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House Bill 1432

By: Representatives Scheid of the 22nd, Hill of the 21st, Byrd of the 20th, and Murphy of the 23^{rd}

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend an Act to re-create and reincorporate the City of Woodstock, approved April 17,
- 2 1975 (Ga. L. 1975, p. 4160), as amended, so as to provide that it shall require the affirmative
- 3 votes of five councilmembers to approve the exercise of the power of eminent domain in the
- 4 city limits; to provide for a quorum; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws;
- 5 and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA: 6

7 **SECTION 1.**

- 8 An Act to re-create and reincorporate the City of Woodstock, approved April 17, 1975 (Ga.
- 9 L. 1975, p. 4160), as amended, is amended by striking Section 2.33 and inserting in lieu
- 10 thereof a new Section 2.33 to read as follows:

"SECTION 2.33. 11

12 Quorum; voting.

- 13 Four elected officials shall constitute a quorum and shall be authorized to transact business
- of the council. Voting on the adoption of ordinances shall be taken by voice vote and the 14
- ayes and nays shall be recorded in the journal but any members of the council shall have 15
- the right to request a roll call vote. The affirmative vote of three councilmembers shall be required for the adoption of any ordinance, resolution, or motion except as otherwise 17
- provided in this charter; provided, however, that the affirmative vote of five 18
- 19 councilmembers shall be required to exercise the power of eminent domain within the
- 20 corporate boundaries of the city. In the event of a tie vote on any question, the mayor shall
- cast a vote to break the tie." 21

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22 **SECTION 2.**

23 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.