

STATE OF GEORGIA  
COUNTY OF HENRY  
CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

RESOLUTION NO. R 13-560

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE TO WRITE OFF THE BALANCE OF UNPAID COURT FINES FOR 2002 to 2009; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, CITY CLERK, AND CITY TREASURER TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES OF THIS RESOLUTION, AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO ATTEST SIGNATURES AND AFFIX THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE CITY, AS NECESSARY, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, REPEALING INCONSISTENT RESOLUTIONS, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Stockbridge (“City”) is a municipal corporation located within Henry County, Georgia duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia and is charged with providing public services to residents located within the corporate limits of the City; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V of the City Charter, the City of Stockbridge maintains a Municipal Court which is authorized under the laws of this State, the City Charter, and the City Code to impose fines and penalties; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Court has reported to the Mayor and Council that court fees have accrued during calendar years 2002 to 2009 in the estimated amounts shown in the attached Exhibit “A” for both cases under driver’s license suspension and cases under warrant status; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Court has notified the Department of Driver Services of the failure of the defendants in each case to appear on the citations issued by authorized police departments; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Court has advised the City that said 2002 to 2009 fees are uncollectable; and

WHEREAS, the City finds it to be necessary and prudent to write off said fees.

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS;

Section 1. **Approval** - The City Council of the City of Stockbridge hereby approves writing off of the uncollectable court fees that accrued during calendar years 2002 to 2009 in the amounts reflected in Exhibit "A" hereto for both cases under driver's license suspension and cases under warrant status, and authorizes the City Clerk and Treasurer to write off such fees.

Section 2. **Approval of Execution** - The Mayor, City Clerk, and Treasurer are hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

Section 3. **Documents** - The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

Section 4. **Severability** - To the extent any portion of this Resolution is declared to be invalid, unenforceable, or non-binding, that shall not affect the remaining portions of this Resolution.

Section 5. **Repeal of Conflicting Provisions** - All City resolutions inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed.

Section 6. **Effective Date** - This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the City Council and Mayor as provided in the City Charter.

SO RESOLVED, this the 9th day of December, 2013.

**CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE, GEORGIA**

Mark A. Alarcon  
MARK A. ALARCON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Rhonda A. Blackmon  
RHONDA A. BLACKMON, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

William J. Linkous, III  
WILLIAM J. LINKOUS, III, CITY ATTORNEY  
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