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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

AN ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER DIRECTING THE CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER TO COORDINATE WITH THE INTERIM COMMISSIONER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING, THE ATLANTA HOUSING AUTHORITY, (ATLANTA HOUSING), AND INVEST ATLANTA, IN ORDER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY ACTIONS TO PREPARE FOR THE IMMEDIATE DEVELOPMENT OF PROPERTIES OWNED BY THE CITY OF ATLANTA, ATLANTA HOUSING, AND INVEST ATLANTA IN AND IN THE VICINITY OF THOMASVILLE HEIGHTS.

WHEREAS, my vision for the City of Atlanta is focused on providing Safe Streets and best in class infrastructure and services, championing education and uplifting the City's youth, empowering the City's neighborhoods and supporting efforts to ensure thriving communities and businesses, and leading an ethical, transparent, and fiscally responsible government; and

WHEREAS, through this vision, my Administration is committed to economic inclusion in order to creating equity and prosperity for all of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, I have determined that there is currently a critical need for development within and in the vicinity of the Thomasville Heights neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, it is also my desire that the development within and in the vicinity of Thomasville Heights shall create a pathway for legacy residents to be able to return to their neighborhood, should they choose; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of my commitment to economic inclusion, and the critical need to commence development in the Thomasville Heights neighborhood in a manner which shall create a pathway for the legacy residents thereof to return to their neighborhood should they so choose, I am hereby directing the Chief Operating Officer to coordinate with the interim Commissioner of the Department of City Planning, the Atlanta Housing Authority, (Atlanta Housing), and Invest Atlanta, in order to take all necessary actions to prepare for the immediate development of properties owned by the City of Atlanta, Atlanta Housing, and Invest Atlanta in and in the vicinity of Thomasville Heights.

NOW, THEREFORE, BY THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, pursuant to Sections 2 182(4) and 2 301 of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances, it is hereby ordered:

That the Chief Operating Officer shall coordinate with the interim Commissioner of the City of Atlanta Department of City Planning, the Atlanta Housing Authority, (Atlanta Housing), and Invest Atlanta, in order to take all necessary actions to prepare for the immediate development of properties owned by the City of Atlanta, Atlanta Housing, and Invest Atlanta in and in the vicinity of Thomasville Heights.

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that this order shall remain in place until rescinded.

This 22 day of February, 2022.

Indre Dickens, Mayor

ATTESTED:

Junicipal Clerk

A. Vanessa Waldon Deputy Municipal Clerk