LAMAR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ORDINANCE NO. 2023-01

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF REZONING PROPERTY IN LAMAR COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF LAMAR COUNTY, GEORGIA

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Lamar County, Georgia (hereinafter "County") under the authority of its County Code and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Georgia, is empowered to by virtue of its police power to regulate the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the County, and to provide for and enact zoning and developmental regulations; and

WHEREAS, the County has enacted the current Zoning Ordinance of the County and thereby adopted the Official Zoning Map of the County; and

WHEREAS, on December 8, 2022, Roy and Joan Hazelrig initiated an application to change the zoning classification of the within described property from AR (Agricultural Residential) to R-1 (Residential -1); and

WHEREAS, notice of this application, public hearings, and action was properly advertised in the legal organ, a sign was placed on the subject property, and letters describing the application and hearing dates were sent to property owners within 300' of the subject property; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on January 5, 2023, and the application was reviewed by the Lamar County Planning Commission, and a second public hearing on the application was conducted by the County on January 17, 2023 pursuant to O.C.G.A. §33-66-1, et seq. and local ordinances at the Lamar County Courthouse; and

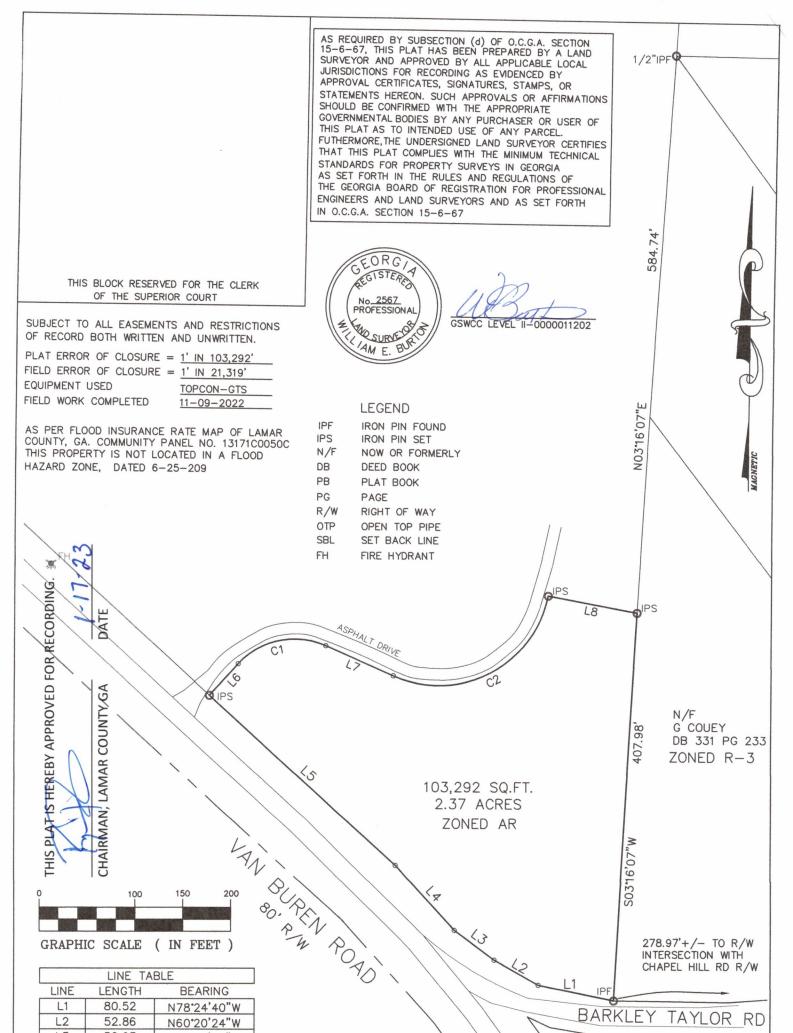
WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners considered the proposed amendment, and all alternate proposals or amendments, the report of the Planning Commission, and all data and evidence taken at both public hearings; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed by the County that rezoning the within described property and amending the Official Zoning Map of the County is in conformance with the sound comprehensive planning principles, of substantial benefit to the public, and in promotion of the best interest and general welfare of the people of the County. Now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LAMAR COUNTY, GEORGIA

<u>Section 1:</u> The Zoning Ordinance of Lamar County, Georgia, and the Official Zoning Map of Lamar County, Georgia, designating the boundaries of several types or classes of zoning districts within the County, shall be, and are hereby amended so as to change the zoning classification applicable to the following described property:

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<u>Section 5.</u> Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the Board of Commissioners of Lamar County, Georgia.

RYRAN TRAYLOR, Chairman

ATTEST:

CARLETTE DAVIDSON, County Clerk