

STATE OF GEORGIA

FULTON COUNTY

First Reading: February 17, 2010

Second Reading: March 1, 2010

**ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF
ROSWELL SECTION 2.1.1 COUNCIL MEETING TIME, DATES AND QUORUM**

WHEREAS, the City of Roswell, a municipal corporation of the State of Georgia, is authorized by Section 3.70 of its Charter to set the time and dates for meetings of Mayor & Council by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Mayor & Council have instituted a committee system open to the public to consider, discuss and advance items that come before Mayor and Council at regular council meetings; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the working of the committee system in place more items are able to be placed on the consent agenda; and

WHEREAS, reducing the number of regular council meetings from three nights a month to two will result in more efficient government and will benefit the general health, safety and welfare of the people of Roswell:

NOW, THEREFORE, to accomplish the foregoing, the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell, pursuant to their authority, do hereby adopt the following ordinance:

1.

The first paragraph of Section 2.1.1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Roswell, Georgia is hereby amended by deleting said first paragraph in its entirety and replacing it with a new first paragraph of Section 2.1.1 to read as follows:

Council meetings shall be held on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Zoning and land use matters shall be scheduled for the second Monday meeting of each month, but such meeting shall not be limited to those items. Any fifth Monday in a month is designated an open forum at which citizens may be heard before Mayor & Council on matters of public concern.

The remainder of Section 2.1.1 shall continue in force as before.

2.

Severability. Should any court of competent jurisdiction declare any section of this Ordinance invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, which is not specifically declared to be invalid or unconstitutional.

3.

Repeal of Conflicting Provisions. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, or regulations in conflict herewith are repealed.

4.

Renumbering. It is the intention of the Mayor and Council, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances, City of Roswell, Georgia and the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention.

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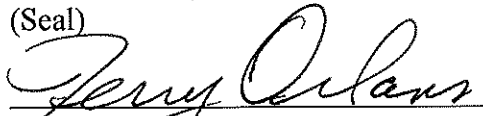
This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after June 1, 2010, the public welfare demanding it.

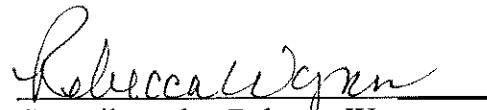
The above Ordinance was read and approved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Roswell, Georgia on the 1st day of March, 2010.


Jere Wood, Mayor

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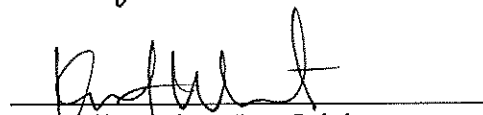

Sue Creel, City Clerk
(Seal)

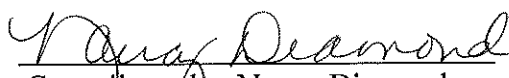

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