

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2009 – 212

A RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE AUTHORITY OF CLAYTON COUNTY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF JONESBORO PROVIDING FOR THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH FIRE SUPPRESSION, PROTECTION, PREVENTION, RESCUE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE WILL BE RENDERED TO THE CITY OF JONESBORO BY CLAYTON COUNTY FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES; TO AFFIRM THE CHAIRMAN'S AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT AND OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THE RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE FINANCE DIRECTOR TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCES AND EXPENSES REALTED THERETO; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the County maintains and staffs a fire department for the purpose of fire suppression, protection, prevention, rescue, emergency medical services, code enforcement, fire investigation, pre-construction plan review, existing fire compliance inspections and new construction inspections (collectively "Emergency Services"); and

WHEREAS, the County and the City have determined that it is to the mutual advantage and benefit of both parties hereto, and their respective citizens that the County render such Emergency Services to the City in the event of fire or other local emergency; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the respective governing authorities represented by the signatories hereto to enter into an agreement as authorized in Article IX, Section IV,

Paragraph II and Article IX, Section III, Paragraph I of the Georgia Constitution, and Section 15-10-150 *et. seq.* of the Official Code of Georgia;

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County, and the County will best be served by affirming the County's authority to enter into an Emergency Services Agreement with the City of Jonesboro for the purposes contemplated therein.

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 affirms the authority of the County to enter into an agreement with the City of Jonesboro providing for the terms and conditions under which fire suppression, protection, prevention, rescue and emergency medical services will be rendered to the City of Jonesboro by Clayton County Fire & Emergency Services. The Board of Commissioners hereby affirms the Chairman's authority to execute the Agreement and perform all other acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. Further, the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Director of Finance to amend the budget where necessary to reflect appropriate revenue sources and expenses relating thereto. The Agreement shall be in substantially the form attached hereto.

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

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SO RESOLVED, this the 15th day of December, 2009.

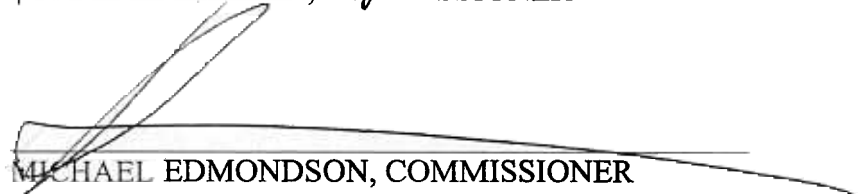
CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


ELDRIN BELL, CHAIRMAN

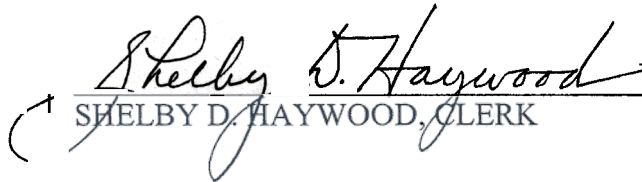

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ATTEST:


SHELBY D. HAYWOOD, CLERK