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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

Fiscal Research Division North Carolina General Assembly Legislative Office Building Suite 619 300 North Salisbury Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27603-5925

Re: Bond Financing of Governmental Facilities by City of High Point, North Carolina

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with Section 120-157.2(a) of the General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, the City of High Point, North Carolina (the "City") hereby notifies you of its intent to issue general obligation bonds (the "Bonds") pursuant to The Local Government Bond Act, Article 4 of Chapter 159 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$6,600,000 for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, renovating, equipping and furnishing buildings and facilities to be used by the City for various governmental purposes, including, without limitation, a police and public safety facility.

The issuance of the Bonds such bonds would be subject to the authorization set forth in Article V, Section 4(2) of the North Carolina Constitution and Section 159-49 of the General Statutes of North Carolina which permits the issuance of general obligation bonds without a vote of the people to the extent of two-thirds of the amount by which the City's outstanding indebtedness was reduced during the last preceding fiscal year. The Bonds would be secured by the full faith and credit and taxing power of the City, without limitation as to rate or amount, and the City would expect to pay the debt service on the Bonds from general fund revenues of the City.

It is expected that the proposed bonds will have a term of approximately 20 years. Such bonds are expected to be sold by the Local Government Commission by competitive sale pursuant to a public offering on or about October 23, 2018, and the interest rate on such bonds will be the lowest interest rate bid for the bonds at the time such bonds are sold.

Accounting 336.883.3240

Internal Audit 336.883.3122

Purchasing 336.883.3219

Treasury Services 336,883,3230

The Local Government Commission is expected to approve the issuance of the Bonds at its October 2, 2018 meeting. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any additional information relating to the Bonds or the proposed projects to be financed.

Sincerely

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cc: Local Government Commission