

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-218

A RESOLUTION OF THE CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AUTHORIZING THE USE OF J. CHARLEY GRISWELL SENIOR CENTER FOR ADVANCE VOTING WITH EXTENDED OPERATING DAYS AND HOURS FOR THE GENERAL ELECTIONS, GENERAL AND SPECIAL RUNOFF FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 5 AND 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 recommended that the County authorize usage of several County facilities to conduct advance voting with extended operating days and hours for the November 3, 2020 General Elections, the December 2, 2020 General and Special Runoff for Congressional District 5 and State and Local Elections, and the November General Runoff for the Federal Elections which, if applicable, will be held on January 5, 2021 as approved by the Board of Elections and Registration; and

WHEREAS, the Clayton County Board of Elections and Registration recommended that Virginia Burton Gray Recreation Center, Carl Rhodenizer Recreation Center, South Clayton Recreation Center, Lee Headquarters Library, and Lake Spivey Recreation Center (collectively "the County Locations") be open to allow electors to participate in advance voting to be held on several date between October 12, 2020 and October 30, 2020 for the November General Elections, several dates between the earliest possible date determined and November 27, 2020 for the December General and Special Runoff Elections for Congressional District 5 and State and Local Elections, and several dates between December 14, 2020 and December 31, 2020 for the November General Runoff for the Federal Elections; and

WHEREAS, on October 6, 2020, the Clayton County Board of Commissioners ("the Board") passed Resolution 2020-185 approving the County Locations' use for advance voting at the times,

dates and locations as recommended by the Board of Elections and Registration as in the best interest of all parties in Clayton County to reduce long lines on election day and allow Clayton County voters to have an advance voting location closer to their residences; and

WHEREAS, since October 6, 2020, it appears that the Lake Spivey Recreation Center may not be open in time for use by County citizens for advance voting; and

WHEREAS, on October 26, 2020, the Clayton County Board of Elections and Registration recommended that the J. Charley Griswell Senior Center (“Griswell Senior Center”) be added in addition to the Lake Spivey Recreation Center for use for advance voting at the times previously recommended; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that approving advance voting at the Griswell Senior Center 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 reduce long lines on election day and allow Clayton County voters to have an advance voting location closer to their residences

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

Section 1. In addition to the locations approved pursuant to Resolution 2020-185, the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes advance voting for the November 3, 2020 General Elections to be held at the J. Charley Griswell Senior Center on the following dates and times:

Wednesday – Friday, October 28, 2020 – October 30, 2020 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Section 2. In addition to the locations approved pursuant to Resolution 2020-185, the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes advance voting for the December 1, 2020 General and Special Runoff for Congressional District 5, State and Local Elections to be held at the J. Charley Griswell Senior Center on the following dates and times:

Wednesday – Friday, October 28, 2020 – October 30, 2020 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Section 3. In addition to the locations approved pursuant to Resolution 2020-185, the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes advance voting for the November General Runoffs for the Federal Elections to be held at the J. Charley Griswell Senior Center on the following dates and times:

Monday – Friday, December 14, 2020 – December 18, 2020 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Saturday, December 19, 2020 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Sunday, December 20, 2020 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Monday – Friday, December 21, 2020 – December 23, 2020 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

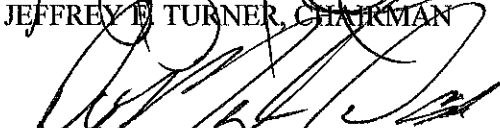
Monday – Friday, December 28, 2020 – December 31, 2020 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Section 4. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this the 3 day of November, 2020.

**CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

  
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ATTEST:

  
BRENDA B. JAMES, CLERK