

**RESOLUTION FOR CONSIDERATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE VIRGINIA
BUSINESS READY EXPEDITED PERMITTING PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, *Virginia Code* § 2.2-2240.2:2 created the Virginia Business Ready Expedited Permitting Program (the “Program”) to (i) reduce permitting conflicts by providing guidance regarding the permits needed from each agency or governmental entity and steps the applicant can take to expedite permit application review and (ii) provide guidance regarding site planning and development, site suitability and limitations, and facility design; and

WHEREAS, the Albemarle County application submitted for the AstraZeneca project site (the “Project”) meets the Virginia Business Ready Sites Program eligibility criteria, as set forth in *Virginia Code* § 2.2-2240.2:1 and § 2.2-2240.2:2, and the Expedited Permitting Program Guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the Project is anticipated to bring over six hundred jobs to Albemarle County, with average starting salaries of more than \$160,000, and will invest \$4.5 billion in the site to build a pharmaceutical manufacturing facility; and

WHEREAS, if accepted into the Program, the County will commit to working with agencies of the Commonwealth to expeditiously approve all necessary permits for the parcels in the Rivanna Futures site for the AstraZeneca pharmaceutical facility.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors hereby requests that AstraZeneca project site be considered for the Virginia Business Ready Expedited Permitting Program, pursuant to *Virginia Code* § 2.2-2240.2:2 and the terms and conditions of the Virginia Business Ready Sites Program.

I, Claudette K. Borgersen, do hereby certify that the foregoing writing is a true, correct copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Albemarle County, Virginia, by a vote of _____ to _____, as recorded below, at a regular meeting held on December 3, 2025.

Clerk, Board of County Supervisors

	Aye	Nay
Mr. Andrews	_____	_____
Mr. Gallaway	_____	_____
Ms. LaPisto-Kirtley	_____	_____
Ms. Mallek	_____	_____
Ms. McKeel	_____	_____
Mr. Pruitt	_____	_____