

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SAVANNAH RELINQUISHING THE ROLE AS
THE WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT GRANT RECIPIENT,
FISCAL AGENT, CEO AND ADMINISTRATIVE ENTITY FOR THE REGION 12
COASTAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD**

WHEREAS, the City of Savannah, Georgia has served as the fiscal agent, administrative entity and CEO for the receipt and administration of Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act funds which provides workforce development and employer services in ten counties (Bryan, Bulloch, Camden, Chatham, Effingham, Glynn, Liberty, Long, McIntosh and Screven); and

WHEREAS, the City of Savannah has served in this capacity for two decades, in an effort to support a predominantly rural multi-county region, as the most viable governmental jurisdiction with the size and capacity to perform the financial and regulatory responsibilities required to administer the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, due to the increased organizational capacity and technological advances in cities, counties and regional commissions among the ten counties, it is no longer a necessity for the City of Savannah to retain this role;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Savannah approve termination of the City of Savannah as the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act grant recipient, fiscal agent, CEO and administrative entity for the Region 12 Coastal Workforce Development Board effective December 31, 2019 and authorize the Savannah City Manager, to notify the CWDB and undertake all necessary activities to transition responsibilities to a new service provider.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED: June 20, 2019.

EDDIE W. DELOACH, MAYOR

ATTEST:

MARK MASSEY
CLERK OF COUNCIL
CITY OF SAVANNAH, GEORGIA