Resolution Urging North Carolina to Expand Medicaid

WHEREAS, healthy citizens and access to affordable health care are key to the Pitt County Economy, and;

WHEREAS, expanding Medicaid would extend insurance to approximately 6,600 individuals in Pitt County and 500,000 across the entire state, and;

WHEREAS, expanding Medicaid would increase business activity in Pitt County and create additional new jobs, and;

WHEREAS, federal funding will cover ninety percent of costs for states to expand Medicaid to citizens who need access to affordable health insurance.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

Pitt County urges the North Carolina General Assembly to expand Medicaid in North Carolina.

This resolution shall be effective on and after its passage and shall be shared with the members of Pitt County's Legislative Delegation.

ADOPTED this 6th day of May, 2019.

Beth B. Ward, Chairman

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Kimberly W. Hines, Clerk to the Board