A Resolution of the Mayor and Council of the Town of Kensington Authorizing the Town Manager to contract for the installation of a speed hump along the 10600 block of St. Paul Street.

WHEREAS, Article VI, "Powers of the Council", Section 602, "Specific Powers", Subsection (40), "Streets", of the Town Charter states that the Council shall have the power to construct, maintain and improve the streets and to control the public ways of the Town; and

WHEREAS, Chapter IV, "Traffic and Vehicles", Article 3, "Traffic Control", Section 4-304, "Speed Bumps", of the Town Code states that the Town is empowered to install speed bumps at various locations throughout the Town; and

WHEREAS, The Council Adopted Guidelines and Procedures for installing speed humps December 10, 2018, to require a petition from affected residents of a certain block(s) unless deemed otherwise by the Council; and

WHEREAS, The Town requested that a Traffic Analysis be performed by the Traffic Engineer to determine vehicle speeds and volume along the 10600 block of St. Paul Street; and

WHEREAS, The Traffic Analysis data confirmed that the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speed along this block was 24.6 MPH, which has a current posted speed limit of 20 MPH; prompting the Town's Traffic Engineer, along with the Mobility and Traffic Committee, to recommend the installation of a speed hump.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Town Manager is hereby authorized to contract for the installation of a speed hump along the 10600 block of St. Paul Street.

**ADOPTED** by the Town Council of Kensington, Maryland at the regular public meeting assembled on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024.

**EFFECTIVE** the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024.

ATTEST:

TOWN OF KENSINGTON, MARYLAND

Susan C. Engels, Clerk – Treasurer

Trace C. Furman, Mayor