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BY THE FINANCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GRADY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL CORPORATION ON BEHALF OF THE ATLANTA FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF UTILIZING GRADY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) AS THE PRIMARY BACK-UP SERVICE FOR EMERGENCY AND NON-EMERGENCY TRANSPORTS AT HARTSFIELD-JACKSON ATLANTA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ADOPTED BY

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First Reading  
 FINANCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
 Committee June 15, 2011  
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 Chair C.T. Martin  
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 Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)  
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FINAL COUNCIL ACTION  
 2<sup>nd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup>  
 Readings  
 Consent V Vote RC Vote

CERTIFIED  
 JUN 2 0 2011  
 ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

CERTIFIED  
 JUN 2 0 2011  
 MAYOR'S ACTION

APPROVED  
 JUN 2 9 2011  
 WITHOUT SIGNATURE  
 BY OPERATION OF LAW



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ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

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**WHEREAS**, the Airport Fire Division of the City of Atlanta Rescue Department (“Airport Fire Division”) is responsible for providing fire protection, fire prevention, code enforcement, hazardous materials abatement, and emergency medical services for the Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport (the “Airport”) community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Airport Fire Division is responsible for protecting the “World’s Busiest Airport”, which hosts an average of 200,000 passengers per day; and

**WHEREAS**, the Airport Fire Division provides superior emergency medical service, including advanced cardiac life support and patient transports for the Airport 365 days a year; and

**WHEREAS**, the Airport Fire Division transported approximately 1,441 patients to local hospitals in fiscal year 2010; and

**WHEREAS**, the Airport Fire Division currently has 3 front line ambulances for transport; and

**WHEREAS**, additional ambulances are periodically needed to augment medical care, transport personnel, resources, and provide emergency medical coverage to the Airport; and

**WHEREAS**, with the exception of the Airport, Grady EMS is designated by the State of Georgia as the sole provider of ambulance services for the City of Atlanta and Fulton County and owns and operates an ambulance service; and

**WHEREAS**, Grady desires to function as a back-up emergency ambulance service to the Airport in the event of the need for emergency ambulance service at the Airport; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties acknowledge that extension of coordination between the City and Grady is imperative to ensuring public safety and realizing medical care efficiencies.



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

**SECTION 1:** The Mayor or his designee is hereby authorized into an agreement with Grady Emergency Medical Services (EMS) on behalf of the Atlanta Fire Rescue Department for the purpose of utilizing Grady EMS as the primary back-up services for emergency and non-emergency transports at Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport.

**SECTION 2:** The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, that intergovernmental Agreement entitled, "Memorandum Of Understanding", in substantial form to that document attached as Exhibit "A", hereto for the mutual provision of emergency and non-emergency transports between the Grady Memorial Hospital Corporation and the City of Atlanta at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport.

**SECTION 5:** That said agreement will not become binding on the City and the City will incur no liability under it until it has been executed by the Mayor, attested to by the Municipal Clerk, approved as to form by the City Attorney and delivered to TSA.

**SECTION 4:** That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby waived to the extent of the conflict

A true copy,

*Rhonda Dauphin Johnson*  
Municipal Clerk

ADOPTED by the Atlanta City Council  
RETURNED WITHOUT SIGNATURE OF THE MAYOR  
APPROVED as per City Charter Section 2-403

June 20, 2011

June 29, 2011

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4:40 PM

Atlanta City Council

REGULAR SESSION

CONSENT I

ADOPT

YEAS: 14  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 1  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

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Y Hall	Y Wan	Y Martin	Y Watson
Y Young	B Shook	Y Bottoms	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Adrean	Y Sheperd	NV Mitchell

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