## STATE OF GEORGIA

## COUNTY OF ROCKDALE

A RESOLUTION ALLOWING FOR THE CREATION AND APPOINTMENT OF A DEPUTY CHIEF DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR ROCKDALE COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND THE ROCKDALE JUDICIAL CIRCUIT BY THE ELECTED ROCKDALE COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND FOR THE ALLOCATION OF SUPPLMENTAL COMPENSATION FOR CERTAIN POSITIONS.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Rockdale County, Georgia, and the Rockdale County District Attorney's office are devoted to the protection of and justice for all citizens of Rockdale County; and

WHEREAS, the function of the Rockdale County District Attorney's Office is to represent the State of Georgia and Rockdale County in the prosecution of all criminal cases within the County; and

WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. §15-18-20 allows for the District Attorney in each judicial circuit to employ such additional district attorneys as necessary for the successful execution of the purpose of the office and to assign duties and fix titles at his or her pleasure; and

WHEREAS, personnel who are employed by the Rockdale Judicial Circuit's District Attorney shall serve at the pleasure of that office, and shall be compensated by the State of Georgia with additional compensation through a County supplement in a manner and amount as set forth by the District Attorney with the approval of the Rockdale County Board of Commissioners; and,

WHEREAS, the District Attorney desires to create the new position of Deputy Chief District Attorney and to appoint Assistant District Attorney, Kirk Thomas to serve at the pleasure and discretion of the District Attorney and handle cases as assigned to him within this position; and,

WHEREAS, the District Attorney desires to reallocate available County Supplement funds to the newly created Deputy Chief Assistant District Attorney in the amount of \$4,053.36 and to Office Manager of the Rockdale County District Attorney, Rockdale Judicial Circuit in the amount of \$1,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED and authorized by the Board of Commissioners of Rockdale County, Georgia, that the position of Deputy Chief District Attorney of Rockdale County, Georgia and the Rockdale Judicial Circuit shall be created, with Assistant District Attorney Kirk Thomas appointed to this position.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the currently available County Supplement be allocated to the newly created Deputy Chief District Attorney and the serving Office Manager of the of the Rockdale County District Attorney's Office, Rockdale Judicial Circuit.

SO RESOLVED, this 29 day of Ar	, 2021.
	Rockdale County, Georgia Board of Commissioners
	By: Oz Nesbitt, Sr., Chairman
	By: Sherri L. Washington
	By: Notes Williams  Doreen L. Williams
Attest:	
By: Jennifer Rutledge, County Clerk	
Approved as to form:	
By: M. Qader A. Baig, County Attorney	