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AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 429.1 (FLOOD HAZARD DISTRICT) OF CHAPTER 22 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN ADOPTING THE FLOOD INSURANCE STUDY AND DIGITAL FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAPS; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 1. That the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma has in (statutes) 82 O.S. §1601-1618, as amended, Chapter 23 delegated the responsibility of local governmental units to adopt regulations designed to minimize flood losses. Therefore, the City of Norman, Oklahoma, does ordain as follows:
- § 2. That Section 429.1 of Chapter 22 of the Code of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, shall be amended to read as follows:

SEC. 429.1 - FH, FLOOD HAZARD DISTRICT

<u>1. Description and Purpose</u>. The Flood Hazard District includes special flood hazard areas which are subject to periodic or occasional flooding during a one percent chance flood, and for which special regulations are applied in addition to or in combination with other zoning regulations applying to these areas to guide the type and manner of floodplain use so that it is consistent with the land use needs of the City of Norman.

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3. Identification, Establishment and Amendment of the District.

(a) Flood Hazard Lands Governed by this Section: The areas of special flood hazard identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency in a scientific and engineering report entitled, "The Flood Insurance Study for Cleveland County, Oklahoma and Incorporated areas" dated September 26, 2008 February 20, 2013, with accompanying Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) are hereby adopted by reference and declared to be a part of this ordinance. The Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) for the Ten Mile Flat Creek Area dated December, 2005, shall also be considered a part of the Special Flood Hazard Area until such time it is adopted by FEMA. However, the current existing flood hazard district ordinance for the City of Norman, Oklahoma shall remain in effect until September 26, **<u>2008.</u>** This "Flood Insurance Study" with its accompanying FIRM, also known as the Official Flood Hazard District Maps, are hereby adopted by reference and declared to be part of this ordinance and may be amended or revised from time to time by the City Council according to procedures established by FEMA. The Official Flood

Hazard District Maps shall be placed on file with the City Clerk and copies shall be maintained in the Planning Department and the Public Works Department for public review.

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4. Flood Hazard District Land Uses.

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(h) <u>Special Floodplain and Building Construction Regulations</u> Applicable to Little River and Its Mapped Tributaries

> Applicability—The provisions of this Section 429.1.4(h) shall apply to all construction on all properties located within the floodplain of the Little River and its tributaries within the boundaries of the City of Norman as depicted on FEMA Panels 40027C0170H (9/26/08),Map 40027C0190H (9/26/08) 40027C0190J (2/20/13),40027C0195H (9/26/08) 40027C0195J (2/20/13),40027C0210H (9/26/08),40027C0215H (9/26/08),40027C0220H (9/26/08),40027C0230H (9/26/08),(9/26/08),40027C0240H (9/26/08),40027C0245H (9/26/08),40027C0260H (9/26/08),40027C0280H (9/26/08),40027C0285H (9/26/08),40027C0290H 40027C0295H (9/26/08) 40027C0295J (2/20/13),40027C0305H (9/26/08),40027C0310H (9/26/08),40027C0315H (9/26/08),40027C0320H (9/26/08),(9/26/08).(9/26/08). 40027C0330H 40027C0335H 40027C0340H (9/26/08). and 40027C0345H (9/26/08), and shall supersede any conflicting regulations contained in Section 429.1-FH, Flood Hazard District. The Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) for the Ten Mile Flat Creek Area dated December, 2005, shall also be considered a part of the Special Flood Hazard Area north of Rock Creek Road until such time it is adopted by FEMA.

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§ 3. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

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ATTEST:	

(City Clerk)