RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE HUDSON HILL/BAYVIEW NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN

WHEREAS, the Hudson Hill/Bayview Neighborhood is defined as the area in the City of Savannah bounded by West Bay Street on the south, Savannah's municipal boundary on the north, East Lathrop Avenue on the east, and West Lathrop Avenue on the west; and

WHEREAS, Hudson Hill/Bayview Neighborhood residents and City staff have prepared a Neighborhood Plan to serve as a guide for future development, neighborhood improvements and capacity building; and

WHEREAS, the plan builds on the significant work undertaken by neighborhood leaders and residents beginning in the early 2000s to bring about lasting, positive change that supports the community's vision of a neighborhood "where families are safe, healthy and prosperous"; and

WHEREAS, the plan sets forth an action plan and implementation strategies to address neighborhood needs and aspirations in the areas of land use, public safety, housing and property maintenance, economic and workforce development, environment and health, and open space and recreation; and

WHEREAS, the goals and implementation strategies expressed in the Hudson Hill/Bayview Neighborhood Plan directly address strategic priorities in the Savannah Forward Strategic Plan, including Public Safety, Neighborhood Revitalization, and Economic Strength and Poverty Reduction; and

WHEREAS, the Hudson Hill/Bayview Neighborhood Plan is intended to be in effect for a five-year period after adoption; and

WHEREAS, the adoption of this plan does not guarantee or commit future City funds and other resources, which must be requested during normal budgetary planning and approval cycles and will compete with all other citywide priorities and needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Savannah, Georgia approve the adoption of the Hudson Hill/Bayview Neighborhood Plan.

Adopted this 23rd day of May, 2019

Eddie W. DeLoach, Mayor

Mark Massey, Clerk of Council