ORDINANCE

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE COMMISSION OF KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AMENDING KNOX COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 34, ARTICLE I, TO DESIGNATE APPROPRIATE FLOOD HAZARD MAPS AND AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "DEVELOPMENT" (Ord. No. O-07-2-102, §1(Exhibit A), adopted April 16, 2007).

ORDINANCE:	O-13-7-101
REQUESTED BY:	ENGINEERING & PUBLIC WORKS
PREPARED BY:	KNOX COUNTY LAW DIRECTOR'S OFFICE
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WHEREAS, on April 16, 2007, the Knox County Commission adopted Ordinance O-07-2-102, codified as Section 34-1 *et seq.* of the Knox County Code, to regulate flood damage prevention for the purpose of promoting the public health, safety, and general welfare of its citizenry, and minimizing public and private losses due to flood conditions in specific areas; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the flood damage prevention regulations to designate the appropriate flood hazard maps in Section 34-5 of the Knox County Code in order to remain in compliance with the National Flood Insurance Program; and

WHEREAS, it is also necessary to amend the flood damage prevention regulations to amend the definition of "development" in Section 34-12.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION OF KNOX COUNTY AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Knox County Code, Chapter 34, Article I, Section 34-5 entitled "Basis for establishing the areas of special flood hazard" is hereby amended by replacing the date of "May 2, 2007" with "August 5, 2013".

SECTION 2. Knox County Code, Chapter 34, Article I, Section 34-12 entitled "Definitions" is hereby amended by deleting the word "permanent" in the definition of "Development".

SECTION 3. This Emergency Ordinance shall take effect as provided by the Charter of Knox County, Tennessee, the public welfare requiring it.

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