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AN RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE TRAVON WILKENS MEMOMIAL PEDESTRIAN FUND AMENDING TITLE 1, ADMINISTRATION, CHAPTER 8, BUDGET OF THE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES TO RESTRICT SCHOOL ZONE TRAFFIC CAMERA REVENUES FOR PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IMROVEMENTS AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES

(Sponsored by Mayor khalid)

Plain Text Explanation: Fifty percent of all revenues from Speed Camera tickets shall be spent on installing new speed bumps/humps/tables and crosswalks.

WHEREAS, the City of South Fulton ("City") is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia;

WHEREAS, the duly elected governing authority of the City is the Mayor and Council thereof ("City Council");

WHEREAS, the City desires to amend its code of ordinance through this Ordinance to support successful code enforcement operations by ensuring said operation are properly funded; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is in the best interests of the health and general welfare of the City, its residents and general public; and

WHEREAS, the City seeks to spend citizen tax dollars on public works projects most requested by taxpayers; and

WHEREAS,creating pedestrian-safe, walkable communities that increase commerce and quality of life is in the best interests of the health and general welfare of the City, its residents and general public.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON HEREBY ORDAINS as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> It is hereby ordained by the City Council that Title 1, Administration, Chapter 8, Code Enforcement, Section 1-8003, Municipal Budget Policy, is hereby amended to read as:

TITLE 1. - ADMINISTRATION

Chapter 8. - Budget

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Sec. 1-8003 – Municipal Budget Policy

- (i) Beginning October 1, 2023, Fifty (50) percent of all fines, fees, and judgments resulting from Traffic Camera Enforcement, minus Contracting and Municipal Court costs, shall be allocated by the City Finance Officer to a **Restricted Fund** for Speed Bump/Hump/Table and Sidewalk Installations. This fund shall only be used towards designing, constructing, maintaining, protecting, managing, acquiring right of ways and/or taking other necessary action to install and maintain new speed bumps, speed tables, cross walks and crossing signals.
- (j) The Public Works Director shall, monthly, make available to council and the general public, via the City's website and other electronic means, a report that itemizes the vendor, contract, cost, estimated completion date and progress of all speed bumps, speed humps, speed tables, cross walks and crossing signals implemented under this fund.

<u>Section 2.</u> It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that: (a) All sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Resolution are or were, upon their enactment, believed by the City Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

- (b) To the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution. No section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution.
- (c) In the event that any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Resolution shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the City Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of the Resolution.

Section 3. All Resolution and parts of Resolution in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

<u>Section 4.</u> The City Attorney and City Clerk are authorized to make non-substantive editing and renumbering revisions to this Resolution for proofing, codification, and supplementation purposes. The final version of all resolutions shall be filed with the City Clerk.

<u>Section 5.</u> The effective date of this Resolution shall be the date of adoption, unless provided otherwise by the City Charter or state and/or federal law.

[signatures and voting tabulations appear on the following page]