



DeKalb County Government

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Legislation Text

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Public Hearing: YES NO

Department: Board of Commissioners

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): All Districts

A Resolution of the Governing Authority of DeKalb County, Georgia to the DeKalb County Delegation of the General Assembly Relating to Management of County Infrastructure Located in Public Rights-of-Way

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PURPOSE:

To ensure that private utility contractors accessing public rights-of-way properly determine if and where utility facilities are located in the rights-of-way before digging; to ensure that all local governments with management control of public-of-way require utility contractors to locate all utility facilities in public rights-of-way before digging; to authorize counties to impose sanctions including fines on utility contractors that breach or cut county utility facilities after failing to properly locate such utility facilities in the public rights-of way; to authorize counties to require utility contractors to fully remediate any public utility facilities or other infrastructure damaged by a utility contractor digging in public rights-of-way.

NEED/IMPACT:

To adopt the resolution;

FISCAL IMPACT:

None;

RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the resolution and authorize the chief executive officer to execute all necessary documents.....