

RESOLUTION NO. 26096

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE CITY COUNCIL'S SUPPORT OF EFFORTS TO ALLOW PHOTO ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS TO BE USED TO IMPROVE TRAFFIC SAFETY ON THE STATE'S STREETS AND HIGHWAYS.

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WHEREAS, the City of Chattanooga has established a photo enforcement program which has proven to be effective in improving traffic safety on the streets of Chattanooga by reducing speeding, the running of red lights, and positively modifying driver behavior, and

WHEREAS, the residents of Chattanooga have recognized that the program has been successful in fulfilling the City's goal of improving traffic safety and has supported the City's efforts to utilize this new technology, and

WHEREAS, the City of Chattanooga has used the revenue generated by this program to fund traffic safety programs, including the re-establishment of a public-supported driver's education program for school children, and

WHEREAS, the City of Chattanooga has committed to use this valuable program to support other needed engineering, education, and enforcement traffic safety programs in the future.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, that it supports efforts to allow photo enforcement programs to be used to improve traffic safety on the state's streets and highways.

ADOPTED October 13, 2009

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