RESOLUTION

WICHITA-SEDGWICK COUNTY METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING COMMISSION

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority granted by the statutes of the State of Kansas, in K.S.A. 12-747 et seq., the Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area Planning Commission developed a Comprehensive Plan, adopted by the City of Wichita and Sedgwick County in 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Comprehensive Plan may be amended as needed to ensure it reflects timely and relevant information and the needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, before the adoption of any Comprehensive Plan or amendment thereto, the Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area Planning Commission is required by K.S.A. 12-747 et seq. to hold a public hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area Planning Commission did give due and proper notice by publication in the official City and County newspapers on May 17, 2017, of a public hearing to be held on the adoption of certain amendments to the Comprehensive Plan (hereafter referred to as the "Amendments"); and

WHEREAS, the Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area Planning Commission, on June 8, 2017, did hold a public hearing at which a quorum was present, continued said hearing to June 22, 2017, and did hear all comments and testimony relating to said Amendments;

NOW, BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, the Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area Planning Commission duly assembled, hereby adopts the proposed Amendments dated June 2017, attached herein as Attachment "A", as an official amendment to the Wichita-Sedgwick County Comprehensive Plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that notice of this action be transmitted to the City Council of the City of Wichita and to the Sedgwick County Board of County Commissioners for their consideration and adoption.

ADOPTED at Wichita, Kansas, this 22nd day of June 2017.

David W. Foster, Chairman

Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area

Planning Commission

Dale Miller, Secretary

Wichita-Sedgwick County Metropolitan Area

Planning Commission

Approved as to Form:

Justin M. Waggoner, Assistant County Counselor

2035 Urban Growth Areas Map

(This map is not reflective of the Zoning Areas of Influence in Sedgwick County)

The 2035 Urban Growth Areas Map visually portrays the anticipated growth patterns for the cities of Sedgwick County. Municipal growth patterns that do not exactly match this guide but reflect marketplace demands should be given reasonable consideration, if they do not present extraordinary new public service burdens on the community. It is also important to note that the 2035 urban growth areas depicted are not prescriptive or binding in nature. They serve only as a reasonable indication as to where the future efficient extension of public municipal services and corporate limits could occur by the year 2035.

Small City Urban Growth Areas: Generally located adjacent to existing municipal boundaries, these areas indicate the likely direction and magnitude of growth these communities can expect to experience out to the year 2035. Determination of growth direction and amount is based upon municipal political considerations, anticipated municipal population growth, efficient patterns of municipal growth, current infrastructure limitations, cost effective delivery of future municipal services and environmental factors.

Wichita Urban Growth Area: Wichita's urban fringe areas that are primarily undeveloped but have the potential to be developed by the year 2035, based upon Wichita population growth projections and current market trends. This is the area in which city limits expansion and extension of municipal services and infrastructure should be focused. Determination of growth direction and amount is based upon municipal political considerations, anticipated municipal population growth, efficient patterns of municipal growth, current infrastructure limitations, cost effective delivery of future municipal services and environmental factors.

Established Central Area: Comprised of the downtown core and the mature neighborhoods surrounding it in a roughly three mile radius, the Established Central Area is the focus area for the Wichita Urban Infill Strategy.

K-96 Special Uses Corridor: Encompasses areas identified in the *K-96 Corridor Economic Development Plan* that require special land use controls in order to ensure appropriate patterns of commercial redevelopment within the K-96 corridor. *The K-96 Corridor Economic Development Plan* should be consulted for more specific future land use direction.

Industrial and Improvement Districts and Sedgwick County Park: Encompasses areas within the Wichita Urban Growth Area where various legal agreements have been established to restrict Wichita city limits expansion and provide for shared delivery of municipal services by the City of Wichita, Sedgwick County, and townships.

Rural: This category encompasses land outside the 2035 urban growth areas for Wichita and the small cities. Agricultural uses, rural-based businesses, and larger lot residential exurban subdivisions likely will be developed in this area. Such development should occur in accordance with the *Urban Fringe Development Policy*.

Attachment "A"

