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RESOLUTION OF THE NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ALDERS APPROVING THE VISION 2034 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, THE CITY PLAN COMMISSION'S PLAN OF CONSERVATION & DEVELOPMENT.

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WHEREAS, in accordance with the Special Act of 1913 creating a City Plan Commission in New Haven and in accordance with the Charter of the City of New Haven, Article VII, Section 3 E (3) (a), it is the duty of the City Plan Commission to prepare a comprehensive plan and recommend development plans for the improvement of the entire city; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission has prepared an update of the city's Plan of Conservation and Development and submitted it for aldermanic review and approval, attached in Schedule A; and,

WHEREAS, the plan is prepared in a manner consistent with both local and state law, providing for the systematic and harmonious development of the city; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission has held seven public workshops, engaged in eighteen community events, maintained a public website with up-to-date information, employed a Community Navigator Program, and a Youth Leadership Team, held topical "Co-Creation Team" meetings, conducted a citywide survey that garnered over 1,600 responses, and analyzed various data sources to prepare the plan; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission will hold multiple public hearings on the Vision 2034 plan this year; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission has developed directives intended to improve the quality of neighborhoods, to maintain a regional standing, and to maintain a sense of place in New Haven; and,

WHEREAS, the Vision 2034 Comprehensive Plan, the Plan of Conservation and Development, is guided by the themes of equity and resilience across issues, and encourages an economy, built environment, and community support system that are resilient and inclusive.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the New Haven Board of Alders that Vision 2034, the new Plan of Conservation and Development, as prepared by the City Plan Commission, is hereby approved.