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A R:ESOLU'FIQN AUTHORIZING THE FULTON COUNTY BOARD OF REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS (THE COUNTY) TO UTILIZE, FROM FEBRUARY 8, 2016 THROUGH FEBRUARY 26, 2016, THE GEORGIA HILL NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER, THE ADAMSVILLE RECREATION CENTER AND THE CHASTAIN PARK GYMNASIUM AS EARLY VOTING POLL LOCATIONS FOR THE MARCH 1, 2016 PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY AND THE CITY OF ATLANTA SPECIAL ELECTION TO PRESENT A QUESTION TO VOTERS REGARDING RE-IMPOSING THE MOST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Fulton County Board of Registration and Elections has requested use of the Georgia Hill Neighborhood Facility, the Adamsville Recreation Center and the Chastain Park Gymnasium as early voting poll locations for the March 1, 2016 Presidential Preference Primary Election and the City of Atlanta Special Election to present a question to voters regarding re-imposing the MOST; and

WHEREAS, State law requires that early voting polls only be operated in government owned or leased facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Atlanta believe that it is in the best interest of the City's electorate for the City of Atlanta to provide its citizens an option to vote at the these three (3) facilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> Early voting in advance of the March 1, 2016 Presidential Preference Primary Election and the City of Atlanta Special Election to present a question to voters regarding re-imposing the MOST will occur February 8, 2016 through February 26, 2016, including Saturday voting on February 13, 2016 and February 20, 2016 and Sunday voting on February 14, 2016 and February 21, 2016.

Section 2. That the Municipal Clerk/Election Superintendent is hereby directed to notify the Fulton County Board of Registration and Elections (the County) the City of Atlanta has authorizated the County's usage of the Georgia Hill Neighborhood Facility, the Adamsville Recreation Center and the Chastain Park Gymnasium as early voting locations for the March 1, 2016 Elections; with utilization authorized for set-up of equipment, early voting operations, and removal of equipment from February 2, 2016 through February 29, 2016.

Section 3. That the Atlanta Information Management Department is hereby directed to work with the County, as is necessary, to assess technology needs and assure that any additional data drops are installed and/or any other technological requirements are met to facilitate the early voting processes at the Georgia Hill Neighborhood Facility, the Adamsville Recreation Center and the Chastain Park Gymnasium for the March 1, 2016 Elections.

<u>Section 4.</u> That the Mayor's Office of Enterprise Assets Management and the Department of Parks and Recreation is hereby directed to work with the County, as is necessary, to facilitate the utilization of the Georgia Hill Neighborhood Facility, the Adamsville Recreation Center and the Chastain Park Gymnasium as early voting poll locations for the March 1, 2016 Elections.

Section 5. That, pursuant to state law, there shall be no rental fees imposed for the utilization of the Georgia Hill Neighborhood Facility, the Adamsville Recreation Center and the Chastain Park Gymnasium as early voting poll lcoations for the March 1, 2016 Elections. However, the County shall pay any reasonable and practicable fees assessed by the City of Atlanta's Information Management Department, Mayor's Office of Enterprise Assets Management and/or Department of Parks and Recreation for any additional data drops or other technology installations, as well as any cleaning custodial, security and/or additional staffing services required by the Georgia Hill Neighborhood Facility, the Adamsville Recreation Center and/or the Chastain Park Gymnasium because of said elections.

**Section 6.** That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.

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A RESOLUTION BY COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL	Chair	Chair	
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AUTHORIZING THE FULTON COUNTY BOARD OF REGISTRATION AND	Other	Other	
ELECTIONS (THE COUNTY) TO USE FROM FEBRUARY 8, 201 6THROUGH	Members	Members	
FEBRAURY 26, 2016 THE GEORGIA HILL NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER, THE ADAMSVILLE RECREATION CENTER			
AND THE CHASTAIN PARK			
GYMNASIUM AS EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS FOR THE MARCH 1, 2016	Refer To	Refer To	
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PRIMARY AND CITY OF ATLANTA SPECIAL ELECTION TO PRESENT A QUESTION TO VOTERS REGARDING	Committee	Committee	MAYOR'S ACTION
RE-IMPOSING THE MOST; AND FOR	Date	Date	
OTHER PURPOSES	Chair	Chair	
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O ADVERTISE & REFER			_
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