### AN ORDINANCE

# APPROVING THE AMENDMENT OF THE CHARLESTON COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN (TEXT AND MAPS) PROVISIONS TO IMPLEMENT THE FIVE-YEAR REVIEW.

WHEREAS, the Charleston County Council (the "County Council") adopted Ordinance No. 1095, effective April 20, 1999, with subsequent amendments and additions made thereto, which enacted and amended the Charleston County Comprehensive Plan (the "Comprehensive Plan") in compliance with the South Carolina Local Government Comprehensive Planning Enabling Act of 1994 (Title 6, Chapter 29 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended) ("Planning Act"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Planning Act, the County Council adopted Ordinance No. 1274, effective November 18, 2003, with subsequent amendments and additions made thereto, at the Five-Year review of the Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Planning Act, the County Council adopted Ordinance No. 1567, effective November 18, 2008, with subsequent amendments and additions made thereto, at the 10-Year Update of the Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Charleston County Planning Commission (the "Planning Commission") adopted a resolution completing the Five-Year Review of the Comprehensive Plan on October 14, 2013, and directed staff to draft amendments to implement the findings of their review and gather public input on the proposed amendments; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission has reviewed the proposed amendments to the Comprehensive Plan in accordance with the procedures established in State law and the Charleston County Zoning and Land Development Regulations Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, upon receipt of the recommendation of the Planning Commission, County Council held at least 1 public hearing and after close of the public hearing, County Council approves the proposed amendments to the Comprehensive Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the County Council of Charleston County, South Carolina, in meetings duly assembled, as follows:

#### SECTION I. FINDINGS INCORPORATED

The above recitals and findings are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Ordinance.

#### SECTION II. AMENDMENTS TO THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

County Council amends the Comprehensive Plan provisions to implement the findings of the Five-Year Review.

## SECTION III. SEVERABILITY

If, for any reason, any part of this Ordinance is invalidated by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining portions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION IV. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its approval following third reading by the County Council.

ADOPTED and APPROVED in meeting duly assembled this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2015.

CHARLESTON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

By: \_

J. Elliott Summey Chairman, Charleston County Council

ATTEST:

By:

Beverly T. Craven Clerk to County Council

First Reading:	December 9, 2014
Second Reading	December 18, 2014
Third Reading:	January 6, 2015