## RESOLUTION NO 2018-07

## AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACTUAL ARRANGEMENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO TROLLEYS FOR TOURISM RELATED ACTIVITIES

WHEREAS, the City endeavors to promote downtown North Augusta as a destination in addition to Riverside Village; and

WHEREAS, thousands of people who will be attending events at the new stadium will be parking in areas of downtown North Augusta and providing convenient transportation via trolleys will make downtown an area to frequent; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the City that such vehicles be purchased, and that no more than \$100,000.00 of hospitality taxes, which are required to be spent for the promotion of tourism, will be expended; and

WHEREAS, these vehicles could be used for other downtown activities such as the Jack-O-Lantern Jubilee and Peach Jam.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Augusta, South Carolina, in meeting duly assembled and by the authority thereof, that the City Administrator is hereby authorized to take such steps as necessary to complete this purchase to include the execution of the Purchase Agreement and any other documents necessary to complete the transaction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the funds for such purchase will come from the Riverfront Central Core Redevelopment Fund.

DONE, RATIFIED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH AUGUSTA, SOUTH CAROLINA, ON THIS DAY OF MARCH, 2018.

Robert A. Pettit, Mayor

ATTEST:

Donna B. Young, City Clerk