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### **Salisbury City Council to consider Connect NC Bond resolution**

Salisbury, N.C. (Friday, March 11, 2016) – Salisbury Mayor Karen K. Alexander and the Salisbury City Council will consider adopting a resolution in support of the Connect NC Bond referendum at the next City Council meeting on Tuesday, March 15. Mayor and Council will take formal action on the resolution at that time.

If passed, the Connect NC Bond Act of 2016 referendum would invest \$2 billion in long-term projects in counties across the state, including \$7 million for the Rowan-Cabarrus Community College Campus. North Carolina voters will decide upon the bond referendum during the Tuesday, March 15 primary.

“While we have not yet formally voted as a Council on this resolution, our Councilmembers fully support the bond referendum,” said Mayor Alexander. “We anticipate that a successful vote on this funding package will lead to an increase in workforce development programs at our local community college following recent employee layoffs at area businesses.”

*The City of Salisbury, America's first 10-gigabit city, is located in the heart of the Piedmont region of North Carolina, midway between Charlotte and Greensboro. Salisbury is the county seat of Rowan County, and provides a full range of municipal services, including law enforcement, fire protection, zoning and code enforcement and water and sewer systems. For more information regarding the City of Salisbury and its services and departments, please visit us on the web at [www.salisburync.gov](http://www.salisburync.gov). To receive updates regarding local initiatives, meetings, programs and events, please follow us on Twitter at @CitySalisburyNC and Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/CitySalisburyNC>.*