# VinFast Economic Development Agreement



## Project:

- The Company expects that the Project will include real property, buildings, fixtures, machinery, and equipment having a cost of approximately \$4 billion by December 31, 2027.
- Expects to create approximately 7,500 full time equivalent jobs at an average wage exceeding or equal to that of the median average wage for Chatham County by December 31, 2027.

## Advantages to Chatham:

- Project will bring direct and indirect benefits to the County, including job creation, increase in the ad valorem tax base, and economic diversification and stimulus.
- Company fully intends to establish, through the Project, an important presence in the County by employing a large number of local employees and making substantial investments in the Project and in the training and development of such employees.

# Why Incentives?

- County is authorized pursuant to N.C.G.S. §158-7.1 to provide financial and other incentives after a public hearing.
- Competitive process for this project with other states.
- County offered economic development incentives in accordance with already existing policy to induce the Company to locate the Project in Chatham County.

#### **Business Incentive Grant:**

County would make annual performance-based cash incentive grants to the Company for 20 years equal to a declining percentage of <u>actual</u> <u>increased property taxes paid</u>. Performance would be measured by the creation of eligible jobs:

- 90% years 1-4
- 80% in years 5-8
- 75% in years 9-11
- 60% in years 12-15
- 50% in years 16-20

## Land Acquisition Grant:

In lieu of providing land to the Company, the County would make cash, performance-based, payments over a period of years using increased property taxes to reimburse the Company for its costs in acquiring land for the Project.

- Payments shall coincide with the initiation of the Business Incentive Grant.
- Once land acquisition payments total the cost, the County's obligation to make the payments shall end.

#### Additional Incentives:

- To the extent permitted by law, the County agrees to waive all permit fees applicable to the construction of the Facility.
- Provide a full-time building inspector ("Resident Code Inspector") holding the appropriate licenses required for the construction of the Facility on site during normal business hours.

# Recognition:

- VinFast team
- Governor Cooper
- General Assembly
- EDPNC
- EDC
- NC Commerce
- City of Sanford

- Duke Energy
- Dominion Energy
- NCDOT
- NCRR
- Chatham BOC
- County Attorney