#### STATE OF GEORGIA DEKALB COUNTY CITY OF STONECREST

### ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_-

1	AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF STONECREST
2	GEORGIA, BY AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF CITY OF
3	STONECREST, GEORGIA BYAMENDING CERTAIN PARCELS IN DISTRICT 1 OF
4	THE CITY OF STONECREST; TO PROVIDE SEVERABILITY; TO PROVIDE A
5	PENALTY; TO PROVIDE FOR REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO
6	PROVIDE FOR AN ADOPTION AND EFFECTIVE DATE; AND TO PROVIDE FOR
7	OTHER LAWFUL PUPOSES.
8 9	WHEREAS, the governing body of the City of Stonecrest ("City") is the Mayor and
10 11	City Council thereof; and
12 13	WHEREAS, Article IX, Section II, Paragraph IV of the 1983 Constitution of the State of
14 15	Georgia authorizes the City to adopt plans and exercise the power of zoning; and
16 17	WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City is authorized by O.C.G.A. § 36-35-3 to
17 18 19	adopt ordinances relating to its property, affairs, and local government; and
20	WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City has considered one or more of the criteria
21	of a rezoning request, provided in Section Sec. 7.3.1. Division 3 Zoning And Comprehensive
22	Plan Amendments and Procedures of Article VII ("Administration") in Chapter 27 ("Zoning") or
23	the Code of Ordinances, City of Stonecrest, Georgia; and
24 25	WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council desire to amend Official Zoning Map,

26	City of Stonecrest, Georgia, by amending Parcels 16-125-01-002, 16-125-01-153, 16-124-01-003,
27	16-132-01-019, and 16-132-01-001 in District 1; and
28	WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City desires to rezone the following parcels of
29	real property found in Exhibit A and attached hereto; and
30 31	WHEREAS, from time-to-time amendments may be proposed for public necessity,
32 33	general welfare, or sound zoning practice that justify such action; and
34 35	WHEREAS, the City at its incorporation adopted the DeKalb County zoning map which
36 37	rezoned the two of the five total parcels that comprise the subject property from R-100 (Single
38 39	Family Residential) to M (Light Industrial) and M-2 (Heavy Industrial) zoning district pursuant to
40 41	zoning ordinance Z-81143 in November 24, 1981 when the subject parcels were then located in
42 43	unincorporated DeKalb County, Georgia; and
44 45	WHEREAS, the November 24, 1981 zoning ordinance Z-81143 had seventeen conditions
46 47	(17) which prevents owner of subject property to develop a three-building warehouse therein that
48 49	would create a uniform zoning for the development in the area, to allow the consolidation and
50 51	replating of the subject property in the future, and amend the conditions of zoning to better align
52 53	with current design practices for the proposed development; and
54 55	WHEREAS, the City desires the owner of subject property to update the legal description
56 57	of the subject property and have it properly recorded with the DeKalb Superior Court to comply
58 59	with the zoning requirements for a three-building warehouse on the subject property; and
60 61	WHEREAS, the City desires to change the subject properties from M (Light Industrial)
62 63	District and M-2 (Heavy Industrial) District to M (Light Industrial) District to allow the
64	development of a three-building warehouse that will complement the existing industrial

obligations to update the legal description of its subject properties; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Planning and Planning Commission recommend approval based on the City Staff Report and said report is hereby incorporated by reference herein; and

been properly held prior to the adoption of this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing pursuant to the provisions of the Zoning Procedures Act has

development in the area and will fully mitigate its impacts on the adjacent single family residentials

to the north and west of the subject properties after the owner of the subject properties meets its

**WHEREAS,** the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City will be positively impacted by the adoption of this Ordinance.

BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL **OF THE CITY OF STONECREST, GEORGIA,** and by the authority thereof:

**Section 1.** The parcels of real property found in Exhibit "A" are hereby rezoned to the zoning designation of M (Light Industrial) District as said designation is described in Chapter 27 ("Zoning") of the Code of Ordinances, City of Stonecrest, Georgia.

**Section 2.** The rezoning of said parcels is indicated on the map which is attached hereto as Exhibit "B" and is incorporated herein by reference. The rezoning indicated in Section 1 herein and in Exhibit A attached hereto is to be noted on the official City of Stonecrest Zoning Map approved by the City's Mayor and Council as soon as reasonably possible following adoption of this Ordinance, along with an editorial note on the official City of Stonecrest Zoning Map specifying the parcels affected by this Ordinance and the date of adoption of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Stonecrest, Georgia is hereby amended by replacing the portion of the Official Zoning Map, City of Stonecrest, Georgia, Parcels 16-125-01-002, 16-125-01-153, 16-124-01-003, 16-132-01-019, and 16-132-01-001 in District 1 as depicted in Exhibit A attached hereto and made part by reference, and adopting the provisions set forth in Exhibit B attached hereto and made a part by reference.

<u>Section 4.</u> That the rezoning of the subject properties is in alignment with the comprehensive plan and it does not require an amendment.

<u>Section 5.</u> The preamble of this Ordinance shall be considered to be and is hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set out herein.

Section 6. (a) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance are or were, upon their enactment, believed by the Mayor and Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

(b) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, no section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance.

(c) In the event that any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section of this Ordinance shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional, or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the Mayor and Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any

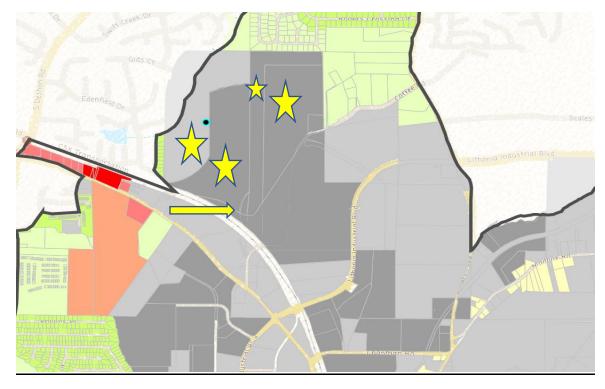
125	of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or section of the Ordinance and that, to				
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127 128	the greatest extent allowed by law, all remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and				
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134	correct any scrivener's errors found in this Ordinance, including its exhibits, as enacted.				
135	Section 8. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby				
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137	expressly repealed.				
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139	<b>Section 9.</b> The Ordinance shall be codified in a manner consistent with the laws of the				
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141	State of Georgia and the City of Stonecrest.				
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[SIGNATURES TO FOLLOW]

### CITY OF STONECREST, GEORGIA

		George Turner, Mayor Pro Tem
	ATTEST:	
	City Clerk	
	APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
	City Attorney	
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# EXHIBIT A (SEE ATTACHED)



Address: 2300, 2330, 2368, 2376 South Stone Mountain Lithonia Rd and 1801 Coffee Rd.

Current Zoning: M (Light Industrial) and M-2 (Heavy Industrial)

**Proposed Zoning: M (Light Industrial)** 

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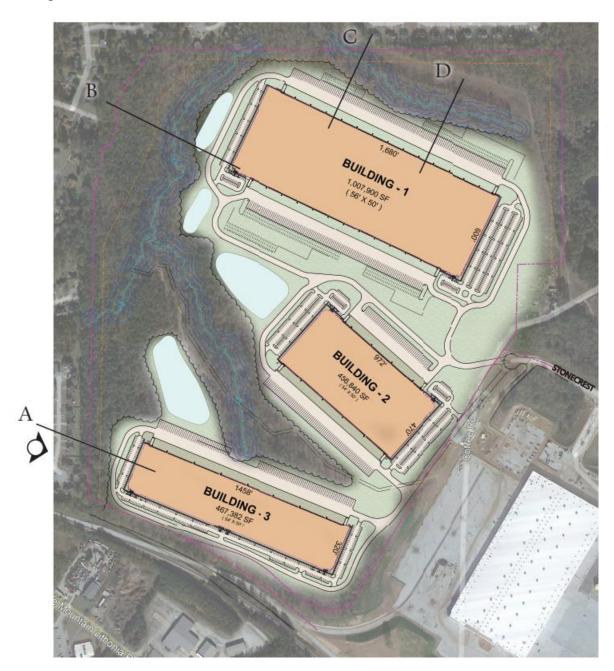
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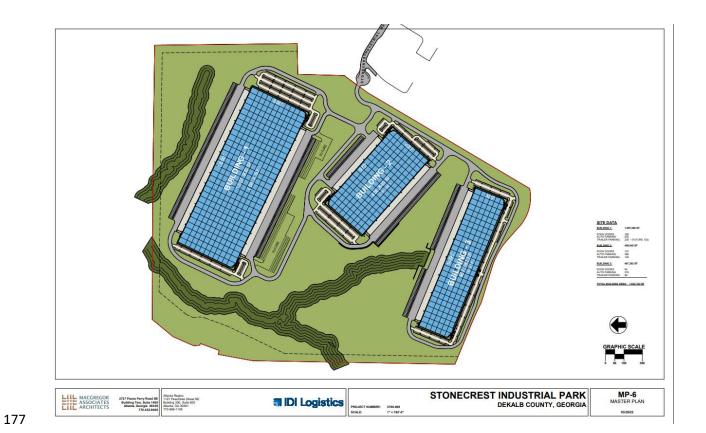
Aerial Map











# EXHIBIT B (SEE ATTACHED)

215	CHAPTER 27: ZONING ORDINANCE
216 217	Official Zoning Map, City of Stonecrest, Georgia, Arabia Mountain Conservation Overlay District
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