

**TO:** City of Dacula City Council and Mayor  
**FROM:** Brittni Nix, City Administrator  
**DATE:** July 27, 2023  
**SUBJECT:** Ordinance to amend Chapter 10, Article VI of the City Code

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The City is part of the Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District (MNGWPD). The organization has mandated several amendments and updates to model codes to promote stormwater and runoff management. The amendments would ensure responsible water usage and compliance with our obligations as a member of the water planning district by January 1, 2024.

Proposed amendments to the Post-Development Stormwater Management Ordinance are to add a practicability policy that makes the City of Dacula's runoff reduction practices more comprehensive. The practicability policy provides a set process to determine waivers and reductions for proposed site developments on a case-by-case basis, allowing the City to be more effective in its stormwater reduction practices.

Staff recommends approving the provided Ordinance to amend the City's Post-Development Stormwater Management Ordinance as recommended by the District. The changes would take effect January 1, 2024.