



CITY COUNCIL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Dear Steve
Patricia W. Sheppard
John M. Sheppard
Felicia A. Moore
Carla Smith
Clair Muller
C. J. Mark
Clara Trusler
Mary Nonyo
94-1818

A RESOLUTION

Councilmember Felicia A. Moore

A Resolution stating the support of the City of Atlanta of Delta Airlines' application seeking authority to operate daily, nonstop flights connecting Atlanta to Beijing, China in 2006; and for Other purposes

WHEREAS, Delta Airlines is headquartered in the City of Atlanta, and has a rich history as an excellent corporate citizen; and

WHEREAS, Delta's largest hub is located in the City of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, a recent agreement has been reached between the United States and the Chinese governments to allow two new U. S. Carrier services to China – one of which will be chosen to begin service in March 2005 (passenger carrier) and the other will be permitted to begin in March 2006; and

WHEREAS, Delta's main competition in this route case is American Airlines, Continental Airlines, and Hawaiian Airlines

WHEREAS, this will be the first time in twenty (20) years that a new passenger air carrier will be chosen to enter the important U.S./China market; and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Transportation will choose the next two airlines that will be awarded these valuable opportunities; and

WHEREAS, Delta Airlines has made application with the United States government seeking authority to operate daily, non-stop flights connecting Atlanta to Beijing, China in 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Southeast region is one of the fastest growing regions for trade and travel to China, and China represents the fastest growing import market to the United States; and

WHEREAS, the addition of these additional flights will benefit Atlanta and the Southeast.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA as follows:

Section 1: That the City of Atlanta, which operates the busiest airport in the world, hereby supports the application of Delta Airlines to operate daily service connecting Atlanta to Beijing, China and urges the favorable consideration by the United States Department of Transportation.

Section 2: That the Municipal Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation.

A true copy,

Reonda Daughlin Johnson
Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED by the Council
APPROVED by the Mayor

October 4, 2004
October 8, 2004

RCS# 6130
10/04/04
6:17 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

PERSONAL

COA SUPPORT DELTA AIRLINES' APP AUTH
DAILY OPER NOSTOP FLIGHTS ATL TO BEIJING
ADOPT

YEAS: 10
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 4
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 2

NV Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	NV Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	B Shook	B Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	NV Muller	Y Sheperd	NV Borders

PERSONAL

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A RESOLUTION *Adopted*
 Councilmember Felicia A. Moore
 A Resolution stating the support of the City of Atlanta of Delta

Airlines' application seeking authority to operate daily, nonstop flights connecting Atlanta to Beijing, China in 2006; and for other purposes

Adopted 10/14/04
 by Full Council

OCT 04 2004
ADOPTED BY

COUNCIL

- CONSENT REFER
- REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER **ADOPTED**

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Action

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- 3rd
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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Janice D. Foster

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Ruth Buckley Johnson
 METROPOLITAN CLERK

MAYOR'S ACTION

APPROVED
Mayor's Action
 OCT 08 2004
 MAYOR