

**STATE OF GEORGIA
CITY OF DUNWOODY**

RESOLUTION 2017-XX-XX

**A RESOLUTION TO APPOINT A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS FOR
THE CITY OF DUNWOODY, GEORGIA**

WHEREAS, the City of Dunwoody is authorized by the City Charter to create boards, commissions and authorities as the Mayor and City Council deem necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council previously adopted Chapter 2 ("Administration") of the City Code of Ordinances which calls for the creation of the Board of Zoning Appeals; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council had previously appointed Kristin Wescott as a member of the Board of Zoning Appeals, whose term expired on January 26, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the position occupied by Kristin Wescott as a member of the Board of Zoning Appeals has become vacant and the City Council wishes to fill said vacancy by appointing Robert (Bob) Hopkins as a member of the Board of Zoning Appeals through June 30, 2017.

Robert (Bob) Hopkins,expiring June 30, 2017

WHEREAS, this Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Dunwoody while in regular session on April 11, 2017 at 6:00 pm that the person named herein is appointed as a member of the City of Dunwoody Board of Zoning Appeals to serve for the designated term.

Approved:

Denis L. Shortal, Mayor

Attest:

Sharon Lowery, City Clerk
(SEAL)

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT

41 Perimeter Center East, Ste 250 | Dunwoody, GA 30346
 Phone: (678) 382-6700 | Fax: (678) 382-6701

The Dunwoody City Council believes that citizens bring valuable insights and are a skilled resource in the community. The Council encourages all citizens to consider becoming involved in the city government by serving on a Board, Commission, or Committee. Applications are accepted throughout the year.

To be considered for an appointment to a municipal board, commission, or committee, please complete and submit the following application and send it with a resume to the City Clerk, Sharon Lowery. Applications and resumes may be submitted by e-mail to sharon.lowery@dunwoodyga.gov, by fax to (770) 396-4705, or by mail to 41 Perimeter Center East, Suite 250, Dunwoody, GA 30346.

*** Applicant Information**

Name: Robert L Hopkins		
Address: 1875 Withmere Way, Dunwoody, GA 30338-2836		
Phone: 770-377-6186	Cell: 770-377-6186	
Email: robhopper@aol.com; rhopkins13@gsu.edu		
Place of Employment: Perimeter College at GSU	Occupation College Professor-Economics	
How long have you been a resident of Dunwoody?	39 Years	1 Months

*** Board / Commission / Committee for which you would like to be considered**

<input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol License Review Board	<input type="checkbox"/> Planning Commission
<input type="checkbox"/> Audit Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Sustainability Committee
<input type="checkbox"/> Board of Ethics	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban Redevelopment Agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Construction Board of Adjustment and Appeals	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Coordinating Committee
<input type="checkbox"/> Convention and Visitors Bureau of Dunwoody	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Zoning Board of Appeals
<input type="checkbox"/> Design Review Advisory Committee	
<input type="checkbox"/> Development Authority	<input type="checkbox"/> No preference, I just want to volunteer!

*** Interest and Experience (Please also attach or submit a resume)**

Why are you interested in serving on a board / commission / committee?
As a longtime resident of this community, I want to preserve the environment that makes Dunwoody a great place to live.
What experience do you possess that would be of benefit to a board / commission / committee?
My life experiences give me a common sense approach in solving life's conflicts.
Military background, small business owner, and college professor have given me the necessary credentials to resolve conflict.

*** Terms & Conditions**

I hereby attest that all statements and information provided in this application are true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I may be interviewed prior to consideration for appointment.

I hereby agree that if appointed to serve as a member of a City of Dunwoody Board, Commission, or Committee, I will spend my time, skills, and energy on the goals and mission of the Board, Commission, or Committee including preparation for meetings. Furthermore I agree that, if appointed, my term will be governed by the By-laws of the Board, Commission, or Committee to which I am appointed.

I understand that if appointed, I will make an effort to attend all meetings and must attend at least two-thirds of the scheduled meetings in order to remain a member in good standing.

Applicant's Name: Robert L. Hopkins
Applicant's Signature: Robert L. Hopkins
<small>Digitally signed by Robert L. Hopkins DN: cn=Robert L. Hopkins, o=Perimeter College at Georgia State University, ou=Department of Administration, email=rhopkins13@gsu.edu, c=US Date: 2017.03.29 14:00:40</small>
Date: 29 March 2017

Biography of Robert L. Hopkins

Since 1988, Hopkins has taught economics at Perimeter College at Georgia State University, Dunwoody Campus. He currently holds the academic rank of assistant professor. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from the University of Maryland, a Masters of Business Administration from the University of Alabama at Birmingham, and a Master of Science in Business Economics from Georgia State University.

He served with the 9th Infantry Division as a rifle platoon leader. As a veteran of the Vietnam War, Hopkins was awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge, the Bronze Star Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Campaign Ribbon and the Vietnam Service Ribbon. He was commissioned an infantry officer upon graduation from Officer's Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia in June of 1966. He is currently active in veteran's affairs as a member of Dunwoody Post 10822 of the VFW, American Legion Post 140, as treasurer of the Georgia Veterans Day Parade Association, as a member of the Atlanta Vietnam Veterans Business Association and the World War II Roundtable. He is also an active volunteer for the USO's effort at Atlanta's Hartsfield-Jackson Airport and has been active in USO fund raising.

He is a 38 year resident of Dunwoody. He has been married for 47 years, has three married daughters and five grandchildren.