

RESOLUTION 07-004

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLAY COUNTY, GEORGIA TO DISSOLVE THE JOINT PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION BY WITHDRAWAL AS A PARTY WITH THE CITY OF FORT GAINES, GEORGIA AND TO PROVIDE FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF ITS ZONING AND PLANNING COMMISSION FOR THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF CLAY COUNTY, GEORGIA

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Clay County, Georgia, as the governing body of Clay County, Georgia and the Mayor and Council, as the governing body of the municipality of Fort Gaines have determined it will be in the best interest of the county and city to dissolve the joint city county planning and zoning commission and establish separate planning and zoning commissions for the unincorporated area of Clay County, Georgia and the incorporated area of the City of Fort Gaines, and.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council have resolved to withdraw the City of Fort Gaines from participation as a member of the joint planning and zoning commission, and

WHEREAS, the primary function of a county planning and zoning commission is to assist in guiding the Board of Commissioners in accomplishing a coordinated and harmonious development of the county's unincorporated areas which will, in accordance with existing and future needs, best promote public health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, and the general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of economic and esthetic development, and

WHEREAS, said existing joint commission was established by a joint resolution of the City of Fort Gaines and the Board of Commissioners of Clay County. Such resolution is silent in providing for the termination of the joint commission or withdrawal by a party. Nor does the resolution prevent the withdrawal of a party should the need or desire arise,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of Clay County, Georgia, hereby elects to withdraw from participation as a party to the joint planning and zoning commission with the City of Fort Gaines and otherwise dissolve the joint planning and zoning commission, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners shall establish, by further resolution, a planning and zoning commission for the benefit of the county to assist in guiding of the Board of Commissioners in accomplishing a coordinated and harmonious development of the county's unincorporated areas which will, in accordance with existing and future needs, best promote public health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, and the general welfare, as well as, efficiency and economy in the process of economic and esthetic development, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution is hereby adopted by the governing authority of Clay County on this the 21 day of February, 2007.

COUNTY OF CLAY, STATE OF GEORGIA

BY: 
Gerald Von Anderson III, Chairman

Yea Nay

By: Willie McCoy
Willie McCoy, Vice Chairman

Yea Nay

BY: David Shivers
David Shivers

Yea Nay

BY: Walt Killingsworth
Walt Killingsworth

Yea Nay

BY: 
Barry Waters

Yea Nay

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Clay County, keeper of the records and seal thereof, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Clay County in public meeting assembled on February 20, 2007, the original of which resolution has been entered in the official records of said political subdivision under my supervision and is in my official possession, custody and control.


Teresa Smith, County Clerk