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|  | <p>CITY OF JONESBORO, GEORGIA</p> <p>Agenda Item Summary</p> | <p>COUNCIL MEETING DATE:</p> <p>04/06/2026</p> |
| <p>Requesting (Initiator): Councilman Alfred Dixon</p> | | <p>Sponsor(s): Councilman Alfred Dixon</p> |
| <p>Item Title:</p> | <p>Council to discuss, review, and refer the JYCG resolution protocol to the City Attorney for legal review.</p> | |
| <p>Requested Action: Requesting approval protocol.</p> | | |
| <p>Requirement for Council Action: Approval</p> | | |
| <p>Is this Item Goal Related? Yes. It supports youth engagement and governance clarity.</p> | | |
| <p>Summary and Background: The Jonesboro Youth City Government (JYCG) serves as a youth leadership and civic engagement program designed to educate and empower students through real-world exposure to government processes. As part of this experience, JYCG participants may develop and adopt resolutions to express their perspectives on issues impacting their community.</p> <p>To ensure clarity, consistency, and alignment with City governance practices, there is a need to formally establish a protocol that clearly defines the nature, structure, and communication of JYCG resolutions. The intent is to define these resolutions as non-binding, educational expressions while ensuring they are clearly distinguished from official City actions and provide guidance for how such resolutions are presented publicly.</p> <p>This framework supports both transparency and the continued growth of youth civic engagement in Jonesboro.</p> | | |
| <p>Fiscal Impact: No fiscal impact.</p> | | |
| <p>Exhibits Attached: JYCG Resolution Protocol</p> | | |
| <p>Staff Recommendation (Type name, Title, Agency and Phone number.) Councilman Alfred Dixon. Recommending approval.</p> | | |

| <p>FOLLOW-UP APPROVAL ACTION (City Manager)</p> | |
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| <p>Typed Name and Title</p> | <p>Date</p> |
| <p>Signature</p> | |