AN ORDINANCE TO ANNEX CERTAIN NONCONTIGUOUS AREAS TO THE TOWN OF HUNTERSVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

ANNEXATION ORDINANCE 2015-05

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has been petitioned under G.S. 160A-58, as amended, to annex the area described herein; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has by Resolution of Intent to Annex adopted by the Board of Commissioners on the 19th day of October, 2015, pursuant to N.C.G.S.160A-58.7; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has by resolution directed the Town Clerk to investigate the sufficiency of said petition; and

WHEREAS, the Town Clerk has certified the sufficiency of said petition and a public hearing on the question of this annexation was held at Huntersville Town Hall at 6:30 p.m. on the 16th day of November, 2015, after due notice by publication in The Charlotte Observer on November 1, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners does hereby find as a fact that said petition meets the requirements of G.S. 160A-58, as amended, namely (i) the area described herein meets all of the standards set out in G.S. 160A-58; (ii) the petition bears the signatures of all of the owners of real property within the area proposed for annexation; (iii) the petition is otherwise valid; (iv) the public health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the city and of the area proposed for annexation will be best served by the annexation;

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners does hereby find as a fact that:

- 1. The nearest point on the proposed satellite corporate limits is not more than three (3) miles from the primary corporate limits of the Town of Huntersville;
- 2. The entire subdivision is included in the proposed annexation;
- 3. The area within the proposed satellite corporate limits, when added to the area within all other satellite corporate limits of the Town of Huntersville, will not exceed ten (10) percent of the area within the primary corporate limits of the Town of Huntersville; and
- 4. The area to be annexed is so situated that the Town will be able to provide the same service within the proposed satellite corporate limits that it provides within the primary corporate limits of the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Huntersville, North Carolina;

Section 1. By virtue of the authority granted by G.S. 160A-58, as amended, the following described territory is hereby annexed and made part of the Town of Huntersville as of the 16th day of November, 2015:

See Exhibit A attached hereto for a metes and bounds description of the subject tract

Section 2. Upon and after the 16th day of November 2015, the above described territory and its citizens and property shall be subject to all debts, laws, ordinances and regulations in force in the Town of Huntersville and

shall be entitled to the same privileges and benefits as other parts of the Town of Huntersville. Said territory shall be subject to municipal taxes according to G.S. 160A-58.10.

Section 3. The Mayor of the Town of Huntersville shall cause to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg County, and in the office of the Secretary of State at Raleigh, North Carolina, an accurate map of the annexed territory, described in Section 1 hereof, together with a duly certified copy of this ordinance. Such a map shall also be delivered to the County Board of Elections, as required by G.S. 163-288.1.

| Adopted this 16th day of November, 2015. | Mayor: | | |
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| ATTEST: | | APPROVED AS TO FORM: | |
| Town Clark | | Тогот Аманган | |
| Town Clerk | | Town Attorney | |