## ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF CONCORD MAYOR, AND CITY COUNCIL

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN JOINT PLANNING PROCESS FOR PIKE COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Georgia General Assembly enacted the Georgia Planning Act to allow and promote planning for local community development and land use management; and

WHEREAS, the Georgia Department of Community Affairs has established rules and principles for guiding local planning efforts within the Requirements for Local Government Planning; and

WHEREAS, the Requirements for Local Government Planning mandate updates to local comprehensive plans be completed every ten years in order to maintain their Qualified Local Government status; and '''

WHEREAS, the City of Concord has in the past acted in partnership with Pike County and the cities of Molena, Meansville, Williamson and Zebulon in the development of a joint Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the joint Comprehensive Plan for Pike County and the Municipalities of Concord, Meansville, Molena, Williamson and Zebulon is due for an update by October 31, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the City of Concord Mayor and City Council recognizes that local comprehensive planning is in the best interest of the citizens of Concord;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ALSO HERBY RESOLVED, that the City of Concord wishes to fulfill the requirements established in updating the joint Comprehensive Plan in coordination and collaboration with Pike County and any/all other municipalities among the Cities of Meansville, Molena, Williamson, and Zebulon;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ALSO HEREBY RESOLVED, that with the passage of this resolution the City of Concord formally agrees to participating in a joint and cooperative process for completing the update to the local Comprehensive Plan and requests the same of the governing bodies of Pike County and any/all other municipalities among the Cities of Meansville, Molena, Williamson and Zebulon;

This Resolution is adopted this 14 th day of October 2003,

Mayor and City Council City of Concord, Georgia

By Swee STORY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Carolyn Offord, City Clerk