

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Mindy Sanders, Capital Projects Manager

**Date:** April 11, 2017

## Subject: Resolution to Establish a Traffic Calming District – North Peachtree Road

### **ITEM DESCRIPTION**

Staff seeks to rescind Resolution 2016-11-34 and gain approval of a corrected Resolution to establish a Traffic Calming District, and authorize the installation of Traffic Calming in Land Lots 310 and 339 of the 6th District and Land Lots 370 and 372 of the 18<sup>th</sup> District on North Peachtree Road between Davantry Drive and Mount Vernon Road.

#### BACKGROUND

Resolution 2016-11-34 to establish this Traffic Calming District was adopted by City Council on November 24, 2016. Staff requests this resolution be rescinded and an updated Resolution be adopted for this same purpose. The updated Resolution better defines the parcels to be included in this Traffic Calming District by referencing a map entitled "Traffic Calming Study North Peachtree Affected Area" and defines the traffic calming measures to be installed by referencing the attachment entitled "North Peachtree Road Traffic Calming Measures". The action is only intended to provide clarity to the previous resolution. It will not affect the petition process or the number of parcels who participated in this process to become this traffic calming district.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Staff recommends that Resolution 2016-11-34 be rescinded and the attached Resolution to establish a Traffic Calming District and authorize the installation of the traffic calming in Land Lots 310 and 339 of the 6th District and Land Lots 370 and 372 of the 18<sup>th</sup> District on North Peachtree Road between Davantry Drive and Mount Vernon Road.

These traffic calming measures are scheduled to be installed later this year after North Peachtree Road is resurfaced.

# **RESOLUTION 2017-XX-XX**

# A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES ON NORTH PEACHTREE ROAD AND THE ASSESSMENT OF THE ANNUAL COST OF MAINTAINING SAID TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES ON THE AFOREMENTIONED RESIDENTIAL STREET.

- WHEREAS, Article IX, Section II, Paragraph VI, of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983 authorizes and empowers the City Council of the City of Dunwoody, Georgia to establish special tax districts, in as such as this resolution creates said district for the purpose of constructing, erecting, establishing, and maintaining traffic calming measures on residential streets in the City of Dunwoody, and to levy a special assessment or tax against all property designated to be affected by these functions; and
- WHEREAS, Chapter 17 (Traffic and Public Roadways), Article 5 (Traffic Calming Measures) authorizes and empowers the City Council, City of Dunwoody, Georgia to approve the measures contemplated herein; and
- **WHEREAS**, the owners of sixty-five (65) percent or more of the property within the Traffic Calming District **16-01** have petitioned the City Council, City of Dunwoody, Georgia for the installation of traffic calming measures.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council, City of Dunwoody, Georgia, as the governing body of said City, that there be and there is hereby created and established within the area of the City of Dunwoody, Traffic Calming District Number **16-01**, for the purpose of constructing, erecting, establishing, and maintaining traffic calming measures as detailed on the attachment entitled "North Peachtree Road Traffic Calming Measures" to reduce speeding on residential streets, and ways therein, located in Land Lots 310 and 339 of the 6<sup>th</sup> District and Land Lots 370 and 372 of the 18<sup>th</sup> District of DeKalb County, Georgia, consisting of all or portions of property on the following streets, **North Peachtree Way, Starcross Court, and Saffron Court**, as more particularly shown and delineated on the map entitled "Traffic Calming Study North Peachtree Affected Area", which map is attached hereto and made part of this resolution by reference; and

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the boundaries of said district as enumerated on said map as the affected area be the same and hereby established as shown and delineated on said map as full and complete as if the legal description of the courses, distances, and boundaries of said district were fully set forth herein, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the annual maintenance cost and charges shall not exceed \$25.00 per property owner, and shall be a lien upon the abutting property annually FROM January 1<sup>st</sup> next and continuing each year through the life of the traffic calming measures, however, that said annual maintenance charges may be increased or decreased by the City Council to reflect changes in operating and maintenance costs, and

**IT IS DIRECTED** that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Tax Commissioner of DeKalb County, Georgia for the collection of any and all taxes and/or special assessments and/or service charges which may be imposed against any and all businesses, residents, and property served by said facilities.

**SO RESOLVED** by the City Council of City of Dunwoody, Georgia this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

Approved:

Denis L. Shortal, Mayor

ATTEST:

Approved as to Form and Content:

Sharon Lowery, City Clerk (Seal) City Attorney

# TRAFFIC CALMING STUDY NORTH PEACHTREE AFFECTED AREA





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