

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND DULY ELECTED COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELBERTON, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, the City of Elberton strives to provide the highest possible quality of life for its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Elberton are concerned about the recent job losses in the community over the last few years due to the closing and/or relocation of existing industries; and

WHEREAS, the failure to successfully recruit new industries and employers to Elbert County harms the citizens of Elberton in many ways; and

WHEREAS, the Elbert County Grand Jury that convened on July 21, 2008, recommended in its presentments that “the Economic Authority actively seek industry to come to Elbert County to encourage our young people to return to Elbert County after college.”

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, THAT THE MAYOR AND DULY ELECTED COUNCIL OF ELBERTON, GEORGIA DO HEREBY, RESOLVE AND SET FORTH ITS SUPPORT OF THE GRAND JURY’S RECOMMENDATION OF JULY, 2008, AND CALL UPON THE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF ELBERT COUNTY, ELBERTON, AND BOWMAN TO ACTIVELY AND AGRESSIVELY RECRUIT INDUSTRY AND MANUFACTURING JOBS, AND DEVOTE ALL POSSIBLE RESOURCES TO THIS EFFORT;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION BE DELIVERED TO EACH MEMBER OF THE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF ELBERT COUNTY, ELBERTON, AND BOWMAN.

DULY ADOPTED IN OPEN SESSION ON THIS THE 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2008.