

NORTH CAROLINA

RANDOLPH COUNTY

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, pursuant to NCGS § 160A-175(a) a City shall have the power to impose fines and penalties for violation of ordinances, and may secure injunctions and abatement orders to further insure compliance with its ordinances as provided by this section; and

WHEREAS, under the N.C. Constitution, Act. IX Section 7 states that "the clear proceeds of all penalties and forfeitures and all fines collected in the several counties for breach of the penal laws of the State, shall belong to and remain in the several counties, and shall be faithfully appropriated and used exclusively for maintaining free public schools."; and

WHEREAS, NCGS § 160A-175(b) states that "unless the council shall otherwise provide, violation of a city ordinance is a misdemeanor or infraction as provided by NCGS §14-4; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Staley wishes to decriminalize all its municipal ordinances as authorized by NCGS § 160A-175(b); and further the Town desires to remove all penal criminal punishments in said ordinances.

NOW THEREFORE, the Town of Staley hereby resolves that all of its municipal ordinances shall be decriminalized and amended where applicable. And that except for removal of the criminal offenses and penalties authorized by NCGS § 14-4 in the Town ordinances, all Town of Staley ordinances "as amended" herein shall remain in full force and effect.

This the 13th day of November, 2018.

TOWN OF STALEY:

By: Karen R. Scotton
Karen Scotton, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lonna Hart
Lonna Hart, Town of Staley Clerk

