RESOLUTION 04-2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARROLLTON, STATE OF GEORGIA, TO AMEND SECTION 2-32 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF CARROLLTON, GEORGIA RELATING TO AGENDAS FOR MEETINGS OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, Section 2-32 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia ("Order of business; agenda") currently provides as follows:

> The order of business at all meetings of the mayor and city council shall be in accordance with an agenda to be approved at the beginning of the meeting.

WHEREAS, the Georgia Open Meetings Act, O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1, provides in relevant part that the agenda for such meetings "shall be available upon request and shall be posted at the meeting site as far in advance of the meeting as reasonably possible;" and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of Carrollton find that – in the absence of an emergency or exigent circumstances – a proposed agenda for meetings of the mayor and city council should be available and posted at least five business days in advance of any such meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of Carrollton further find – consistent with Section 2-27 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia ("Special Meetings"), which allows the Mayor or any two City Councilmen to call for a special meeting – the Mayor or any two City Councilmen should similarly be allowed to place any item on the agenda.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of Carrollton do hereby amend Section 2-32 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Carrollton, Georgia ("Order of business; agenda") to read as follows:

> The order of business at all meetings of the mayor and city council shall be in accordance with an agenda to be approved at the beginning of the meeting. In the absence of an emergency or other exigent circumstances, at least five business days prior to any meeting of the mayor and city council, the city manager shall:
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> (a) make available to the mayor and city council a proposed agenda and any supporting documentation for the meeting; and
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> (b) cause to be posted at the meeting site the proposed agenda.
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> In addition to any items placed on the agenda by the city manager, the mayor or any two city councilmen may request that an item be placed on the agenda, in which event the city manager shall add the item to the agenda.

ADOPTED this 4th day of January, 2016.

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF CARROLLTON

Mayor, City of Carrollton

Clerk, City of Carrollton

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