

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022-38**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TOMBALL, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 50 (ZONING) OF THE TOMBALL CODE OF ORDINANCES BY CHANGING THE ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION OF APPROXIMATELY 17.08 ACRES OF LAND LEGALLY DESCRIBED AS BEING LOTS 1, 2, 3, AND 4 OF TOMBALL BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY PARK FROM THE SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL - 20 (SF-20) DISTRICT TO THE LIGHT INDUSTRIAL (LI) DISTRICT, BEING LOCATED WITHIN THE 1900 BLOCK OF S. PERSIMMON STREET (EAST AND WEST SIDE), PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY OF AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000 FOR EACH DAY OF VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION HEREOF, MAKING FINDINGS OF FACT; AND PROVIDING FOR OTHER RELATED MATTERS.**

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**Whereas**, Tomball Economic Development Corporation and Tortuga Operating Company has requested that approximately 17.08 acres of land legally described as being Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 of Tomball Business and Technology Park, Section 2, located in the 1900 block of S. Persimmon Street, within the City of Tomball, Harris County, Texas, (the “Property”), be rezoned; and

**Whereas**, at least fifteen (15) days after publication in the official newspaper of the City of the time and place of a public hearing and at least ten (10) days after written notice of that hearing was mailed to the owners of land within two hundred feet of the Property in the manner required by law, the Planning & Zoning Commission held a public hearing on the requested rezoning; and

**Whereas**, the public hearing was held before the Planning & Zoning Commission at least forty (40) calendar days after the City’s receipt of the requested rezoning; and

**Whereas**, the Planning & Zoning Commission recommended in its final report that City Council approve the requested rezoning of the Light Industrial District; and

**Whereas**, at least fifteen (15) days after publication in the official newspaper of the City of the time and place of a public hearing for the requested rezoning, the City Council held the public hearing for the requested rezoning and the City Council considered the final report of the Planning & Zoning Commission; and

**Whereas**, the City Council deems it appropriate to grant the requested rezoning.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOMBALL, TEXAS, THAT:**

**Section 1.** The facts and matters set forth in the preamble of this Ordinance are hereby found to be true and correct.

**Section 2.** The zoning classification of the Property is hereby changed from the Single Family Residential - 20 District to the Light Industrial subject to the regulations, restrictions, and conditions hereafter set forth.

**Section 3.** The Official Zoning Map of the City of Tomball, Texas shall be revised and amended to show the designation of the Property as Light Industrial District, with the appropriate reference thereon to the number and effective date of this Ordinance and a brief description of the nature of the change.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance shall in no manner amend, change, supplement, or revise any provision of any ordinance of the City of Tomball, save and except the change in zoning classification for the Property to the Commercial District as described above.

**Section 5.** In the event any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, provision, sentence, or part of this Ordinance or the application of the same to any person or circumstance shall for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect, impair, or invalidate this Ordinance as a whole or any part or provision hereof other than the part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional; and the City Council of Tomball, Texas, declares that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, or whether there be one or more parts.

**Section 6.** Any person who shall violate any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, shall be fined in an amount not to exceed \$2,000. Each day of violation shall constitute a separate offense.

FIRST READING:

READ, PASSED, AND APPROVED AS SET OUT BELOW AT THE MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOMBALL HELD ON THE 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER 2022.

COUNCILMAN FORD	<u>AYE</u>
COUNCILMAN STOLL	<u>AYE</u>
COUNCILMAN DUNAGIN	<u>AYE</u>
COUNCILMAN TOWNSEND	<u>ABSENT</u>
COUNCILMAN PARR	<u>AYE</u>

SECOND READING:

READ, PASSED, AND APPROVED AS SET OUT BELOW AT THE MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOMBALL HELD ON THE 19<sup>th</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2022.

COUNCILMAN FORD	_____
COUNCILMAN STOLL	_____
COUNCILMAN DUNAGIN	_____
COUNCILMAN TOWNSEND	_____
COUNCILMAN PARR	_____

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Lori Klein Quinn, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Doris Speer, City Secretary

**Exhibit “A”**



Location: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 of Tomball Business and Technology Park, Section 2