

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-_____

A RESOLUTION BY COUNCILMEMBERS KIMBERLY JAMES, DELORES A. GUNN, HECTOR GUTIERREZ, LATRESA AKINS-WELLS, AND ALLAN MEARS TO WAIVE CERTAIN CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA’S STORMWATER PROCESSES FOR THE INSTALLATION OF SIDEWALKS, CURB AND GUTTER, AND DRAINAGE INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT ALONG WALDROP DRIVE FROM THE CITY’S PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, the City of Forest Park, Georgia (“City”) is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia; and

WHEREAS, the City is currently undergoing a project for the installation of sidewalks, curb and gutter, and drainage infrastructure along Waldrop Drive (“Project”); and

WHEREAS, Falcon Design Consultants, LLC (“FDC”), the Project’s engineer, recommends the City waive Clayton County, Georgia’s stormwater requirements for this Project as they pertain to gutter spread, stormwater detention, water quality, and runoff reduction; and

WHEREAS, FDC recommends that due to the linear nature of this Project and limited right-of-way space, the Project shall meet the exception for “Site Constraints” within CCWA’s “Policy on Practicability Analysis for Runoff Reduction”; and

WHEREAS, FDC advises that stormwater detention, water quality, and runoff reduction measures are intended to reduce the flow rate and the amount of stormwater runoff from a project, and to remove sediment from the flow; and

WHEREAS, these measures tend to occupy large areas which the City does not have available within the current right-of-way of Waldrop Drive; and

WHEREAS, FDC advises that these measures may be added to this Project without significantly affecting nearby properties and utilities as adding sidewalks to Waldrop Drive shall not significantly increase runoff for the area; and

WHEREAS, the waiver of Clayton County, Georgia’s stormwater requirements for this Project is necessary for the health, safety, and welfare of the City’s citizens.

THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF FOREST PARK, GEORGIA HEREBY RESOLVES:

Section 1. Approval. The Department’s request to waive Clayton County, Georgia’s stormwater requirements for the project for the installation of sidewalks, curb and gutter, and drainage infrastructure along Waldrop Drive as presented to the Mayor and Council on July 21, 2025, is hereby approved.

Section 2. Public Record. This document shall be maintained as a public record by the City Clerk (“Clerk”) and shall be accessible to the public during all normal business hours of the City.

Section 3. Authorization of Execution. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

Section 4. Attestation. The Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Forest Park as provided in the City Charter.

SO RESOLVED this 21st day of July 2025.

CITY OF FOREST PARK, GEORGIA

Angelyne Butler, *Mayor*

ATTEST:

(SEAL)
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney