AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA AMENDING SECTION 429.1 ("FLOOD HAZARD DISTRICT") OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE, SUB-SECTION 1, TO ADD CITATION TO **OKLAHOMA** STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR LOCAL REGULATION; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

That, Section 429.1(1) of Chapter 22 of the Code of the City of Norman be amended to § 1. define the statutory authorization granted by the State of Oklahoma to local governmental units.

1. Statutory Authorization, Description and Purpose. The Legislature of the State of Oklahoma has in the Oklahoma Floodplain Management Act, Sections 1601 through 1620.1 of Title 82 of the Oklahoma Statutes, delegated the responsibility, and authorized local governments, to adopt and enforce regulations designed to minimize flood losses within this Flood Hazard District. The Flood Hazard District includes special flood hazard areas which are subject to periodic or occasional flooding during a one percent chance flood, and for which special regulations are applied in addition to or in combination with other zoning regulations applying to these areas to guide the type and manner of floodplain use so that it is consistent with the land use needs of the City of Norman. The City of Norman thus declares that it is the purpose of this Flood Hazard District to exercise this delegated authority, to promote the public health, safety and general welfare and to minimize public and private losses due to flood conditions in specific areas by provisions designed to:

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§ 2. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

| ADOPTED this | day     | NOT ADOPTED this | day     |
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| of           | , 2022. | of               | , 2022. |
| (Mayor)      |         | (Mayor)          |         |

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ATTEST:

(City Clerk)