Introduced and amended by the Land Use and Zoning Committee:

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ORDINANCE 2020-554

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING ADMINISTRATIVE DEVIATION AD-20-41,APPLICATION LOCATED ΙN COUNCIL DISTRICT 14 AT 4596 PRUNTY AVENUE, BETWEEN LAMBOLL AVENUE AND HAMILTON STREET (R.E. NO. 065399-0000) AS DESCRIBED HEREIN, OWNED BY FRANK ERWIN, REQUESTING TO REDUCE THE REQUIRED MINIMUM LOT WIDTH FROM 60 FEET TO 54.45 FEET, IN ZONING RESIDENTIAL LOW DENSITY-60 (RLD-60), AS DEFINED AND CLASSIFIED UNDER THE ZONING CODE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, an application for an administrative deviation, On File with the City Council Legislative Services Division, was filed by Frank Erwin, the owner of property located in Council District 14 at 4596 Prunty Avenue, between Lamboll Avenue and Hamilton Street (R.E. 065399-0000) (Subject Property), requesting to reduce the required minimum lot width from 60 feet to 54.45 feet, in Zoning District Residential Low Density-60 (RLD-60); and

WHEREAS, the Planning and Development Department has considered the application and all attachments thereto and has rendered an advisory recommendation; and

WHEREAS, the Land Use and Zoning Committee, after due notice held a public hearing and having duly considered both the testimonial and documentary evidence presented at the public hearing, has made its recommendation to the Council; now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Jacksonville: Section 1. Adoption of Findings and Conclusions. The Council has considered the recommendation of the Land Use and Zoning Committee and reviewed the Staff Report of the Planning and Development Department concerning administrative deviation Application AD-20-41, which requests to reduce the required minimum lot width from 60 feet to 54.45 feet. Based upon the competent, substantial evidence contained in the record, the Council hereby determines that the requested administrative deviation meets each of the following criteria required to grant the request pursuant to Section 656.109(h), Ordinance Code, as specifically identified in the Staff Report of the Planning and Development Department:

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- (1) There are practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation;
- (2) The request is not based exclusively upon a desire to reduce the cost of developing the site, but would accomplish some result that is in the public interest, such as, for example, furthering the preservation of natural resources by saving a tree or trees;
- (3) The proposed deviation will not substantially diminish property values in, nor alter the essential character of, the area surrounding the site and will not substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others whose property would be affected by the deviation;
- (4) The proposed deviation will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional public expense, the creation of nuisances, or conflict with any other applicable law;
- (5) The proposed deviation has been recommended by a City landscape architect, if the deviation is to reduce required landscaping; and
- (6) The effect of the proposed deviation is in harmony with the spirit and intent of the Zoning Code.

Therefore, administrative deviation Application AD-20-41 is hereby approved.

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Section 2. Owner and Description. The Subject Property is owned by Frank Erwin, and is described in Exhibit 1, dated August 21, 2020, and graphically depicted in Exhibit 2, both attached hereto.

Section 3. Distribution by Legislative Services. Legislative Services is hereby directed to mail a copy of this legislation, as enacted, to the applicant and any other parties to this matter who testified before the Land Use and Zoning Committee or otherwise filed a qualifying written statement as defined in Section 656.140(c), Ordinance Code.

Section 4. Effective Date. The enactment of this Ordinance shall be deemed to constitute a quasi-judicial action of the City Council and shall become effective upon signature by the Council President and Council Secretary.

/s/ Shannon K. Eller

Office of General Counsel

Legislation Prepared By: Bruce Lewis

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