

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, the City of East Point, by the official seal, has existed since the year 1889; and

WHEREAS, a new city charter was granted by Act # 191, approved on March 5, 1957, and acts amendatory thereof, said acts purportedly amends an act to establish a new Charter approved August 19, 1912 (Ga. L. 1912, p. 862 et. seq.); and

WHEREAS, the City of East Point is the second largest city in the County of Fulton; and

WHEREAS, the City of East Point is reportedly the seventh largest city in the State of Georgia; and

WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City of East Point consists of the Mayor and eight members of City Council form of government; and

WHEREAS, this governing authority represents forty thousand plus citizens; and

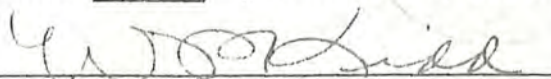
WHEREAS, there has been much deliberation on the part of the City of Atlanta and the County of Fulton concerning the merger of the two above mentioned governments; and

WHEREAS, the City of East Point is located in the County of Fulton and adjacent to the City of Atlanta;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST POINT that the Mayor and City Council of the City of East Point does hereby go on record as being unalterably opposed to any merger of the County of Fulton and the City of Atlanta that would deprive the citizens of the City of East Point of their guaranteed right to remain citizens of the City of East Point; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of East Point remain a separate entity by charter as granted by the State of Georgia, and the rights and privileges guaranteed under this charter remain in tact.

Introduced, considered and adopted this 16th day of October, 1967.



City Clerk

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