COUNTY OF JACKSON STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

<u>R23-01</u>



RESOLUTION REQUESTING CREATING OUTDOOR RECREATION ECONOMIES (CORE) SERVICES FROM THE NC MAIN STREET & RURAL PLANNING CENTER, RURAL PLANNING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the County of Jackson ("County") Board of Commissioners believes the County would benefit from assistance with outdoor recreation economy strategic planning and asset development; and

WHEREAS, the NC Main Street & Rural Planning Center's Rural Planning Program ("Program") has developed the Creating Outdoor Recreation Economies ("CORE") initiative to provide outdoor recreation economy strategic planning and asset development services to rural communities in North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the program will provide its CORE Project services and final project work products at no cost to the County; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Commissioners would like the Program to provide CORE services to the County; and

WHEREAS, the County and Program have reached agreement on the scope of work for the County's CORE project, as outlined in the attached Memorandum of Understanding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Jackson County Board of Commissioners hereby requests that the Program assist the County with its CORE project and expresses its commitment to the CORE planning process and plan implementation.

ADOPTED by the Jackson County Board of Commissioners on the 17th day of January, 2023.

Attest:

Approved:

Angela M. Winchester, Clerk to Board

Mark Letson, Chairman