Draft Ordinance: subject to modification by Town Council based on deliberations and direction

DRAFT ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOS GATOS TO APPLY THE HOUSING ELEMENT OVERLAY ZONE (HEOZ) TO PROVIDE FOR INCREASES TO THE ALLOWABLE DENSITY, HEIGHT, FLOOR AREA RATIO, AND LOT COVERAGE FOR RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT ON THE FOLLOWING SITES INCLUDED IN THE SITES INVENTORY ANALYSIS OF THE 2023-2031 HOUSING ELEMENT: 401 THROUGH 409 ALBERTO WAY, 50 LOS GATOS-SARATOGA ROAD, 529-24-001, AND 529-24-003.

WHEREAS, the Town of Los Gatos' Housing Element contains a sites inventory that identifies sites with the potential for redevelopment with housing;

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to apply a Housing Element Overlay Zone to the sites identified in the sites inventory in order to encourage redevelopment with housing;

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission met on August 23, 2023, to receive public comments;

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission received further public comments and recommended approval of the application of the Housing Element Overlay Zone to the sites identified in sites inventory of the Housing Element adopted on January 30th and the Revised Draft Housing Element at its regular meeting of September 13, 2023;

WHEREAS, this matter was regularly noticed in conformance with State and Town law and came before the Town Council for public hearing on October 3, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council accepted the report of the Planning Commission's recommendation of approval for the proposed Zone Code amendments; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOS GATOS ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I

The Town Council finds as follows:

- A. No further Environmental Analysis is required as an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) was prepared and certified for the 2040 General Plan Update on June 30, 2022, which included the proposed Zone Code amendments; and
- B. The zone changes are consistent with the General Plan and its elements in that the

proposed zonings are consistent with the proposed General Plan land use designations; and

- C. That all proceedings have been conducted in compliance with the provisions of Government Code Section 65850 et seq.; and
- D. The Town Council considered all facts and information related to the proposal to apply the Housing Element Overlay Zone to the sites shown in Exhibit A.

SECTION II

The Housing Element Overlay Zone is hereby applied to the properties at 401 through 409 Alberto Way, 50 Los Gatos-Saratoga Road, APN Nos. 529-24-001, and 529-24-003 as shown in Exhibit A to this Ordinance.

SECTION III

Ordinance October 3, 2023

ATTEST:	
TOWN CLERK OF THE TOWN OF LOS GATO LOS GATOS, CALIFORNIA)S
DATE:	

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