

**RESOLUTION
RES 2025-15**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS, GEORGIA, TO ADOPT A POLICY GOVERNING ATTENDANCE AT EXECUTIVE (CLOSED) SESSIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE GEORGIA OPEN MEETINGS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City Council of Dallas, Georgia, is subject to the Georgia Open Meetings Act (O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the Act permits executive (closed) sessions only for limited purposes, including discussion of personnel matters, pending or potential litigation, and real estate transactions; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council desire to adopt and reaffirm a formal policy limiting attendance at executive sessions in order to protect confidentiality and ensure compliance with state law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Dallas, Georgia, that the attached “Policy on Attendance at Executive (Closed) Sessions” is hereby adopted and shall remain in full force and effect until amended or repealed by further action of the Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.

RESOLVED this _____ day of October, 2025

L. James Kelly, Mayor

James Henson, Councilmember

Christopher B. Carter, Councilmember

Nancy R. Arnold, Councilmember

Leah Alls, Councilmember

Cooper Cochran, Councilmember

Candace Callaway, Councilmember

Attest: _____
Tina Clark, City Clerk