RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION OF EFFINGHAM COUNTY, GEORGIA, EXTENDING AN EXISTING MORATORIUM ON RESIDENTIAL RE-ZONINGS FOR PROPERTY TO BE USED FOR R-3 MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL AND R-6 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Effingham County, Georgia, (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") directed Development Services to evaluate possible revisions to the Effingham County Zoning Ordinance and development regulations with respect to the regulation of R-3 multi-family residential and R-6 single family development so as to address current development trends; and

WHEREAS, on May 17, 2022, the Board adopted Resolution No. 022-026 implementing a three-month moratorium (hereinafter referred to as "Moratorium") on re-zonings for property to be used for R-3 multifamily and R-6 single family residential district purposes; and

WHEREAS, on August 2, 2022, the Board adopted Resolution No. 022-033 implementing a fifty (50) day extension to the Moratorium on re-zonings for property to be used for R-3 multifamily and R-6 single family residential district purposes; and

WHEREAS, Development Services needs additional time to complete the revisions to the zoning ordinance; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the citizens of the County to extend the Moratorium; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF EFFINGHAM COUNTY, GEORGIA, in regular meeting assembled and pursuant to lawful authority thereof, as follows:

1. The Board does hereby extend the Moratorium until November 16, 2022.

2. The duration of this Moratorium shall be until this Board adopts amendments to its zoning ordinance, abandons this effort by vote of the Board, or until November 16, 2022.

3. The preamble of this Resolution shall be considered to be and is hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set out herein.

4. The proper officers and agents of the County are hereby authorized to take any and all further actions as may be required in connection with this Resolution.

5. The Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

SO ADOPTED THIS ____ DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF EFFINGHAM, COUNTY, GEORGIA

WESLEY CORBITT, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

STEPHANIE JOHNSON, CLERK

[COUNTY SEAL]