ATTACHMENT A ADMINISTRATION & ENFORCEMENT

1. DEFINITIONS

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When used in this Ordinance, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Board" shall mean the Construction Board of Adjustments and Appeals established pursuant to Article Six.

"Building Official" as used herein shall mean the Assistant Director of Permitting and Inspections, who shall be the Building Official as the term may be used in the Construction Codes. References herein to the Building Official shall include employees of the Governing Authority whom the Building Official supervises where the context implies, warrants, or necessitates.

"Construction Codes" shall mean:

- (i) the state minimum standard codes enumerated in OCGA § 8-2-20 (9)(B)(i)(I)-(VIII), as adopted, revised, and amended by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, and any new editions thereof adopted by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, including appendices as provided by OCGA § 8-2-21(1), and
- (ii) the state minimum standard codes enumerated in OCGA § 8-2-20 (9)(B)(i)(IX)-(XI) as adopted, revised, and amended by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, and any new editions thereof adopted by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, including appendices as provided by OCGA § 8-2-21(1), and further adopted by the Governing Authority.

References herein to a specific Construction Code are to the specific state minimum standard code as adopted, revised, and amended by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, and any new edition thereof adopted by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, including appendices as provided by OCGA § 8-2-21(1), and as applicable, further adopted by the Governing Authority.

"Department" shall mean the Lowndes County Department of Permitting and Inspections as established by Board of Commissioners of Lowndes County.

"Governing Authority" shall mean the Board of Commissioners of Lowndes County.

"ICC" shall mean the International Code Council.