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**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MORROW  
CALLING FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER  
FOR THE CITY TO DESIGNATE COUNCIL MEMBER POSTS  
AND APPROVING A DRAFT OF THE SAME;  
AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY PERSONNEL  
TO SUBMIT THE SAME TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AND SEEK ITS PASSAGE AT THE CURRENT LEGISLATIVE  
SESSION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Morrow (the "City") is an existing municipal corporation created by the State of Georgia and the governing authority of the City is the Mayor and Council;

**WHEREAS**, the present Charter for the City was signed into law as Act Number 243 by the Governor on June 3, 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to amend its form of government to designate a specific, at-large council post for each councilmember position, an act which the Council cannot accomplish by its power under The Municipal Home Rule Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 36-35-1 to -8, but requires the enactment of legislation by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia authorizing such an amendment to the Charter; and

**WHEREAS**, the City wishes to petition the General Assembly to enact said legislation amending the Charter.

**NOW THEREFORE**, it is hereby resolved by the governing authority of the City of Morrow:

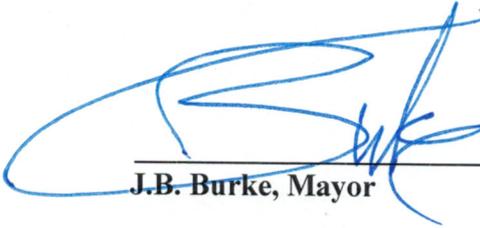
(a) The City requests the introduction of local legislation before the General Assembly of the State of Georgia by the local legislative delegation to revise the Charter for the City of Morrow to designate a specific Council Post for each councilmember position.

(b) The Mayor, City Manager, and City Attorney are authorized to take whatever actions are necessary in coordination with the local legislative delegation as well as the Office of Legislative Counsel for the State of Georgia to effect the introduction and passage of such local legislation before the present session of the General Assembly.

(3) This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon the date set forth herein.

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SO RESOLVED, this 27th day of January, 2015.



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J.B. Burke, Mayor

Attest:



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Viet Tran, City Clerk  
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