## CITY OF LITHONIA

## STATE OF GEORGIA

1	ORDINANCE NO. ZO- 19-02-02
2	AN ORDINANCE TO RESTATE, AMEND AND READOPT THE OFFICIAL ZONING
3	MAP, CITY OF LITHONIA, GEORGIA, AS AMENDED; TO PROVIDE FOR
4	SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN
5	EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
6	WHEREAS, the duly elected governing authority of the City of Lithonia, Georgia ("City")
7	are the Mayor and Council thereof; and
8	WHEREAS, the Official Zoning Map of the City of Lithonia was last adopted July 6,
9	2015; and,
10	WHEREAS, certain property on the City's Official Zoning Map have erroneous zoning
11	designations and/or have been rezoned as to require restatement, amendment and readoption of the
12	City's Official Zoning Map; and,
13	WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City of Lithonia, Georgia desires to restate,
14	amend and readopt its Official Zoning Map to correct certain erroneous property zoning
15	designations and reflect the rezoning of certain property in the City of Lithonia; and,
16	WHEREAS, the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Lithonia, Georgia, will be
17	positively impacted by the adoption of this Ordinance.
18	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL
19	OF THE CITY OF LITHONIA, GEORGIA, and by the authority thereof:

## Section 1.

The Official Zoning Map of the City of Lithonia, titled "City of Lithonia, DeKalb County, Georgia Official Zoning Map" and dated July 6, 2015, is hereby restated, amended and readopted in its entirety. A true and correct copy of the Official Zoning Map of the City of Lithonia is displayed in Exhibit "A," and is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. A copy of the Official Zoning Map, as is displayed in Exhibit A, is available for inspection during normal business hours in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 2. (a) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are or were, upon their enactment, believed by the Mayor and Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

- (b) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, no section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.
- (c) In the event that any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the Mayor and Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of the Ordinance and that, to [0425-0063/301874/1]

- the greatest extent allowed by law, all remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of the Ordinance shall remain valid, constitutional, enforceable, and of full force and effect.
- Section 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.
- Section 4. Penalties in effect for violations of the Code of Ordinances, City of Lithonia,
  Georgia at the time of the effective date of this Ordinance shall be and are hereby made applicable
  to this Ordinance and shall remain in full force and effect.
- 51 <u>Section 5.</u> The effective date of this Ordinance shall be the date of adoption unless 52 otherwise specified herein.

ORDAINED this 4th day of March, 2019.

CITY OF LITHONIA, GEORGIA

Deborah A. Jackson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Robin Blount, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED BY:

City Attorney

## Exhibit A

