ORDINANCE NO. 13150

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHATTANOOGA CITY CODE, PART II, CHAPTER 38, BY AMENDING ARTICLE XVI, SECTIONS 38-728 AND 38-729 TO REDUCE LOT AREA AND WIDTH REQUIREMENTS IN THE RA (RESIDENTIAL ATTACHED) ZONE.

WHEREAS, the Downtown Chattanooga Form-Based Code was adopted by the Chattanooga City Council on June 21, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Form-Based Code regulates minimum lot size and width in each zone; and

WHEREAS, properties within the Form-Based Code boundary are organized into four Context Areas and numerous Zones representing varying degrees of development intensity; and

WHEREAS, minimum lot sizes and widths are intended to be smaller for zones with progressively higher development intensity levels, and

WHEREAS, the RA (Residential Attached) Zone and the RM (Residential Multi-Unit) Zone allow higher development intensity than the RD (Residential Detached) zone.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That Chattanooga City Code, Part II, Chapter 38, Article XVI, Sections 38-728(2)(A) and 38-728(2)(B) be amended to replace same in its entirety and substituted in lieu thereof the following:

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| Lot | A. Area | B. Width |
|----------------------------|--------------|----------|
| Single-Unit detached | 3,000 SF min | 30' min |
| Two-unit | 4,000 SF min | 40' min |
| Single-unit attached | 1,700 SF min | 20' min |
| Multi-unit (up to 4 units) | 7,500 SF min | 75' min |
| Public | 5,000 SF min | 50' min |

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That Chattanooga City Code, Part II, Chapter 38, Article XVI, Sections 38-729(2)(A) and 38-729(2)(B) be amended to replace same in its entirety and substituted in lieu thereof the following:

| Lot | A. Area | B. Width |
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| Single-Unit detached | 3,000 SF min | 30' min |
| Two-unit | 4,000 SF min | 40' min |
| Single-unit attached | 1,700 SF min | 20' min |
| Multi-unit (up to 4 units) | 7,500 SF min | 75' min |
| Multi-unit (5+ units) | 10,000 SF min | 100' min |
| Public | 5,000 SF min | 50' min |

<u>SECTION 3</u>. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance shall take effect two (2) weeks from and after its passage.

Passed on second and final reading: January 17, 2017

CHAIRPERSON

APPROVED: DISAPPROVED:

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MAYOR