ORDINANCE NO. -

TOWN OF BLUFFTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 26 OF THE TOWN CODE, TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLES, BY AMENDING ARTICLE VII, TOWING AND WRECKER SERVICES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING THE SAFE AND EFFICIENT REMOVAL, STORAGE, AND SAFEKEEPING OF CERTAIN TOWED VEHICLES

WHEREAS, the Town of Bluffton desires to improve the general safety, welfare, health and properties of the citizens of the Town of Bluffton; and,

WHEREAS, to establish the necessary provisions to accomplish the above, the Town of Bluffton has the authority to enact resolutions, ordinances, regulations, and procedures pursuant to Section 5-7-30 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Bluffton Town Council shall from time to time examine ordinances to ensure that they are properly regarded, enforced, sufficient and satisfactory to the needs of the community and can further suggest amendments as Town Council deems appropriate; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Bluffton Town Council desires to amend Chapter 26, Traffic and Motor Vehicles, by amending Article VII, Towing and Wrecker Services, to enable the Town of Bluffton to better regulate, supervise and provide consistent treatment throughout the Town for businesses and citizens alike.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BLUFFTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, in accordance with the foregoing, the Town hereby amends the Code of Ordinances for the Town of Bluffton as follows:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. The Town of Bluffton hereby amends Chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances for the Town of Bluffton, South Carolina, by amending Chapter 26, Article VII, Towing and Wrecker Services, as shown on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and fully incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES. All ordinances or parts of ordinances that are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 3. ORDINANCE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT. This entire Ordinance shall take full force and effect upon adoption.

DONE, RATIFIED AND ENACTED this 9th Day of April, 2024.

This Ordinance was read and passed at first reading on March 12, 2024.

Larry Toomer, Mayor Town of Bluffton, South Carolina

ATTEST:

Marcia Hunter, Town Clerk Town of Bluffton, South Carolina

This Ordinance was read and passed at second reading on April 9, 2024.

Larry Toomer, Mayor Town of Bluffton, South Carolina

ATTEST:

Marcia Hunter, Town Clerk Town of Bluffton, South Carolina