## **RESOLUTION NO. 07-35**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARICOPA, PINAL COUNTY, ARIZONA APPOINTING AN ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER FOR THE CITY OF MARICOPA AND ESTABLISHING A SALARY AS PROVIDED IN THE FISCAL YEAR 2007 - 2008 BUDGET FOR THE ASSISTANT CITY MANGER POSITION

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 3-1-2 of the City Code of the City of Maricopa, the Maricopa City Council may appoint such officers as it may deem necessary and that are not provided for in the City Code or state statute;

WHEREAS, on June 29, 2004, the City Council appointed Rick Buss as Acting City Manager for a period of no less than two years with the understanding that the City and Rick Buss would thereafter meet and discuss the option to enter into an employment contract as City Manager or move to the position of Assistant City Manager;

**WHEREAS**, Rick Buss has recently expressed an interest to the City to move to the position of Assistant City Manager; and

WHEREAS, the Maricopa City Council believes that it is in the best interest of the City of Maricopa to appoint an Assistant City Manager and, therefore, appoints Rick Buss to serve in the capacity of Assistant City Manager for the City of Maricopa.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Maricopa City Council hereby appoints Rick Buss to serve in the capacity of Assistant City Manager for the City of Maricopa at a salary as provided in the fiscal year 2007-2008 budget for the Assistant City Manger position.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the immediate operation of the provisions of this Resolution are necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Resolution shall become immediately effective upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Maricopa, Pinal County, Arizona, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2007.

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ATTEST:

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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