## **RESOLUTION 09-17-01**

## APPROVAL OF CITY OF HARTSVILLE CERTIFICATE OF SUPPORT FOR COKER COLLEGE PROJECTS.

WHEREAS, Coker College, has entered into a new comprehensive and ambitious strategic plan; and,

WHEREAS, Coker College, is continuing to grow, invest in the downtown and expand the job base; and,

**WHEREAS**, Coker College is in discussions with the United States Department of Agriculture to provide direct loans and/or grants; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hartsville desires to express support in the form of a certification letter to the United States Department of Agriculture certifying that the facility projects will provide needed services to the community, will have no adverse impact on other community facilities providing similar services and is in the best interests of the community.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hartsville that they certify support for the building and infrastructure improvements within the City by Coker College in the form of:

- 1. Purchase and improvement of the Medical Arts Office Complex located on Second Street in Hartsville, South Carolina, near the corner of Railroad Avenue and Second Street.
- 2. Installation of a synthetic turf field and soccer stadium upgrades on the existing soccer field at Coker College located on Second Street in Hartsville, South Carolina.
- 3. Infrastructure improvements, upgrades of internet lines and fiber optics lines at the college.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hartsville that the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute all required documents.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, in meeting duly advertised and assembled on the 7th day of September, 2017.

	Carl M. (Mel) Pennington IV, Mayor	
ATTEST: Sherron L. Skipper, CMC, City Clerk		