



DeKalb County Government

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Legislation Text

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Public Hearing: YES NO

Department: Board of Commissioners - District 6

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): All Commission Districts

DeKalb County's adoption of a safe gun storage ordinance to impact and prevent accidental injuries and deaths.

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PURPOSE:

Today, we remain in an unprecedented surge in firearm purchasing that shows no sign of abating and risks becoming part of a new normal. DeKalb County's adoption of a safe gun storage ordinance will impact and prevent accidental injuries and deaths.

NEED/IMPACT:

This ordinance will protect the health, safety and welfare interests of the County and its taxpayers.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Not known at this time.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution to institute a safe gun storage ordinance for DeKalb County in a form acceptable to the County Attorney, and authorize the Chief Operating Officer, or his designee, to execute all necessary documents.