## ORDINANCE # 24-010 AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUBURN, GEORGIA

TO ADOPT THE FISCAL YEAR 2025 BUDGET FOR EACH FUND OF THE CITY OF AUBURN, GEORGIA, APPROPRIATING THE AMOUNTS SHOWN IN EACH BUDGET AS EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES, ADOPTING SEVERAL ITEMS OF REVENUE ANTICIPATIONS, AND PROHIBITING EXPENDITURES OR EXPENSES FROM EXCEEDING THE ACTUAL FUNDING AVAILABLE.

WHEREAS, sound governmental operations require a General Fund Budget in order to plan the financing of services for the citizens of the City of Auburn; and

WHEREAS, Title 36, Chapter 81, Article 1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) requires a Balanced Budget for the City's Fiscal Year, which runs from October 1st to September 30th, of each year; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Auburn have reviewed the proposed FY 2025 Budget as presented by the City Administrator and provided public notice and held a public hearing as required by Georgia Law; and

WHEREAS, the General Fund is a Balanced Budget, so that anticipated revenues and other financing sources equal the proposed expenditures and expenses; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council wish to adopt this proposal as the Fiscal Year 2024 Annual Budget, effective from October 1, 2024 to September 30, 2025.

**NOW THEREFORE**, The Council of the City of Auburn hereby ordains as follows:

- **Section 1.** That the proposed Fiscal Year 2025 Budget, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as a part of this Ordinance is hereby adopted as the Budget for the City of Auburn, Georgia for Fiscal Year 2025, which begins October 1, 2024, and ends on September 30, 2025.
- Section 2. That the several items of revenues, other financing sources, and sources of cash shown in the budget for each fund in the amounts anticipated are hereby adopted, and that the several amounts shown in the budget for each fund as proposed expenditures or expenses, and uses of cash are hereby appropriated to the departments named in each fund.
- **Section 3.** That the "legal level of control" as defined in OCGA §36-81-5 is set at the departmental level, meaning that the City Administrator, in capacity as Budget Officer is authorized to move appropriations from one-line item to another within a department, but under no circumstances may expenditures or expenses exceed the amount appropriated for a department without a budget amendment approved by the Mayor and City Council.

Section 4. That all appropriations shall lapse at the end of a Fiscal Year.

**Section 5.** That this ordinance shall be and remain in full force and effect from and after its date of adoption.

It is so ordained on this 12th day of September 2024.

City of Auburn, Georgia

Richard Roquemore, Mayor

Joshua Rowan, Council Member

ABSEN t Robert L. Vogel III, Council Member

Attest:

**Brooke Haney, City Clerk** 

City of Auburn

Taylor J. Sisk, Council Member

Jamie L. Bradley, Council Member