

Uptown Columbus BID, Inc.

A Resolution of the Board of Directors

Whereas, Uptown Columbus BID, Inc., a Georgia nonprofit corporation (the "BID"), provides supplemental services in a city business improvement district pursuant to the City Business Improvement District Act (the "Act") codified as O.C.G.A. § 36-43-1, *et seq.*; and

Whereas, the Act provides that the supplemental services which may be provided within a city business improvement district include advertising, promotion, sanitation and security, among others; and

Whereas, the BID operates pursuant to a Management Plan adopted by the Council of Columbus, Georgia, on August 26, 2014 by Ordinance No. 14-41; and

Whereas, the BID wishes to provide certain supplemental services that the Act authorizes to be provided within a city business improvement district, but which are not specifically set forth in the current Management Plan.

NOW, therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Directors of Uptown Columbus BID, Inc., requests Council of Columbus to amend the Management Plan for the Columbus Business Improvement District by amending Section 5 paragraph 2 "Maintenance" by removing the current subsection entitled "Landscape Maintenance" and substituting the following:

Landscape Maintenance: Public landscape areas, tree wells and planters will be maintained and kept free of litter and, to the extent deemed appropriate, enhanced by planting or replanting of trees and other vegetation and the installation of appropriate fencing.

Be it further resolved that Section 5, paragraph 2 of said plan be amended by adding thereto the following:

Lighting Maintenance and Installation: Monitor streetlight levels and report outages to the appropriate authority. To the extent deemed appropriate in public areas, install decorative lights, security lights, fixtures, globes or bulbs to illuminate the surrounding area.

Be it further resolved that Section 5, paragraph 3 of the Management Plan entitled "Marketing/Communications/Economic Development" be amended by adding thereto the following:

Sponsoring, cosponsoring or promoting events such as festivals and concerts which are designed to promote the District and increase pedestrian presence and activity.

Introduced at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Uptown Columbus BID, Inc. held on the 15th day of July, 2021 and adopted its said meeting by the affirmative vote of 10 members of the Board of Directors.



Leah Braxton, Chair



Edwin J. Wolverton, President