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AN ORDINANCE
BY: FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 09-O-1802 AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO ESTABLISH A TRUST FUND ACCOUNT FOR A RECEPTION HONORING ATLANTA CITY COUNCILMEMBER JIM MADDOX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Whereas, The Atlanta City Council Adopted ordinance 09-O-1802 (EXHIBIT A) October 19, 2009 to establish a trust fund account on behalf of the Atlanta City Council Staff for purposes of collecting and disbursing funds solicited from the corporate community as the City of Atlanta honors retired City Councilmember Jim Maddox, the longest serving city councilmember in Atlanta's history; and

Whereas, SECTION THREE of ordinance 09-O-1802 ordained "that upon payment for all reception related expenses, all excess contributions remaining in this trust fund shall be disbursed to Camp Best Friends."; and

Whereas, some City of Atlanta Recreation Centers were closed to balance the 2010 Budget; and

Whereas, Mayor Kasim Reed has endeavored to establish "Centers of Hope" at all of the City's closed recreation centers; and

Whereas, as a City Councilmember, Mr. Maddox was a staunch supporter of the City's Recreation Centers and the Recreation Program; and

Whereas, the Atlanta City Council Staff responsible for administering the tribute to honor Mr. Maddox and his public service work desire to expand the tribute by redirecting all excess contributions remaining in the trust fund account established by ordinance 09-O-1802 to the Centers of Hope Council District 11Trust Fund Account .

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA:

That Adopted ordinance 09-O-1802 be amended such that SECTION THREE shall be changed to read "upon payment for all reception related expenses, all excess contributions remaining in this trust fund shall be disbursed to the Centers of Hope Council District 11 Trust Fund Account".

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED: that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby directed to delete the trust account established by ordinance 09-O-1802 from the City's Chart of Accounts upon the transfer of all excess contributions to the Centers of Hope Trust Fund Account Number identified in this legislation.

BE IT FINALLY ORDAINED: that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby waived to the extent of the conflict.