

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY OF CLARKSTON TO AMEND THE CITY CHARTER TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE CERTAIN GOODS AND SERVICES AND TO ENTER INTO CERTAIN CONTRACTS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY.

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds that it would benefit the efficiency and effectiveness of city operations to empower the city manager to purchase certain goods and services and to enter into certain contracts on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council will establish by ordinance appropriate guidelines, limits and procedural controls to govern the city manager’s spending and contracting authority authorized by this Charter amendment; and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized to amend its Charter pursuant to its home rule powers as set forth in O.C.G.A. § 36-35-3; and

WHEREAS, the City has complied with the notice requirements of O.C.G.A. § 36-35-3(b)(1).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Clarkston as follows:

SECTION 1. City Charter Section 3.02 is hereby amended to re-designate existing subsection 3.02(d)(10) as new subsection 3.02(d)(11) and to adopt new subsection 3.02(d)(10), which shall read as follows:

“(10) Purchase goods and services, and enter into contracts on behalf of the City, pursuant to the authority delegated and limitations imposed by ordinance duly adopted by the City Council.”

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its final adoption by the City Council at the second of two consecutive regular meetings.

SO ORDAINED, this ____ day of _____, 2024.

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ATTEST:

**CITY COUNCIL,
CITY OF CLARKSTON, GEORGIA**

City Clerk

Beverly H. Burks, Mayor

Approved as to Form:

Stephen G. Quinn, City Attorney