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**TOWN OF WHITESTOWN, INDIANA
RESOLUTION NO. 2016-17**

**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING REPRESENTATIVE JEFFREY THOMPSON FOR
SUPPORTING THE POSITIVE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF WHITESTOWN
THROUGH THE CREATION OF CONTROLLED ALCOHOL BEVERAGE PERMITS**

WHEREAS, the Town of Whitestown is the fastest growing community in the State of Indiana; and

WHEREAS, although the U.S. Census Bureau has estimated that Whitestown's population has more than doubled since the 2010 Census alone, restrictions on alcohol beverage permits can impede Whitestown's ability to attract desired economic development investments and amenities consistent with Whitestown's growth; and

WHEREAS, opportunities for quality economic development are available through the controlled distribution of alcohol beverage permits for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, the 119th Indiana General Assembly (2016) has now adopted legislation, designated as House Enrolled Act 1386, that authorizes the issuance of limited special alcoholic beverage permits in certain economic development areas within Whitestown; and

WHEREAS, House Enrolled Act 1386 will allow Whitestown to attract and also control retail investments and restaurants that are desired by Whitestown and the surrounding community, and will further the goals of quality economic development.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Whitestown, Indiana, that the Town Council, on the behalf of Whitestown property owners, residents, and businesses, hereby commends State Representative Jeffrey Thompson for his actions in furthering Whitestown's efforts to provide for quality economic development investment and amenities through his support of House Enrolled Act 1386.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE WHITESTOWN, INDIANA TOWN COUNCIL THIS 9th DAY OF MARCH, 2016.

THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF WHITESTOWN, INDIANA

YAY/NAY



Yes

Eric Miller, President



Yes

Susan Austin, Vice-President



YAY

Kevin Russell



YAY

Clinton Bohm



yes

Jeffrey Wishek

ATTEST:

Matt Sumner, Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Whitestown, Indiana
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