

DeKalb County Government

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To adopt a resolution to establish a Revitalization and Elimination of Blight Goals and Task Plan for

2022-2026.

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5/10/2022	1	Board of Commissioners	approved substitute	Pass
4/12/2022	1	PECS-Planning, Economic Development & Community Services Committee	recommended for approval.	Pass
4/12/2022	1	Board of Commissioners	deferred for 30 days	Pass
4/5/2022	1	Committee of the Whole	Accepted to the BOC agenda and assigned	

Substitute

Public Hearing: YES □ **NO** ☒ **Department:** Planning and Sustainability

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): All Districts

To adopt a resolution to establish a Revitalization and Elimination of Blight Goals and Task Plan for 2022-2026.

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PURPOSE:

To consider a Resolution that list the strategies/goals and tasks for the next five years focusing on Operation Clean Sweep, Housing, Human Investment, Neighborhood Stabilization, Economic Development, Combating Crime, and Quality of Life.

NEED/IMPACT:

DeKalb County recognizes that blighted properties cause adverse impacts in the community, including depressing property values and limiting economic development opportunities, and there is a need to address those problems in a systematic and orderly fashion. As such, the County the enacted resolutions in 2018 and 2019 identifying a number of goals and objectives that were designed to aid in the reduction of blight within the County. However, the COVID-19 Pandemic created a health and economic development emergency causing various initiatives to be delayed while the County focused on providing vital services to citizens during the

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Pandemic.

The Resolution creates a roadmap listing the goals and tasks for eliminating blight for the next five years.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Special Project Coordinator position which was funded in the 2022 budget.

RECOMMENDATION:

To adopt the Revitalization and Elimination of Blight Goals and Task Plan to mitigate blighted properties that cause adverse impacts in unincorporated DeKalb County.