AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE 7.7.3(a) SUPPLEMENTAL LANDSCAPING PROVISIONS FOR RESIDENTIAL LOT TREES TO MODIFY THE RESIDENTIAL LOT TREE REQUIREMENTS WITHIN THE TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT - RESIDENTIAL (TOD-R) ZONING DISTRICT.

<u>Section 1.</u> Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Huntersville that the Zoning Ordinance is hereby amended as follows:

Under Article 7.7:

- .3 Supplemental Landscaping Provisions for Residential Lot Trees
 - (a) New Trees

In order to maintain or replenish the urban tree canopy in areas of new residential subdivision, except when located in the TOD-R zoning district, each lot shall provide canopy trees in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Lot Size</u>	Required Number of Canopy Trees
Less than 10,000 sq. / ft.	1 Front yard, 1 Rear yard
10,001 – 15,000 sq. / ft.	1 Front yard, 2 Rear yard
15,001 – 20,000 sq. / ft.	2 Front yard, 2 Rear yard
More than 20,000 sq. / ft.	3 Front yard, 3 Rear yard

Section 2. That this ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: June 15, 2015
PLANNING BOARD MEETING: June 23, 2015
PLANNING BOARD RECOMMENDATION:
TOWN BOARD DECISION: