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RESOLUTION 2011-02
A RESOLUTION TO AFFIRM COMPLIANCE WITH
FEDERAL TITLE VI REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, both Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Civil Rights Restoration Act of

1987 provide that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color or national

origin be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of or be subjected to

discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance; and

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Attorney General opined in Opinion No. 92.47 that state and local

governments are required to comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act in administering federally

funded programs; and

WHEREAS, the Community Development Division of the Tennessee Department of Economic

and Community Development administers the Three-Star Program and awards financial

incentives for communities designated as Three-Star communities; and

WHEREAS, by virtue of the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development

receiving federal financial assistance all communities designated as Three-Star communities

must confirm that the community is in compliance with the regulations of Title VI of the Civil

Rights Act of 1964 and the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of

Franklin, Tennessee:

SECTION 1. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Franklin declares that the City is in

compliance with the federal Title VI regulations.

SECTION 2. The Department of Economic and Community Development may from time to time

monitor the City's compliance with federal Title VI regulations.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall take effect upon adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

Adopted this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2011.

ATTES	ST:		CITY OF FRANKLIN, TENNESSE	E
By:		By:		
•	ERIC S. STUCKEY	•	JOHN C. SCHROER	
	City Administrator/Recorder		Mayor	