

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-24

A RESOLUTION BY THE CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS IDENTIFYING CERTAIN STATE LEGISLATIVE MATTERS TO BE ADDRESSED DURING THE 2015 LEGISLATIVE SESSION OF THE GEORGIA GENERAL ASSEMBLY; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO 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 Clayton County Board of Commissioners has identified certain state legislative matters that it wishes to have addressed during the 2015 Legislative Session of the Georgia General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, these matters include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Ways to address increased and/or burdensome maintenance costs borne by homeowners due to partially developed subdivisions;
2. Changes to existing state law to allow dry counties and cities to hold a referendum election to determine whether the manufacture, sale, and distribution of alcohol will be permitted without first receiving a public petition with signatures of at least 35% of the registered voters;
3. Changes to existing state law to allow Clayton County to collect 100% of alcohol tax revenues from businesses operating at Hartsfield Jackson International Airport within unincorporated Clayton County;
4. Changes to the MARTA Act to reflect two additional Clayton County appointees to the MARTA Board of Directors;
5. Increase in compensation for members of the Clayton County Board of Commissioners to reflect salary levels commensurate with other counties with similar populations;
6. Perform governmental relations services related to House Bill 399;
7. Any and all other general matters that may impact Clayton County.

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 identifies the state legislative matters listed herein as matters of particular interest to Clayton County. The Board also authorizes and directs Georgia Public Affairs to prepare and present information to the 2015 Legislative Session of the Georgia General Assembly as will be in the best interests of the County. Further, the Board authorizes the Chairman to perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

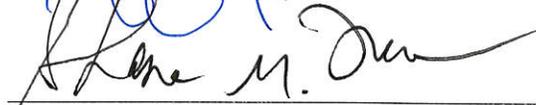
Section 2. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this the 2nd day of January, 2015.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



JEFFREY E. TURNER, CHAIRMAN



SHANA M. ROOKS, COMMISSIONER



MICHAEL EDMONDSON, COMMISSIONER



SONNA GREGORY, COMMISSIONER



GAIL B. HAMBRICK, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:



SANDRA DAVIS, CLERK