COUNTY OF HALL

RESOLUTION APPROVING AND RATIFYING CLOSED NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENTS RELATING TO FRIENDSHIP ROAD SEWER EASEMENTS AND AUTHORIZING COUNTY AGENTS TO NEGOTIATE REMAINING EASEMENT

WHEREAS, the County has employed Croy Engineering, LLC to negotiate and recommend settlement of easements in connection with the Friendship Road Sewer Project; and

WHEREAS, Hall County Engineering has negotiated and recommended closed settlements as to twenty easements connected with the Friendship Road Sewer Project; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has reviewed the closed settlements negotiated by Hall County Engineering as to the twenty easements connected with the Friendship Road Sewer Project and believes that those settlements should be approved and ratified in full by the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has reviewed the recommended settlement proposed by Croy Engineering, LLC as to the final remaining necessary easement connected with the Friendship Road Sewer Project and believes that the recommended settlement should also be approved and ratified in full by the County; and

WHEREAS, the Friendship Road Sewer Project will greatly benefit the residents of Hall County and will promote the health, safety, and general welfare of County residents and businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has determined that the negotiated closed settlements by Hall County Engineering as to the twenty easements and the recommendation as to

the settlement by Croy Engineering, LLC of the final necessary easement should be approved and ratified by the Board so that the Project may proceed as scheduled.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners of Hall County, Georgia hereby adopts, approves, and ratifies the twenty closed settlements listed on the attached Exhibit A which were negotiated by Hall County Engineering, and the Board of Commissioners further approves and ratifies the proposed settlement amount for the final necessary easement negotiated by Croy Engineering, LLC in the amount listed on the attached Exhibit A hereto subject to review and approval of the County's Law Department.

SO RESOLVED this the _____ day of January, 2023.

HALL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

Chairman, Richard Higgins

(SEAL) Jennifer Rivera, County Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Van Stephens, County Attorney

Exhibit A