

1 **RESOLUTION 2018-01**

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3 **A Resolution of the City of Hyattsville, Maryland regarding the alleged**
4 **statements by the Forty-Fifth President of the United States of America on**
5 **January 11, 2018.**
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7 **WHEREAS**, multiple reports allege that the forty-fifth President of the United States of
8 America made hateful, discriminatory, and racist comments in a meeting with members of the United
9 States Congress at the White House on January 11, 2018; and
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11 **WHEREAS**, the City of Hyattsville is unequivocally committed to diversity and equality
12 for all; and
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14 **WHEREAS**, the City of Hyattsville is committed to and maintains a long history of
15 supporting, celebrating, and empowering immigrants and refugees, many of whom are escaping war
16 and natural disasters.
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18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that if the alleged statements were actually
19 made, the City of Hyattsville, Maryland hereby (1) declares its support and respect for every
20 individual and nation disparaged by the forty-fifth President's alleged remarks, (2) condemns the
21 forty-fifth President for his alleged statements at the January 11, 2018, White House meeting,
22 which, are hateful, discriminatory, and racist, and cannot and should not be the basis for any
23 American policy, and (3) calls on him to retract the alleged statements and issue an unqualified
24 apology for them, and
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26 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that if the statements were not made by the forty-fifth
27 President, calls on him to issue a statement denying that he made them and denounce the hateful,
28 discriminatory, and racist nature of the allegations.
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30 READ AND PASSED THIS 5th day of February, 2018.
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33 ATTEST/WITNESS:

34 3/8/18
35 Date


City of Hyattsville, Maryland

By: 
Laura Reams
Clerk, City of Hyattsville

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42 03/08/18
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City of Hyattsville, Maryland

By: 
Candace B. Hollingsworth
Mayor, City of Hyattsville
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