

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CHIEF LOCAL ELECTED
OFFICIAL AGREEMENT TO IMPLEMENT THE
WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT**

WHEREAS, the Workforce Investment Act was established in 1998 to create opportunities for job seekers to gain self-sufficiency skills and employment and to assist employers in gaining a qualified workforce that meets their current and future job demand; and

WHEREAS, The U.S. Department of Labor provides funding through the Workforce Investment Act to states to provide these services to job seekers and employers; and

WHEREAS, Workforce Investment Boards were established to, among other things, oversee the funding of these programs; and

WHEREAS, the County is one of 11 jurisdictional members of Local Workforce Investment Area 6 that is served by the Piedmont Workforce Network; and

WHEREAS, the 11 jurisdictions entered into an Interlocal Agreement to establish the Local Workforce Investment Area and to outline the responsibilities of each locality, including the requirement that the Chief Local Elected Officials (the Board Chair or Mayor) of the 11 jurisdictions, or their designees, serve on the Piedmont Workforce Network Council; and

WHEREAS, the Workforce Investment Act was replaced with the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act in 2014, requiring a new Interlocal Agreement to reflect the new legislation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the Chief Local Elected Officials Agreement and authorizes the Chair of the County's Board of Supervisors to sign the Agreement.

I, Ella W. Jordan, 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 _____.

Clerk, Board of County Supervisors

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>Nay</u>
Mr. Boyd	_____	_____
Ms. Dittmar	_____	_____
Ms. Mallek	_____	_____
Ms. McKeel	_____	_____
Ms. Palmer	_____	_____
Mr. Sheffield	_____	_____