## RESOLUTION NO. 2021-33

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A SUPPLEMENTAL INSPECTION SERVICES CONTRACT FOR THE BUILDING STANDARDS DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, on November 2, 2020, City Council adopted a balanced budget for the fiscal year beginning on January 1, 2021, and ending on December 31, 2021 which included three Inspectors in the Building Standards Department effective January 1, 2021; and

WHEREAS, City staff has identified an upcoming delay in inspection services due to a medical leave of absence; and

WHEREAS, City staff has identified budgeted personal services expenses and operating expenses savings in the General Government function as well as surplus revenue from construction related permits sufficient to enter into a supplemental inspection services contract for an amount not to exceed \$15,000; and

WHEREAS, there are various firms with South Carolina State On-Call Contracts offering the type of services that are applicable to the City; and

WHEREAS, Administration supports the supplemental inspection services contract to meet the Building Standards Department's staffing needs; and

WHEREAS, City Council believes it to be in the best interest of the City to contract for supplemental inspection services to support staffing needs of the Building Standards Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Augusta, in meeting duly assembled and by the authority thereof, that a contract be entered into for supplemental inspection services with charges not to exceed \$15,000 to be charged to professional services in the Building Standards Department of the General Fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Administrator and/or Director of Public Works shall be authorized to sign all documents relating to the identified contractual services.

Done, ratified and adopted by the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Augusta, South Carolina, on this the 4th day of August, 2021.

iton S. Williams, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST

Sharon Lamar, City Clerk