RESOLUTION ADOPTING TELEPHONE CPR (T-CPR) TASK FORCE RECOMMENDATIONS

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority (GECA) created the T-CPR Task Force on December 13, 2018; and,

WHEREAS, the Task Force has met numerous times since its creation to discuss options regarding implementing T-CPR protocols in the state; and,

WHEREAS, the T-CPR Task Force has developed recommendations based on discussions with the American Heart Association and the Georgia Department of Public Health’s Office of Cardiac Care; and,

WHEREAS, T-CPR is only part of a larger conversation regarding the use of emergency medical dispatch (EMD) protocols by PSAPs to help meet the growing public expectation of 911;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT:

Section 1: The Board of Directors of the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority adopts the T-CPR Task Force recommendations attached to this Resolution.

Section 2: The Executive Director or designee is authorized to execute agreements necessary to carry out these recommendations.

Section 3: This resolution shall be in effect immediately upon adoption.

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Cheryl Greathouse
Chairperson
Board of Directors of the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority

I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Board of Directors of the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority on March 10, 2020.

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William Wright
Secretary
Board of Directors of the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority