upon completion of the training discussed in such section; and

**WHEREAS**, Virginia Code § 27-36 provides that the governing body of a county may appoint one or more assistants, who, in the absence of the fire marshal, shall have the powers and perform the duties of the fire marshal; and

**WHEREAS**, the appointment of Zachary Matthews as an Assistant Fire Marshal with police powers will promote the efficient and effective operation of the Albemarle County Department of Fire and Rescue.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors hereby appoints Zachary Matthews as an Assistant Fire Marshal with full police powers of the Fire Marshal as authorized in Virginia Code §§ 27-34:2:1 and 27-36 and Albemarle County Code § 6-111.

I, Claudette K. Borgersen, do hereby certify that the foregoing writing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Albemarle County by a vote of \_\_\_ to \_\_\_, as recorded below, at a meeting held on November 16, 2017.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk, Board of County Supervisors

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>Nay</u>
Mr. Dill	___	___
Ms. Mallek	___	___
Ms. McKeel	___	___
Ms. Palmer	___	___
Mr. Randolph	___	___
Mr. Sheffield	___	___