

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE LOCAL LEGISLATION

Notice is given that there will be introduced at the 2025 regular session of the General Assembly of Georgia a bill to authorize the governing authority of Hancock County to levy an excise tax pursuant to subsection (b) of Code Section 48-13-51 of the O.C.G.A.; and for other purposes.

**AFFIDAVIT**

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY

I, David Lucas, Senator from District 26, state on oath as follows:

- (1) I am the author of the local bill to which this affidavit is attached.
- (2) In accordance with O.C.G.A. § 28-1-14, the notice requirements for the local bill to which this affidavit is attached have been satisfied, including but not limited to the following:
  - (A) The Notice of Intention to Introduce Local Legislation which is attached to such local bill was published in the Sparta Ishmaelite, which is the official organ of Hancock County, on the 12th of March, 2025; and
  - (B) If the local bill amends the charter of a municipality or the enabling Act of the governing authority of a county or consolidated government, then a copy of the Notice of Intention to Introduce Local Legislation was mailed, transmitted by facsimile, or otherwise provided to the governing authority of such municipality, county, or consolidated government:
    - (i) During the calendar week in which the Notice was published in the official organ; or
    - (ii) During the seven days immediately following the date of publication of such Notice.

s/ DAVID LUCAS  
Affiant

Sworn to and subscribed at the  
State Capitol in Atlanta, Georgia,  
This 18th of March, 2025,  
Before me:

s/ DEANA MOSHER  
Deana Mosher  
Notary Public, Johnson County, Georgia  
My Commission Expires September 27, 2027  
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