RESOLUTION NO. 2013-01-02

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS, GEORGIA TO SET QUALIFYING FEES FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council for the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia while in regular session on January 15, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. as follows:

WHEREAS, effective January 1, 1999, the Georgia Municipal and Georgia Election Codes were combined into one known as the Georgia Election Code; and

WHEREAS, such Code provides at § 21-2-131(a)(1) that qualifying fees shall be fixed and published not later than February 1st of any year in which a general election is to be held; and

WHEREAS, State law provides that such fees shall be three percent (3%) of the total gross salary of the office paid in the preceding year, if a salaried office; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with House Bill 37, the City of Sandy Springs will be holding elections for the Mayor and Council Seats from District 1, District 2, District 3, District 4, District 5 and District 6 in 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Internal Revenue Service has held that Councilmembers hold salaried positions;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor and Council of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, pursuant to their authority do hereby adopt by Resolution as follows:

1.

The following qualifying fees shall apply to candidates seeking municipal office in the election to be held November 5, 2013:

Mayor	$750.00
City Councilmember	$360.00

2.

Let a copy of this Resolution be published in a newspaper of general circulation following its adoption.

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RESOLVED this the 15th day of January, 2013.

Approved:

Eva Galambos, Mayor

Attest:

Michael Casey, City Clerk

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