

RESOLUTION DENOUNCING THE USE OF DEI AND CRT IN COBB COUNTY

WHEREAS: The Republican Party is in total support of the vision of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. for America to be places where every person “will NOT be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character”; and

WHEREAS: Contrary to what the Democrat majority commissioners and their meetings with Chrysalis Labs attest, the United States of America, the state of Georgia, and Cobb County are not racist, with Georgia number three (3) in the US with the largest black population, ranking 9th across the nation in the US Census Bureau Diversity Index, with Cobb County having 29% (US 13%) black population and 61% (US 75%) white population becoming more diverse than ever; and


WHEREAS: Unconstitutional Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI) and Critical Race Theory (CRT) go hand-in-hand, and are contrary to the Civil Rights Act. Quoting Florida Republican Governor Ron DeSantis with the passage of Florida’s recent ban on CRT which teaches that *"the theory that racism is not merely the product of prejudice, but that racism is embedded in American society and its legal systems in order to uphold the supremacy of white persons"*; and

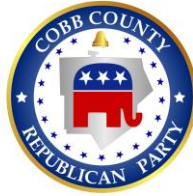
WHEREAS: At least 35 states have passed or considered legislation prohibiting teaching Critical Race Theory (CRT) in classrooms (with DEI another version of CRT); and the Cobb County Board of Education issued a resolution banning CRT from the classroom; and

WHEREAS: Recent Open Record Requests (ORR’s) by the community that elected her to office, as well as articles from “South Cobb News”, revealed that Board of Commissioners Chair Lisa Cupid and her fellow Democrat Commissioners have been holding meetings that included such consultants as Chrysalis Labs and Accenture, both pushing DEI, without including the two Republican Commissioners which allegedly is in conflict with the Open Meetings Act; and

WHEREAS: Cobb County is a highly diverse county with diverse neighborhoods based on the free market in agreement with the Civil Rights Act, the Bill of Rights, and both the United States and Georgia Constitutions offering housing based on free choice and affordability with no need to state the divisive and inaccurate accusation from Chrysalis Lab that *“Cobb County, like suburban communities across the nation, remains stubbornly segregated and inequitable along racial lines.”*

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Cobb GOP Secretary



NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Convention of the Cobb Republican Party, we urge the Georgia Attorney General to take appropriate legal action against the three Democrat members of the Cobb County Board of Commissioners for their violation of the Open Meetings Act, and for their abuse of the US Constitution, the Georgia Constitution, and the Civil Rights Act.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Cobb County Republican Party hereby condemns the actions of the Democrat members of the Cobb County Board of Commissioners for their unconstitutional efforts to foster what is arguably surreptitious racism by using outside consultants that advance unconstitutional Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion through all processes in Cobb County Government by using Cobb citizen tax dollars to do so.

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