RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF A SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE 2019 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN AND THE 2015-2019 CONSOLIDATED PLAN AND THEIR SUBMITTAL TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD) FOR THE USE AND DISBURSEMENTS OF CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF AND ECONOMIC SECURITY ACT (CARES ACT) FUNDING TO SUPPORT THE FEDERAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM; ACCEPTING \$1,710,860 IN CDBG-CV-3 FUNDS FROM HUD; AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRMAN TO DISBURSE THE CDBG CARES ACT FUNDS TO THE CITIES OF COLLEGE PARK, EAST POINT, HAPEVILLE, SOUTH FULTON, PALMETTO AND UNION CITY; AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE AND ADMINISTER THE CONTRACTS AND RELATED DOCUMENTS CONSISTENT WITH THESE DISBURSEMENTS AND THE CDBG FEDERAL PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development is authorized to extend financial assistance to communities in the elimination or prevention of slums or urban blight, or activities which will benefit low- and moderate-income persons or other urgent community development needs; and

WHEREAS, the Fulton County Board of Commissioners approved the first Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) for CDBG CV-1 (Agenda Item #20-0577); and

WHEREAS, The Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) of 2020 makes available it's 2<sup>nd</sup> supplemental Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding for grants known as CDBG CV-3 to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19; and WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has notified

Fulton County (County) that it is eligible to receive \$1,710,860 in CDBG-CV-3 funds; and

WHEREAS, the provision of services to address the needs of low- and moderate income residents of Fulton County is a vital activity necessary to the maintenance and continues growth and development to both the County and the region; and

WHEREAS, Fulton County maintains an active partnership with HUD to promote

development and provide services to address the needs of low- and moderate-income citizens
through the CDBG and the ESG Programs and their amendments; and

- WHEREAS, HUD regulations require that substantial changes in funding, goals or activities require a substantial amendment to the Consolidated Plan as set forth in 24 CFR Part 91, which includes: a significant change to an activity, scope of work, location, beneficiaries, or persons served; and funding of a new activity not previously described in the FY 2019 Action Plan; and
- WHEREAS, the Fulton County Board of Commissioners adopted the 2015 through the 2019 Consolidated Plan (Item #15-0503); and
- WHEREAS, the County has prepared a Substantial Amendment to its FY 2019 Annual
  Action Plan to outline the proposed use of the CDBG-CV-3 grant; and
  - WHEREAS, the Fulton County Board of Commissioners supports the submittal of the 2019 Annual Action Plan Amendment to secure federal funds supporting projects and services needed by its low- and moderate-income citizens; and
  - WHEREAS, the Fulton County Board of Commissioners desires to award CDBG-CV-3 funding to the cities of College Park, East Point, Hapeville, Palmetto, South Fulton, and Union City; and
  - NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Fulton County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the adoption of a Substantial Amendment to the 2019 Annual Action Plan and the 2015-2019 Consolidated Plan, along with their submission with a list of proposed activities to HUD and directs the application of all funds secured by this submittal to activities that benefit low- and moderate-income residents of Fulton County as directed by the Board of Commissioners and HUD; and
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Board of Commissioners hereby approves and

accepts \$1,710,860 in CDBG-CV-3 to	funds from HUD.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVE	D, that the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the
Chairman to disburse the CDBG Cares Act funds to the cities of College Park, East Point,	
Hapeville, Palmetto, South Fulton, a	and Union City.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVE	ED, that the Chairman is hereby authorized to execute on
behalf of Fulton County all supplemental intergovernmental agreements, contracts, and related	
documents of papers, as necessary	and consistent with these awards, program amendments
and this Resolution.	
BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED	, that the County Attorney is hereby authorized to approve
as to form all supplemental intergove	ernmental agreements, contracts, and related documents of
papers, and to make modification	ns thereto, regarding these CDBG-CV-3 funds, prior to
execution by the Chairman.	
SO PASSED AND ADOPTE	<b>D</b> , this 19 day of May, 2021.
	FULTON COUNTY BOARD OF
	COMMISSIONERS
	Robert L. Pitts, Chairman
ATTEST:	
Tonya R. Grier	-
Clerk to the Commission	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Kaye W. Burwell	
County Attorney	