

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION 2011 – 58

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY TO ADOPT THE NORTHWEST CLAYTON LIVABLE CENTERS INITIATIVE DATED DECEMBER 2004; TO ADOPT THE NORTHWEST CLAYTON LIVABLE CENTERS INITIATIVE FIVE YEAR UPDATE AND IMPLEMENTATION PLAN DATED MARCH 2011 AS REQUIRED BY THE ATLANTA REGIONAL COMMISSION; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO PERFORM ALL OTHER ACTS TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Northwest Clayton Livable Centers Initiative (“LCI”) is a program administered by the Atlanta Regional Commission (“ARC”) that awards planning grants on a competitive basis to local governments and non-profit organizations to conduct focused area planning; and

WHEREAS, the LCI program encourages plans that link transportation improvements with land use development strategies and the creation of mixed use communities; and

WHEREAS, once in place, these plans help communities qualify for transportation funds and planning assistance from the ARC; and

WHEREAS, the LCI program requires an Implementation Strategy with a specific action plan which must be updated every five (5) years in order to maintain good standing as an LCI community and to remain eligible for additional LCI transportation funds, supplemental funds and other related LCI activities; and

WHEREAS, in 2004, the Northwest LCI plan was drafted and reviewed for approval, but was never formally adopted; and

WHEREAS, the County and the ARC may now proceed with a new update for 2011 through 2016 to safeguard future opportunities to compete for funding and assistance that might otherwise be forfeited without the plan or its update; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems that it is in the best interest of the County to adopt the Northwest LCI Plan dated December 2004 as well as the Northwest LCI Five Year Update and Implementation Plan.

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 adopt the Northwest LCI Plan dated December 2004 as well as the Northwest LCI Five Year Update and Implementation Plan. Copies of both documents are attached hereto as Exhibits "A" and "B". The Board hereby authorizes the Chairman to perform all other acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

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

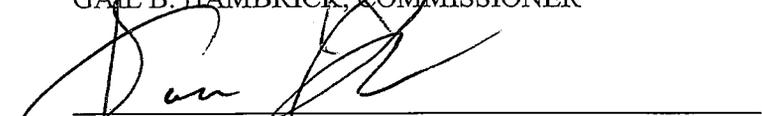
SO RESOLVED this the 3rd day of May, 2011.

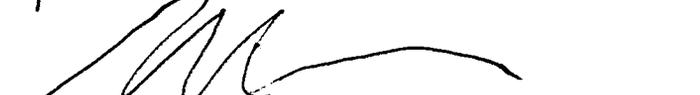
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