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City of Stuart
121 SW Flagler Street
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ORDINANCE No. 2452-2021

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF STUART, FLORIDA, ANNEXING, ALLOCATING A FUTURE LAND USE OF CONSERVATION AND ALLOCATING A ZONING CATEGORY OF PUBLIC FOR FOUR (4) CITY OWNED PROPERTIES ADJACENT TO HANEY CREEK AND NW BAKER ROAD AND WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO A FLORIDA COMMUNITIES TRUST GRANT AWARD AGREEMENT AND BEING MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN EXHIBITS A1, A2, A3 and A4 ATTACHED HERETO; PROVIDING DIRECTIONS TO THE CITY CLERK; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, The City of Stuart as petitioner, constituting the fee simple title holder to the four (4) parcels consisting of a combined 42.46 acres, more particularly described in **Exhibits "A1, A2, A3 and A4"**, attached hereto and made a part thereof, has voluntarily requested the City of Stuart annex said land into the corporate limits of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission, has considered the Petitioner's voluntary request for annexation, and has also considered the recommendation of the Stuart Local Planning Agency and City staff.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF STUART:

SECTION 1. Findings. The City Commission finds the above statements are true and

correct,

and serve as a basis for consideration of this ordinance; that said lands are contiguous with the corporate limits of the City of Stuart, creates no enclaves, is reasonably compact, and that the City can effectively provide police, fire, and sanitary services to said land, all in compliance with the terms and requirements of Sec. 171.44, Florida Statutes, and the City of Stuart Code.

SECTION 2. Annexation. The parcels of lands more particularly described in **Exhibits "A1, A2, A3 and A4"**, are hereby annexed into and shall be within the corporate limits of the City of Stuart, Florida, and that same shall henceforth be a part of said City as if said lands were originally a part of the City of Stuart.

SECTION 3. Future Land Use. The parcels of lands more particularly described in **Exhibits "A1, A2, A3 and A4"**, are hereby designated a City of Stuart Future Land Use of Conservation.

SECTION 4. Zoning. The parcels of lands more particularly described in **Exhibits "A1, A2, A3 and A4"**, are hereby designated a City of Stuart zoning category of Public.

SECTION 5. Directions to the City Clerk. The City Clerk shall cause the boundaries as set forth in the City's Charter to be amended and codified. The City Clerk shall submit such documentation as required by law to give effect to this ordinance to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Board of County Commissioners Florida Statute 171.044(6) within 10 days prior to second reading adoption, the Chief Administrative Officer of Martin County, and the Florida Department of State within seven (7) days following adoption, in accordance with Section 171.044, Florida Statutes. Upon complete execution of this Ordinance, the City Clerk is directed to record a Certified Copy of the same in the Public Records of Martin County, Florida.

SECTION 6. Repeal of Conflicting Ordinances. All Ordinances, Resolutions or parts of Ordinances and Resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7. Severability. If any word, clause, sentence, paragraph, section or part thereof contained in this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional, unenforceable, void or inoperative by a court of competent jurisdiction, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Ordinance. The corporate boundary of the City shall be re-codified to include lands annexed.

SECTION 8. The effective date of this plan amendment: If the amendment is not timely challenged, shall be 31 days after the state land planning agency notifies the local government that the plan amendment package is complete. If the amendment is timely challenged, this amendment shall become effective on the date the state land planning agency or the Administration Commission enters a final order determining this adopted amendment to be in compliance. No development orders, development permits, or development dependent on this amendment may be issued or commence before it has become effective.

SECTION 9. Adoption. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

Passed on first reading the ____ day of _____, 2021.

Commissioner _____ offered the foregoing Ordinance and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a roll call vote, the vote was as follows:

EULA R. CLARKE, MAYOR
MERRITT MATHESON, VICE MAYOR
BECKY BRUNER, COMMISSIONER
TROY MCDONALD, COMMISSIONER
MIKE MEIER, COMMISSIONER

YES	NO	ABSENT	ABSTAIN

ADOPTED on second and final reading this _____ day of _____, 2021.

ATTEST:

MARY R. KINDEL
CITY CLERK

EULA R. CLARKE
MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND CORRECTNESS:

MICHAEL J. MORTELL, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY
Exhibits