

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-332

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY TO ENTER INTO A HOST AGENCY AGREEMENT WITH EXPERIENCE WORKS INC., PROVIDING FOR THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICE EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM WILL BE ADMINISTERED THROUGH THE CLAYTON COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES DEPARTMENT; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE SENIOR SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Director of the Clayton County Senior Services Department (the "Department") desires for the County to act as a host agency by entering into a Host Agency Agreement with Employment Works, Inc., to give senior citizens in the County the opportunity to participate in the Senior Community Service Employment Program (the "Program" or "SCSEP"); and

WHEREAS, SCSEP is administered by Employment Works, Inc., a national nonprofit organization providing training, community service, and employment opportunities for older workers in 30 states and Puerto Rico; and

WHEREAS, seniors in the Program will be employed at the various centers within the Department to provide clerical assistance such as checking seniors into facilities, greeting visitors and customers, providing general information and referring callers to appropriate staff; and

WHEREAS, SCSEP is funded under Title V of the Older Americans Act and is the only federal program designed specifically for low-income adults aged 55 and older, providing the opportunity to receive the minimum wage while improving their job skills at local community agencies; and

WHEREAS, there is no budgetary impact on the County, and the Program will operate once the County fully enrolls and will run until it is no longer funded by the federal government or the County terminates its agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of the County and the County will best be served by entering into a Host Agency Agreement with Employment Works Inc. for the stated purpose.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County to enter into a Host Agency Agreement with Employment Works Inc., providing for the terms and conditions under which the Senior Services Department (the “Department”) will participate in the Senior Community Service Employment Program and allow senior citizens to be employed at the various centers within the Department, with no budgetary impact on the County.

Section 2. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chairman to execute the Agreement and the Director of the Senior Services Department to otherwise perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. The Agreement shall be in the form attached hereto, subject to such minor changes, insertions or deletions as the Board of Commissioners may approve.


Section 3. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

{SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS}

SO RESOLVED, this the 10th day of December, 2014.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


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