FULTON COUNTY

January 20, 2010

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Roswell is a Georgia Municipal corporation; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council are the governing authority of the City of Roswell, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. § 36-35-6 requires local legislation by the Georgia General Assembly on any action affecting the "Composition and form of the municipal governing authority...and the continuance in office and limitation thereon for such members..." and

WHEREAS, an Attorney General Opinion, <u>1985 Ga. Atty. Gen. 105</u>, held that qualification requirements for seeking to hold municipal office must be accomplished by an Act of the General Assembly because such requirements affect the composition of a governing authority; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell have determined that it would be in the public welfare for the number of terms that a Mayor may be consecutively elected in the City of Roswell be limited to three (3) consecutive full terms:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Roswell do hereby resolve and call upon the General Assembly of the State of Georgia to enact an amendment to the Charter of the City of Roswell, Georgia, limiting the number of consecutive full terms that a person may be elected to hold the office of Mayor of the City of Roswell to three (3) consecutive full terms.

Let a certified copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all State Senators and State Representatives representing the citizens of the City of Roswell, Georgia.

The above Resolution was read and approved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell, Georgia on the 20th day of January, 2010.

Sue H. Creel, City Clerk

(Seal)

Jouncilmember Jerry Orlans

Councilmember Betty Price

Councilmember Kent Igleheart

Jere Wood, Mayor

Councilmember Rebecca Wynn

Councilmember Richard Dippolito

Councilmember Nancy Diamond