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AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN
FINANCIAL HARDSHIP AFFIDAVIT

The COVID-19 public health emergency resulted in significant economic hardships for many small businesses and non-profit entities. Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds, established by the American Rescue Plan (“ARP”) Act of 2021, enable eligible state, local, territorial, and Tribal governments to provide a wide range of support to small businesses and non-profit entities, including assistance to address financial challenges caused by the pandemic and to make investments in COVID-19 prevention and mitigation tactics.

The Atlanta Development Authority d/b/a Invest Atlanta (“Invest Atlanta”) established the Resurgence Grant Fund to provide up to $40,000 to eligible small businesses and non-profit entities which can attest to having a financial hardship such as a decline in revenue or impacts due to periods of business closure as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Additionally, Invest Atlanta offers technical assistance to small businesses and non-profits that can attest to experiencing negative economic impacts due to the pandemic.

By executing this Affidavit under oath, I, on behalf of _____________________, which is a

_____ Small Business       OR       _____ Non-Profit Entity

and an eligible recipient of ARP Resurgence Grant funding or technical assistance as provided by Invest Atlanta, hereby attest to the negative economic impact caused by the COVID-19 pandemic such as decreased revenue or gross receipts, decreased donations or fees, financial insecurity, increased costs, inability to weather financial hardship, challenges covering payroll, rent or mortgage, or other operating costs.

In making the above representation under oath, I understand that Title 18 United States Code Section 1001: (1) makes it a violation of federal law for a person to knowingly and willfully (a) falsify, conceal, or cover up a material fact; (b) make any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation; OR (c) make or use any false writing or document knowing it contains a materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation, to any branch of the United States Government; and (2) requires a fine, imprisonment for not more than five (5) years, or both, which may be ruled a felony, for any violation of such Section.

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Signature of Affiant                              Date

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Printed Name

Sworn to and subscribed before me
This _____ day of _____________________, 20____.

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Notary Public
My commission expires: ______________