

**AN ORDINANCE**

**BY COUNCIL MEMBER CLETA WINSLOW**



**AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS  
DESIGNEE TO MAKE WALNUT STREET,  
SW A THREE WAY STOP WHERE IT  
INTERSECTS WITH FAIR STREET, SW;  
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, there is an increasingly growing concern for the potential of vehicle collisions traveling through the intersections of Walnut Street, SW where it intersects with Fair Street, SW due to speeding vehicles; and

**WHEREAS**, there are many families in the area which households run the gamut of senior citizens to elementary age children; and

**WHEREAS**, residents of the neighborhood in the area surrounding Walnut Street, SW where it intersects with Fair Street, SW have expressed their concerns regarding the high volume of traffic which passes through this corridor which creates problems for residents trying to leave their homes especially during the morning and evening rush hour; and

**WHEREAS**, there are college campuses (Clark-Atlanta University, Morehouse College, Spelman College and Morehouse School of Medicine), an elementary school (Oglethorpe) and several churches in the area which places a large number of students traveling the streets in the morning and evening while vehicles are trying to get to the I-20 Interchange, the Mall West End and other points of interest in this area on these same streets; and

**WHEREAS**, the lack of a stop sign poses a significant hazard and public safety risk to all the residents of the neighborhood.

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

**SECTION 1:** That the Mayor or his designee is authorized to make the intersection at Walnut Street, SW where it intersects with Fair Street, SW a Three Way Stop and stop signs should be installed at the appropriate approaches to the intersection.

**SECTION 2:** That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby waived for this instance only.