STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2020 - 185

A RESOLUTION OF THE CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AUTHORIZING THE USE OF VARIOUS FACILITIES FOR ADVANCE VOTING FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION, GENERAL RUNOFF FOR STATE AND LOCAL ELECTIONS, AND GENERAL RUNOFF FOR FEDERAL ELECTIONS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO PERFORM ALL OTHER ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Clayton County Board of Elections and Registration has recommended that the County authorize usage of County facilities to conduct advance voting with extended operating days/hours for the November 3, 2020 General Election, General Runoff Elections for State and Local elections to be held December 1, 2020, and General Runoff for Federal elections to be held January 5, 2021, should such runoff be necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Clayton County Board of Elections and Registration has recommended that the Virginia Burton Gray Recreation Center, Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center, South Clayton Recreation Center, Lee Headquarters Library, and Lake Spivey Recreation Center be open to allow electors to participate in advance voting to be held on the following dates: October 12, 2020 through October 31, 2020 for the General Election, a date to be determined by the Georgia Secretary of State and/or Board of Elections after November 3, 2020 and extending through no later than November 27, 2020 for the General Runoff for State and Local Elections, and December 14, 2020 through December 31, 2020 for the January 5, 2021 General Federal Runoff, should such election be necessary ; and

WHEREAS, the Clayton County Board of Commissioners has determined that advance voting at the times, dates and locations as recommended by the Board of Elections and Registration is in the best interest of all parties in Clayton County to provide for the convenience of electors and to facilitate increased participation in the election process.

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 advance voting for the General Election to be held November 3, 2020, General Runoff Elections for State and Local elections to be held December 1, 2020, and General Runoff for Federal elections to be held January 5, 2021, should such election be necessary, to be held at the Virginia Burton Gray Recreation Center, Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center, South Clayton Recreation Center, Lee Headquarters Library, and Lake Spivey Recreation Center on the following dates and times:

Monday – Friday, October 12, 2020 – October 31, 2020, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM for advance voting in the November 3, 2020 General Election;

A date to be determined by the Georgia Secretary of State and/or Board of Election after November 3, 2020 to extend no later than Friday, November 27, 2020, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM for advance voting in the December 1, 2020 General Runoff State and Local Election;

Monday – Friday, December 14, 2020 – December 31, 2020, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM for advance voting in the January 5, 2021 General Runoff Federal Elections, should such election be necessary;

Section 2. The Board authorizes the Chairman to perform all other acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

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

**SIGNATURES LOCATED ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE**

SO RESOLVED, this the 6 day of October , 2020.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

JEFFREY E. TURNER, CHAIRMAN

DEMONT DAVIS, VICE CHAIRMAN

SONNA GREGORY, COMMISSIONER

GAIL HAMBRICK, COMMISSIONER

FELICIA FRANKLIN WARNER, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

BRENDA B. JAMES, CLERK