

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

ORDINANCE NO. 2019- 12

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE *CODE OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA*, AS AMENDED, SPECIFICALLY TO DELETE PART I, CHAPTER 2 “ADMINISTRATION”, ARTICLE IV “PURCHASES AND PROPERTY DISPOSITION”; DIVISION 6 “CONTRACTING REQUIREMENTS; SECTION 2-135 “APPROVAL OF CONTRACTS”; SUBSECTION (B) “CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER AUTHORITY” AND SECTION 2-136 “CHANGE ORDERS AND CONTRACT MODIFICATION” SUBSECTION “B” CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER AUTHORITY AND REPLACE SAID SUBSECTIONS WITH NEW SUBSECTIONS; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING LAWS, ORDINANCES, AND RESOLUTIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLAYTON COUNTY AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED

Section 1. The *CODE OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA*, as amended, is hereby further amended by deleting in its entirety Part I, Chapter 2 “Administration”, Article VI “Purchases and Property Disposition”; Division 6 “Contracting Requirements”; Section 135 “Approval of Contracts” subsection (b) “Chief Operating Officer Authority”; and Section 136 “Change Orders and Contract Modification” Subsection (b) Chief Operating Officer Authority” and replacing it with a new Part I, Chapter 2 “Administration”, Article IV “Purchases and Property Disposition” to read as follows:

“ARTICLE IV – PURCHASES AND PROPERTY DISPOSITION

DIVISION 6.- CONTRACTING REQUIREMENTS

Section 2-135(b)-*Chairman and Chief operating officer authority.* The chairman and the chief operating officer or his/her designee shall have the authority to sign all formal, written contracts up to \$74,999.99. Those contracts in excess of \$74,999.99 shall be signed after adoption and approval of the purchase by official action of the board of commissioners.

Section 2-136(b) *Chairman and Chief operating officer authority.* The chairman or the chief operating officer or his/her designee shall have authority to approve all change orders to purchase orders and contracts up to an absolute value of 20 percent of the original contract, provided the total change order amount is less than \$74,999.99. If the original contract or purchase order price did not exceed \$74,999.99, but the change order will make the total price of the contract exceed \$74,999.99, then the change order requires approval by official action of the board of commissioners. Change orders to contracts that did not require official action of the board of commissioners upon the original execution thereof and which amend the scope of work, term, time and/or total cost not exceeding \$74,999.99 may be approved by the chief operating officer or his/her designee in the same manner as the original contract.

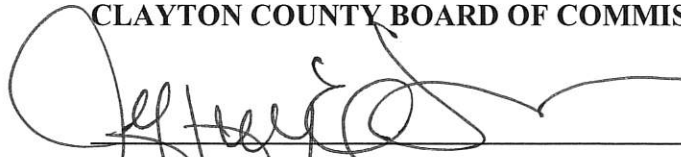
Section 2. All laws, ordinances and resolutions, or parts thereof, which conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. If any part of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect the remainder of this enactment, and such remainder shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective on immediately upon its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO ORDAINED, this the 2nd day of January, 2019.

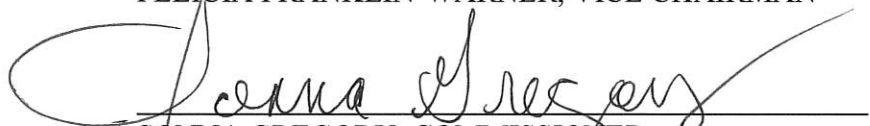
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