I, Amy T. Harvey, Deputy Town Clerk of the Town of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of (2021-11-17/R-5) adopted by the Chapel Hill Town Council on November 17, 2021.

This the 18th day of November, 2021.

Amy T. Harvey Deputy Town Clerk



## A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE REQUEST THAT NCDOT PLACE THE HONORARY HIGHWAY NAME FOR THE SECTION OF U.S. HIGHWAY 40 FROM EXIT 266 TO EXIT 270 AS THE ROY WILLIAMS HIGHWAY. (2021-11-17/R-5)

WHEREAS Roy Williams grew up in Asheville, N.C., was graduated from T.C. Roberson High School in 1968, earned a bachelor's degree in education in 1972 and master's in teaching in 1973 from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams was head coach at Owen High School in Swannanoa, N.C., from 1973-78, assistant men's basketball coach at UNC from 1978-88, head coach at the University of Kansas from 1988-2003 and head coach at UNC from 2003-21; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams is the second-winningest men's basketball coach at UNC, retiring after 18 seasons with 485 victories; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams is the only men's basketball coach in NCAA history with 400 wins at two schools; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams was inducted in the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame in 2007 and is an inductee in the North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame and the College Basketball Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams led UNC to NCAA championships in 2005, 2009 and 2017 and is the only men's basketball coach in NCAA history to win three national championships at his alma mater; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams retired from coaching in 2021 No. 1 all-time in NCAA history in wins over No. 1 ranked teams in the Associated Press poll; No. 2 in NCAA Tournament wins, games and No. 1 seeds; No. 2 in 30-win seasons; No. 3 in wins by a Division I coach; No. 4 in NCAA championships; No. 4 in Final Four appearances; No. 5 in regular-season conference championships; and No. 6 in winning percentage; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams won his 900th career game in fewer games and fewer seasons than any coach in NCAA men's basketball history; and

WHEREAS, in 2018, the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill officially named the playing court at the Dean E. Smith Center as the Roy Williams Court; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams received a Distinguished Service Medal from UNC's General Alumni Association; and

WHEREAS Roy Williams has been married to Wanda Williams (UNC '72) for 48 years, is father of Scott and Kimberly, and grandfather of Aiden, Court, Kayson and Kenzie; and

WHEREAS Roy and Wanda Williams donated nearly \$6 million to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill while head coach, contributing to such programs as the Carolina Covenant, the Chancellor's Science Scholars, cancer research and athletic scholarships.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill that the Council wishes to express its appreciation for the public services given and contributions made by Roy Williams by supporting the request that NCDOT place the honorary highway name for the section of U.S. Highway 40 from exit 266 to exit 270 as the Roy Williams Highway.

This the 17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.