AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVING THE ANNEXATION OF APPROXIMATELY 0.29 ACRES OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 1167 NORTH OAKWOOD AVE AND ADJACENT RIGHT-OF-WAY

WHEREAS, the City of Republic, Missouri, ("City" or "Republic") is a municipal corporation and Charter City located in Greene County, Missouri, being duly created, organized, and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri; and

WHEREAS, the City's BUILDS Department received a voluntary petition ("Application") for the annexation of approximately 0.29 acres of land located at 1167 North Oakwood Avenue with an adjacent right-of-way ("Realty"); and

WHEREAS, the Realty is adjacent and contiguous to the present corporate limits of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City set a public hearing before the City Council for October 3, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City submitted the Application to the City Council for a public hearing, and scheduled the public hearing before the Council for October 3, 2023, such hearing being held no less than fourteen (14) days nor more than sixty (60) days after receipt of the Application; and

WHEREAS, on September 20, 2023, the City published notice of the time and date for the public hearing in the *Greene County Commonwealth*, a newspaper of general circulation in the City, such notice being no less than seven (7) days before the date set for the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, on October 3, 2023, the Council conducted the public hearing, at which all interested persons and entities were afforded the opportunity to present evidence or statements and to otherwise be heard on the matter; and

WHEREAS, no written objections to the proposed annexation were filed with the Council within fourteen (14) days after the date of the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds the proposed annexation is reasonable and necessary for the City's development, and further finds the City has the ability to furnish normal municipal services to the area within a reasonable time.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REPUBLIC, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The Realty, more fully described herein below, is hereby annexed into and made a part of the City of Republic, Missouri, and its boundaries are hereby extended to include the same:

BEGINNING 338.0 FEET NORTH AND 20 FEET WEST OF SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE1/4) OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW1/4) OF SECTION SIXTEEN (16), TOWNSHIP TWENTY-EIGHT (28) NORTH, RANGE TWENTY-THREE (23) WEST; THENCE WEST 150 FEET; THENCE NORTH 90.0 FEET; THENCE EAST 150.0 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 90.0 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, GREENE COUNTY, MISSOURI

- **Section 2:** The City Clerk is hereby directed to cause three certified copies of this Ordinance to be filed with the Greene County Clerk's office and one original copy to be recorded by the Recorder of Deeds.
- Section 3: The City Clerk is hereby directed to forward to the director of revenue of the State of Missouri by the United States registered mail or certified mail a certified copy of this Ordinance.
- **Section 4**: The WHEREAS clauses above are specifically incorporated herein by reference.
- **Section 5**: The provisions of this Ordinance are severable and if any provision hereof is declared invalid, unconstitutional, or unenforceable, such determination shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Ordinance.
- **Section 6:** This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Republic, Missouri, this ______ day of ______, 2023.

Attest:

Matt Russell, Mayor

Laura Burbridge, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

Megan McCullough, City Attorney

Final Passage and Vote: