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A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION TO RECEIVE FUNDING ASSISTANCE FOR THE CREATION OF A RECYCLING DROP-OFF FACILITY LOCATED AT THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS the Georgia Department of Natural Resources administers a grant program under the Georgia Solid Waste Management Act to reduce solid waste in Georgia and recover valuable materials through recycling, waste reduction and/or diversion; and

WHEREAS the City of Powder Springs ("City") applied for and was selected to receive a Recycling, Waste Reduction and Diversion grant to establish a multi-stream recycling drop-off center within the City; and

WHEREAS the City desires to accept the grant of \$107,000 and commit a match of \$35,000 to provide the community a convenient and low-barrier location to dispose of recyclable items in order to reduce the amount of recyclables in the solid waste stream.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Powder Springs that the Mayor is authorized to execute an agreement with the Georgia Department of Natural Resources Environmental Protection Division, in form substantially similar to the attached, to accept and implement grant funds for the creation of a recycling drop-off center in the City, subject to review and approval by the City attorney. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon approval.

SO RESOLVED this 3rd day of January, 2023.

Albert Thurman, Mayor

Henry Lust, Council Member

Doris Dawkins, Council Member

Dwayne Green, Council Member

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Patrick Bordelon, Council Member

Patricia Wisdom, Council Member