ORDINANCE 2019-49

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS AMENDING CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS TECHNICAL MANUAL DATED JANUARY 2012, AMENDING CHAPTER 1 – SECTION II REFERENCES, ABBREVIATIONS, AND DEFINITIONS AND ADDING STREET TYPICAL STREET CROSS_SECTIONS, AS ATTACHED IN EXHIBIT A; PROVIDING FOR FINDINGS OF FACT, ADOPTION, ENFORCEMENT, A REPEALER AND SEVERABILITY; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.

WHEREAS, House Bill 3167 of the 86th Session of the Texas Legislature requires that a subdivision development plan, subdivision construction plan, site plan, land development application, site development plan, preliminary plat, general plan, final plat, and replat be approved, approved with conditions, or disapproved by staff and/or Planning & Zoning Commission within 30 days of submission or it is deemed approved by inaction; and

WHEREAS, Texas Local Government Code Chapter 212, Subchapter A. Regulation of Subdivisions, Section 212.002. Rules grants authority to a governing body of a municipality, after conducting a public hearing on the matter, to adopt rules governing plats and subdivisions of land within the municipality's jurisdiction to promote the health, safety, morals, or general welfare of the municipality and the safe, orderly, and healthful development of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, City Council adopts a Construction Standards Technical Manual dated January 2012, adding typical street cross-sections and amending Chapter 5-Paving Standards for streets and sidewalks (B) Design Requirements, as attached in Exhibit A.

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

<u>SECTION 1.</u> FINDINGS OF FACT The foregoing recitals are incorporated into this Ordinance by reference as findings of fact as if expressly set forth herein.

SECTION 2. ADOPTION The City Council hereby amends the Construction Standards Technical Manual dated January 2012, adding typical street cross-sections and amending Chapter 5-Paving Standards for streets and sidewalks (B) Design Requirements, as attached in Exhibit A.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> REPEALER In the case of any conflict between other provisions of this Ordinance and any existing Ordinance of the City, the provisions of this Ordinance will control.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> SEVERABILITY If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, that invalidity or the unenforceability will not affect any other provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> **ENFORCEMENT** The City shall have the power to administer and enforce the provisions of this ordinance as may be required by governing law. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance is subject to suit for injunctive relief as well as prosecution for criminal violations, and such violation is hereby declared to be a nuisance.

Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as a waiver of the City's right to bring a civil action to enforce the provisions of this ordinance and to seek remedies as allowed by law and/or equity.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage and publication.

SECTION 7. OPEN MEETINGS It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.

READ & ACKNOWLEDGED on First Reading on the 22nd day of October 2019.

READ & APPROVED on the Second Reading on the 12th day of November 2019.

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM: