STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2020 - 75

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY TO ACCEPT FUNDS FROM THE CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF, AND ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT TO AID IN EXPENDITURES ARISING FROM THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY KNOWN AS CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE ANY DOCUMENTS AND TO OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE RELATING THERETO; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, in March 2020, Congress approved bipartisan legislation known as the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act") that provides $100 billion in relief funds to hospitals and other healthcare providers on the front lines of the coronavirus response; and

WHEREAS, a portion of the initial $30 billion dollars in relief is available to all facilities and providers that received Medicare fee-for-service (FFS) reimbursements in 2019; and

WHEREAS, the funds provided under the CARES Act are payments to healthcare providers, not loans, and will not need to be repaid; and

WHEREAS, within thirty (30) days of receiving the funds, providers must sign an attestation confirming receipt of the funds and agreeing to the terms and conditions of payment; and
WHEREAS, Clayton County ("the County") has been identified as an eligible provider for relief funds under the CARES Act; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to accept funds from the CARES Act for relief for expenditures relating to Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and finds that it is in the best interests and welfare of the County’s citizens to do so.

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 accept funds from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act") to provide relief to the County for funds expended in the ongoing public health emergency relating to Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). The Board authorizes the Chairman to execute any documents and to otherwise perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. The Board also authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to amend the Budget where necessary to reflect an appropriate revenue source and expense relating thereto.

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Section 2. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this 5th day of May, 2020.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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BRENDA B. JAMES, CLERK