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Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government North Carolina General Assembly Legislative Building 16 West Jones Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27601 Attention: Committee Chairs and Committee Assistant

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> Financing of Meter Reading Equipment by the City of Goldsboro, North Carolina Re:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with Section 120-157.2(a) of the General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, the City of Goldsboro, North Carolina (the "City") hereby notifies you of its intent to enter into an installment financing agreement with a financial institution pursuant to Section 160A-20 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000,000, to finance the replacement of meter reading equipment for the City's water and sewer system. The City's obligations with respect to this financing will be payable from payments made by the City, subject to appropriations made by the City Council of the City, for such purpose. The City expects that the North Carolina Local Government Commission (the "Commission") will consider the City's proposal to enter into the installment financing agreement at the Commission's meeting scheduled for March 7, 2017, or such later meeting as the City and the Commission may determine.

CITY OF GOLDSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

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