

1 A RESOLUTION REQUIRING THAT BEGINNING WITH FISCAL YEAR 2022, THE
2 OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR FULTON
3 COUNTY BE SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PRIOR TO
4 APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE, AND REQUIRING THE
5 PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE BE BASED UPON THE BUDGET REQUESTS OF THE
6 COUNTY DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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8 WHEREAS, Fulton County is required to set the millage rate for ad valorem
9 taxation every year, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32.1; and

10 WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. § 36-81-3 provides that counties have the authority to adopt
11 an ordinance to establish their own fiscal year and budget preparation process; and

12 WHEREAS, pursuant to Fulton County Code Section 2-261, the County Manager
13 submits annually to the Board of Commissioners, a proposed budget governing
14 expenditures of all county funds, including capital outlay and public works projects, for the
15 following year. The County Manager's submission of the proposed budget includes the
16 budget requests of all of the County's departments, agencies, elected officials and
17 authorities who receive funding from the County through the budget process; and

18 WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners also has determined that it is in the best
19 interest of the County for the proposed millage rate to be based upon an operating budget
20 that provides sufficient resources to accommodate the requests and needs of Fulton
21 County and its various departments.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that beginning with fiscal year 2022, the
23 County Manager will submit a proposed budget for any given year to the Board of
24 Commissioners which provides all Fulton County departments with all of their requested
25 budget items.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the millage rate will be based upon an adopted
27 budget, that includes provision of all of the budget requests for all of the County's

28 departments, agencies, elected officials and authorities who receive funding from the
29 County through the budget process.

30 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, that this Resolution shall become effective upon its
31 adoption, and shall continue until further notice, and that all resolutions and parts of
32 resolutions in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

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35 **FULTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

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Marvin Arrington
43 Commissioner, District 5
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Tonya R. Grier, Clerk to the Commission
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Kaye Woodard Burwell, Interim County Attorney
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