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A RESOLUTION

BY COUNCILMEMBER MICHAEL JULIAN BOND

A RESOLUTION TO CREATE A MULTI-MODAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ADDRESSING THE CITY OF ATLANTA'S TRANSPORTATION NAD INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, It is imperative that Atlanta and the State of Georgia pursue multi-modal transportation solutions that our City, region and State so desperately needs; and,

WHEREAS, To communicate effectively with our State and Federal governments on our transportation and infrastructure needs, it is imperative that Atlanta lead the way in offering innovative solutions to our transportation challenges; and,

WHEREAS, To improve existing and develop innovative funding options to ensure that Atlanta's transportation and infrastructure will be appropriately prioritized and funded to sustain and expand economic growth in and around Atlanta; and,

WHEREAS, The Multi-Modal Transportation Commission will make recommendations to the City Council Transportation Committee and the Mayor about all-inclusive transportation needs enabling the city to plan and promote the safe and efficient movement of people, goods and services.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA HEREBY RESOLVES as follows

SECTION 1: To create a Multi-Modal Transportation Commission to study and make recommendations to the City Council Transportation Committee and to the Mayor.

SECTION 2: The members of the Multi-Modal Study Committee shall be appointed by the following individuals or organizations:

Four members appointed by the Mayor (with at least three of the appointments from the airline, railroad and bus industries each);
One member by the President of Council;
One member each by the three paired Council groupings;
One member from the Fulton County Commission;
One member from the DeKalb County Commission;
One member from the Clayton County Commission;
One member by the Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority (MARTA);
One member by the Georgia Regional Transportation Authority (GRTA);
One member by the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT);
One member by the Atlanta Regional Commission (ARC);

One member from the Atlanta Development Authority (ADA);
One member by the Atlanta BeltLine Inc. (ABI);
One member by Central Atlanta Progress (CAP);
One member by the Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce;
One member by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP);
One member appointed by the Atlanta Planning Advisory Board (APAB);
One member from the Department of Planning and Community Development - Connect Atlanta;
Ex facto members will include: Commissioner of the Department of Planning and community Development and Department of Public Works and the General Manager of the Department of Aviation.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED: That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby waived to the extent of the conflict.