ORDINANCE NO. 2015-04

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LABELLE, FLORIDA, CITY COMMISSION; AMENDING THE CITY OF LABELLE FUTURE LAND USE MAP FOR CITY-OWNED PROPERTY IDENTIFIED IN EXHIBIT 'A'; AMENDING THE LAND USE DESIGNATION FROM PUBLIC SERVICES TO OUTLYING MIXED USE; PROVIDING FOR INTENT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of LaBelle, Hendry County, Florida has long recognized the need for positive growth through developments that enhance the quality of life of its citizens and all services related thereto, in the incorporated area of the City of LaBelle; and

WHEREAS, the City intends to amend the City of LaBelle Future Land Use Map as set forth in Exhibit "A" attached hereto; and,

WHEREAS, the City of LaBelle Local Planning Agency "LPA," held a duly advertised public hearing on February 12, 2015, at which the LPA considered the amendment to the Future Land Use Map contemplated herein and based on such consideration has submitted its recommendations to the City Commission; and,

WHEREAS, having considered the recommendations of the LPA at a duly advertised public hearing held on and February 12, 2015 and April 9, 2015 the City has prepared this amendment to the Future Land Use Map as a Large Scale Amendment in accordance with Section 163.3184, Florida Statutes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LABELLE, FLORIDA, that:

1. The City finds it to be a valid governmental purpose, to allow enhancement of the tax base, employment, housing and educational opportunities for its citizens and all the benefits related to carefully planned community development.

2. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

3. This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED in open session this 9th day of April, 2015.

THE CITY OF LABELLE, FLORIDA

Attest: Thomas A. Smith, Clerk

EXHIBIT 'A' FUTURE LAND USE MAP

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Notice of Proposed Enactment

The Local Planning Agency and the City Commission of the City of LaBelle propose to recommend and adopt an ordinance amending existing City of LaBelle Land Development Code and having the following title:

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The Public Hearings on the ordinance will be held on Thursday, February 12, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall on 481 West Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, Florida. Ordinance is available for review at City Hall. Avenue, LaBelle, Florida. Ordinance is available for review at City Hall. All interested persons are invited to attend and be heard with respect to the proposed ordinances. Interested persons may appear on their own behalf or by agent or attorney. If anyone decides to appeal a decision made by the Local Planning Agency and/or Commission with respect to any matter considered at the meetings or hearings, a record of the pro-ceeding will be needed for the appeal and for that purpose(s), may need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS." IF YOU REQUIRE SPECIAL AID OR SERVICES AS ADDRESSED IN THE AMERICAN DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT 863-675-2872, NO LESS THAN FIVE (5) DAYS PRIOR TO THE ABOVE STATED

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