

# **DeKalb County Government**

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## Legislation Details (With Text)

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Acceptance of a Memorandum of Understanding between DeKalb County Fire Rescue and the

American Red Cross.

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Attachments: 1. MOU Red Cross and Dekalb County 2022 (11.8.2022)

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
12/13/2022	1	Board of Commissioners	approved	Pass
12/6/2022	1	ERPS-Employee Relations & Public Safety Committee	recommended for approval.	Pass
12/6/2022	1	Committee of the Whole	Accepted to the BOC agenda and assigned	

**Public Hearing: YES** □ **NO** ☒ **Department:** Fire & Rescue Services

**SUBJECT:** 

Commission District(s): All

Acceptance of a Memorandum of Understanding between DeKalb County Fire Rescue and the American Red Cross.

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#### **PURPOSE:**

To establish a Memorandum of Understanding between DeKalb County, on behalf of DeKalb County Fire Rescue (DCFR), and the American Red Cross Georgia Region regarding fire prevention efforts in DeKalb County. The American Red Cross will provide smoke detectors that DCFR will install in DeKalb County residences as requested by residents. The MOU also establishes an annual smoke alarm community event for both organizations designed to proactively install smoke alarms in high-risk areas of DeKalb County.

### **NEED/IMPACT:**

This partnership increases the fire prevention efforts of DCFR and the American Red Cross within DeKalb County and increases the safety of DeKalb County residents by reducing the risk of fire within the community.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

No cost.

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RECOMMENDATION To approve the resolution		tive officer to execute all necessary docume	ents		