

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCATED ON WATERMARK WAY,
APPROXIMATELY 10 ACRES, MAP 073, P/O PARCEL 021.00 FROM WILSON
COUNTY R-1 TO RS-20.**

WHEREAS, the subject rezoning request is consistent with the findings required in the zoning ordinance, and;

WHEREAS, the City of Mt. Juliet Regional Planning Commission considered this request during their meeting on September 18, 2025, and forwarded a positive recommendation (5-1-0) for approval to the Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing before the City Commission of the City of Mt. Juliet was held on _____, 2025 and notice thereof published in the Chronicle of Mt. Juliet on October 15, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mt. Juliet Board of Commissioners desires to rezone 10 acres of property located on Watermark Way, map 073, p/o parcel 44.0, from Wilson County R-1, low density residential, to RS-20, medium density residential.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF MT. JULIET, TENNESSEE, WHILE IN REGULAR SESSION ON _____, 2025 as follows:

Section 1. REZONING. Resolution No. 20-2022 (Zoning Map), adopted March 28, 2022, is hereby amended and altered by rezoning 10 acres of property located on Watermark Way, map 073, p/o parcel 44.0, from Wilson County R-1, low density residential, to RS-20, medium density residential (Exhibit B), subject to the conditions below:

Planning and Zoning:

1. Should the property be rezoned, the property is subject to the permitted uses and all regulations associated with RS-20 zoning.
2. The plan shall adhere to all requirements of 5.104.3, variable lot subdivisions, should the preliminary plat be formally submitted.
3. All requirements of 5-104.4, single family design guidelines, shall be adhered to, except any waivers granted by the Planning Commission.
4. Provide streetlighting per ordinance 25-24.
5. Fencing shall be decorative, low maintenance material.
6. Landscape plan comments are via separate cover.
7. Signage to be reviewed and approved via a separate application to the Planning Department.
8. The mail kiosk shall be lit.

9. Sign posts and other poles and posts shall be powdercoated black, channel posts are not permitted.
10. Landscape buffers shall be located in open space and maintained by the HOA.
11. A tree preservation plan is required by variable lot regulations at preliminary plat submittal.
12. Driveways shall be at least 22' long and 18' wide.
13. Perimeter landscape screening is required around detention/retention ponds.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION – See Exhibit A (attached)

Section 2. PUBLIC HEARING. The zoning changes were the subject of a public hearing held on _____ at 6:15 p.m.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED

Section 3. In case of conflict between this ordinance or any part hereof, and the whole part of any existing ordinance of the City, the conflicting ordinance is repealed to the extent of the conflict but no further.

Section 4. If any section, clause, or provision or portion of this ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect any other section, clause, or provision or portion of this ordinance.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect on the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED:

FIRST READING:

SECOND READING:

James Maness, Mayor

Kenny Martin, City Manager

ATTEST:

Jennifer Hamblen, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Samantha A. Burnett, City Attorney