

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF BULLOCH**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BULLOCH COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

WHEREAS, Article IX, Section II, Paragraph VI of the Georgia Constitution of 1983 provides that special districts may be created for the provision of local government services within such districts; and

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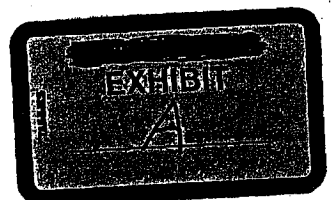
WHEREAS, Article IX, Section II, Paragraph VI of the Georgia Constitution of 1983 further provides that such special districts may be created and fees, assessments, or taxes may be levied and collected therein by municipal or county ordinance or resolution; and

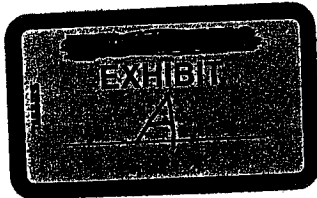
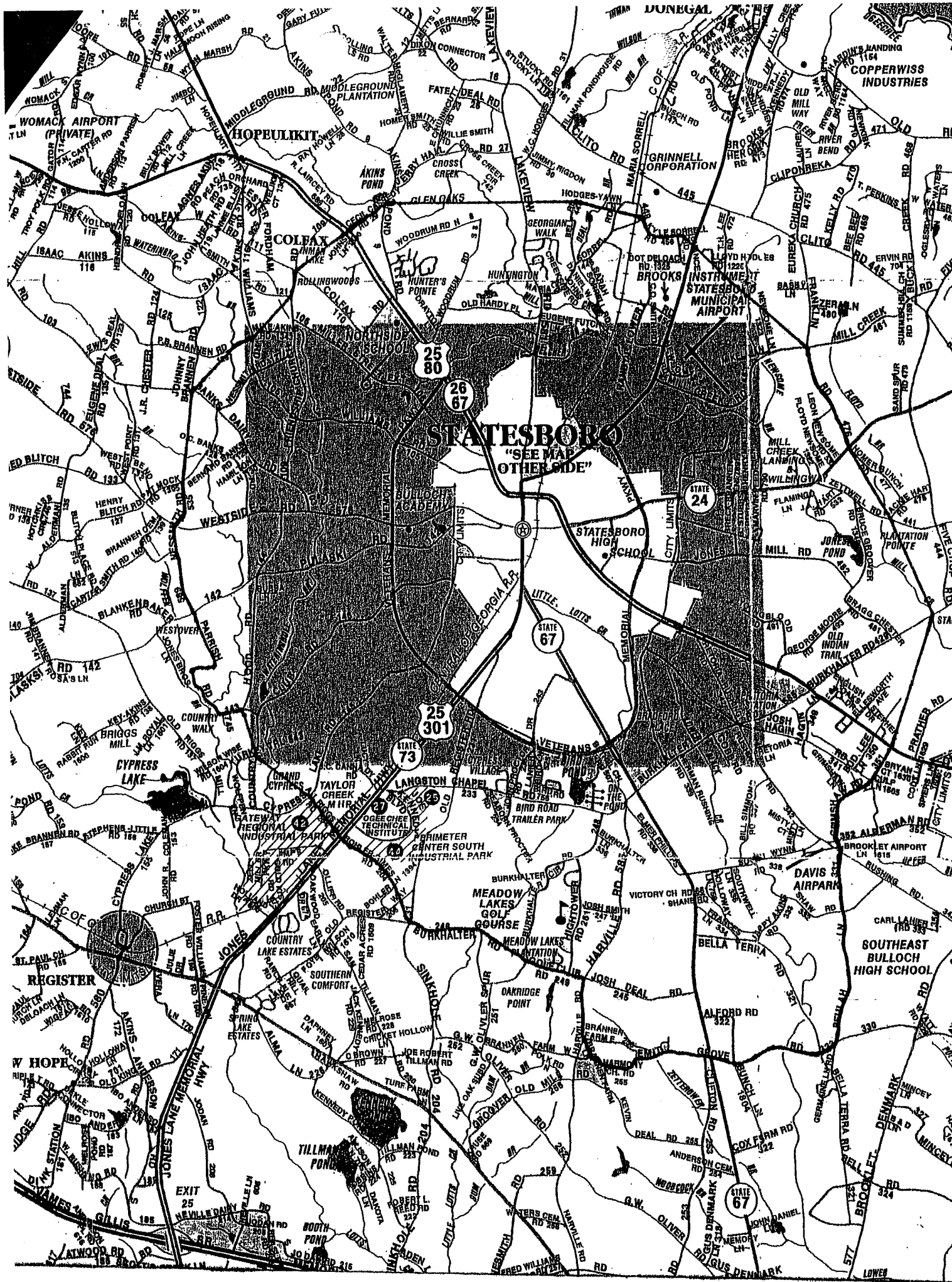
WHEREAS, Bulloch County and the City of Statesboro have entered into an intergovernmental agreement whereby the City of Statesboro has agreed to provide fire protection services to improved property within the special district of the unincorporated area of Bulloch County shown on the attached exhibit "A" in consideration for annual monetary assistance from Bulloch County, the amount of said monetary assistance to be agreed upon by Bulloch County and the City of Statesboro at the beginning of each fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the citizens owning improved real property in the special district of the unincorporated area of Bulloch County shown on the attached exhibit "A" derive a substantial benefit from the City of Statesboro's provision of fire protection services pursuant to said intergovernmental agreement, including but not necessarily limited to increased fire protection and reduced ISO ratings; and

WHEREAS, the Bulloch County Board of Commissioners has determined that it is in the public safety, interest and welfare to assess and levy a continuing annual ad valorem tax upon all improvements and structures located upon taxable real property within the special district of the unincorporated area of Bulloch County shown on the attached exhibit "A" in order to provide monetary assistance to the City of Statesboro in consideration for the provision of fire protection services in said special district:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Article IX, Section II, Paragraph VI of the Georgia Constitution of 1983 there shall be and is hereby established a special district within the unincorporated area of Bulloch County as shown on the map attached hereto as exhibit "A," said district to include all improvements and





structures on property with access onto roads or streets shown as the boundary of said district;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that there shall be and hereby is assessed and levied and there shall hereafter be collected a continuing annual ad valorem tax on all improvements and structures located upon taxable real property within said special district in sufficient amount each year to pay the City of Statesboro for the provision of fire protection services in said special district; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be effective upon the date of its adoption, and shall supercede and repeal any prior ordinances or resolutions relating to the establishment of a special district for the provision of fire protection services in the unincorporated area of Bulloch County.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Bulloch County Board of Commissioners this 4th day of September, 2001.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
BULLOCH COUNTY, GEORGIA

By: 

John E. Parrish, Jr., Chairman

Attest: 

Evelyn M. Wilson, Clerk

