



AN ORDINANCE

BY COUNCILMEMBER JIM MADDOX

AS SUBSTITUTED BY FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ATLANTA TO APPLY FOR GRANTS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FEDERAL ECONOMIC STIMULUS PACKAGE; TO WAIVE SECTION 2-910(A) TO THE EXTENT IT REQUIRES APPROVAL OF EACH APPLICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the United States Congress passed the Federal Economic Stimulus Package, a portion of which will be made available to local governments; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Atlanta anticipates being the recipient of funds from the Federal Economic Stimulus Package; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the City of Atlanta to preauthorize the ability to apply for any and all grants the City is eligible for as part of the Federal Economic Stimulus Package.

**THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, HEREBY ORDAINS, as follows:**

**SECTION 1:** That the requirement in Section 2-910 (a) of the Code of Ordinances that each grant application must be approved by City Council prior to filing is hereby waived due to the anticipation of an abbreviated response time associated with the acceptance of grant awards through the Federal Economic Stimulus Package.

**SECTION 2:** That the Mayor or her designee is authorized to apply for any and all grant, loan or stimulus funds for which the City is eligible as part of the Federal Economic Stimulus Package.

**SECTION 3:** That any application for grant, loan or stimulus funds that are part of the Federal Economic Stimulus Package for which City may have applied for prior to this ordinance is hereby ratified for the purposes of the application only.

**SECTION 4:** That further action by City Council will be required prior to the acceptance of the grant funds, agreements and appropriation of said funds.

**SECTION 5:** That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby waived to the extent of the conflict.

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**AN ORDINANCE BY THE ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL REQUIRING COUNCIL APPROVAL AUTHORIZING THE USE OF FUNDS RECEIVED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE FEDERAL ECONOMIC STIMULUS PACKAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the Congress passed a Federal Economic Stimulus Package, a portion of which will be made available to local governments; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council anticipates receipt of funds from the Federal Economic Stimulus to the City of Atlanta; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to ensure that appropriate controls are in place to oversee the use of funds received from the Economic Stimulus; and

**NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, HEREBY ORDAINS** as follows:

**SECTION ONE**: That the receipt and authorization of funds to the City of Atlanta resulting from the Federal Economic Stimulus Package be adopted by the City Council prior to action.

**SECTION THREE**: That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.