

**ORDINANCE NO. 24-\_\_\_\_\_**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE POLK COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS REGARDING THE ADOPTION OF AMENDMENT **LDCPAL 2024-1**; AN AMENDMENT TO THE POLK COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, ORDINANCE 92-36, AS AMENDED, TO CHANGE THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP FROM RESIDENTIAL LOW-X (RL-X) AND OFFICE CENTER-X (OCX) TO PRESERVATION-X (PRESVX) ON ±6.88 ACRES, LOCATED NORTH OF SOCRUM LOOP RD, EAST OF SOCRUM LOOP RD N, WEST OF GRADY MOCK RD, NORTH OF THE CITY OF LAKELAND, SECTION 18, TOWNSHIP 27, RANGE 24; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Article VIII, Section I(g) of the Constitution of the State of Florida and the Community Planning Act, Chapter 163, Part II, Florida Statutes (FS), as amended, (the Act) Polk County is authorized and required to adopt a Comprehensive Plan (Plan); and

**WHEREAS**, Section 163.3187, FS, and Comprehensive Plan Section 4.305.B, provides for the approval of Small-Scale Comprehensive Plan Amendments; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 163.3174, FS, the Local Planning Authority (Planning Commission) conducted a public hearing, with due public notice having been provided, on the proposed Plan revisions on June 5, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 163.3187(2), FS, the Board of County Commissioners conducted an adoption public hearing, with due public notice having been provided, on the proposed Plan revisions on August 6, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners, reviewed and considered all comments received during said public hearing, and provided for necessary revisions; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Polk County Board of County Commissioners:

## **SECTION 1: COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT**

The Future Land Use Map of Ordinance No. 92-36, as amended, (the “Polk County Comprehensive Plan”) is hereby amended to reflect a change in the Future Land Use designation on a 6.88 +/- acre site from Residential Low-1X (RL-1X) and Office Center-X (OCX) to Preservation-X (PRESVX) in the Urban Growth Area (UGA) on the parcel listed below and graphically depicted on the parcel map in Attachment “A”.

Parcel 224271-8000000-042040

DRAINAGE R/W PCL 108 AS DESC IN OR 3444-1898 & PCL 126 AS DESC IN OR 4989-2238 FURTHER DESC AS COMM S1/4 COR SEC RUN N 35 FT W 25 FT TO E R/W GRADY MACK N ALONG R/W 28.5 FT W 900.89 FT TO POB N 340 FT W 105 FT N 587.07 FT W 282.96 FT S 927.62 FT TO N R/W SOCRUM LP RD E ALONG R/W 391.86 FT TO POB

## **SECTION 2: SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Ordinance is held to be illegal, invalid, or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction the other provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

## **SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE**

This ordinance shall be effective on January 17th, 2025 (31 days after adoption) unless the amendment is challenged. If challenged, the effective date of this ordinance shall be the date a Final Order is issued by the Department of Economic Opportunity or Administration Commission finding the amendment in compliance in accordance with Section 163.3184 (1)(b), Florida Statutes. No development orders, development permits, or land uses dependent upon this amendment, as described on the attached map of proposed land uses, may be issued or commence before it has become effective.

## **SECTION 4: FILING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE:**

The Clerk and Auditor to the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, shall file a certified copy of this ordinance with the Department of State, through the Secretary of State, upon adoption by the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida.

**ADOPTED**, in open session of the Polk County Board of County Commissioners with a quorum present and voting this 17th day of December 2024.

**LDCPAL 2024-1**  
**Development Area:** Urban Growth Area  
**Location:** North of Socrum Loop Rd, East of Socrum Loop Rd N, West of Grady Mock Rd, North of the City of Lakeland  
**Section 18, Township 27, Range 24.**

**PARCEL DETAIL**  
*Note: Not to Scale*

