STATE OF GEORGIA

CITY OF DORAVILLE

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-__

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF DORAVILLE REQUESTING THE DORAVILLE LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION TO ADOPT LOCAL LEGISLATION PROVIDING FOR A LOCAL REFERENDUM ON MAINTAINING THE EXISTING FULL-TIME MAYOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT OR CREATING A CITY MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE CITY OF DORAVILLE.

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Doraville, Georgia formerly determined that a full-time Mayor should exercise administrative authority over day-to-day operations of the City;

WHEREAS, the City of Doraville is soon to enter into an unprecedented period of historic significance in the growth and development of the community;

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council wish to ascertain the will of the citizens of the City today as to the continued need and desire for a full-time mayor versus a city manager form of government; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City desire and request that the honorable elected state Legislative representatives of the City sponsor local legislation that will authorize a ballot on the issue of retaining the full-time mayor form of government or moving to a city manager form of government.

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Doraville, Georgia hereby resolve:

1.

That the state Legislative delegation representing the City of Doraville, Georgia sponsor a local act authorizing a local referendum on whether or not the City should retain the existing full-time mayor form of government or adopt a city manager form of government.

2.

That such local legislation be adopted so that federal Civil Rights Act preclearance can be gained and the referendum can occur at an election sufficiently soon so that candidates for Mayor in 2011, who would take office in 2012, would be fully apprised of the form of office, duties, pay and obligations the office of Mayor will entail.

3.

That any and all Resolutions or any part thereof in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed.

4.

This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

SO RESOLVED this ___ day of _____, 2010.

ATTEST:

_____(SEAL)
Rhonda Blackmon, City Clerk

CITY OF DORAVILLE, GEORGIA

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Ray Jenkins, Mayor

First Reading:

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Second Reading:

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Murray J. Weed, City Attorney

	Yea	Nay
Maria Alexander	☐	☐
Brian Bates	☐	☐
Pam Fleming	☐	☐
Karen Pachuta	☐	☐
Donna Pittman	☐	☐
Bob Roche	☐	☐