

FORSYTH COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Additional Item

MEETING DATE: JUNE 27, 2013 AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: 20

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ALLIANCE DEFENDING FREEDOM TO FILE AN AMICUS BRIEF WITH THE U.S. SUPREME COURT ON BEHALF OF FORSYTH COUNTY IN THE CASE OF TOWN OF GREECE V. GALLOWAY SUPPORTING UNCENSORED PRAYER BEFORE PUBLIC MEETINGS

COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION OR COMMENTS:

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION:

See attached

ATTACHMENTS: YES NO

SIGNATURE: N/A COUNTY MANAGER DATE: June 27, 2013

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WHEREAS, the Alliance Defending Freedom, formerly the Alliance Defense Fund, has requested that Forsyth County authorize it to prepare and file, at no expense to Forsyth County, an amicus brief, also termed a friend-of-the-court brief, with the U.S. Supreme Court on behalf of Forsyth County in the case of the Town of Greece v. Galloway supporting uncensored prayer before public meetings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Alliance Defending Freedom to prepare and file, at no expense to Forsyth County, an amicus brief, also termed a friend-of-the-court brief, with the U.S. Supreme Court on behalf of Forsyth County in the case of the Town of Greece v. Galloway supporting uncensored prayer before public meetings.

Adopted this the 27th day of June, 2013.