MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO. **4594**

REPEALING SEC. 2-443 IN THE MICHIGAN CITY MUNICIPAL CODE COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE "BARKER CIVIC CENTER" DUE TO THE TRANSFER AND RETURN OF THE BARKER MANSION TO THE BARKER WELFARE FOUNDATION

WHEREAS, in 1968, the Barker Welfare Foundation ("Foundation") gifted and transferred the Barker Mansion ("Mansion") to the City of Michigan City, Indiana under the terms and conditions of an Agreement dated June 28, 1968, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit A**; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 7 of the 1968 Agreement, the City was required to create a committee to be responsible for the supervision, management, maintenance and care of the premises; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with Section 7 of the 1968 Agreement, the City created the Barker Civic Center Commission, which is codified in Sec. 2-443 of the Michigan City Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the City has recently transferred and returned the Barker Mansion to the Barker Welfare Foundation and, as a result thereof, no further need exists for the City to maintain the Barker Civic Center Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA COMMON COUNCIL that Sec. 2-443 of the Michigan City Municipal Code entitled "Barker Civic Center Commission" is hereby repealed and the Barker Civic Center Commission is hereby dissolved.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after passage by the Michigan City Common Council and approval by the Mayor.

INTRODUCED BY: **/s/** Michael Mack, President
Michigan City Common Council
/s/ Dalia Zygas, Member
Michigan City Common Council
/s/ Gene Simmons, Member
Michigan City Common Council

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana this 9th day of October, 2021.

/s/ Michael Mack, President
Michigan City Common Council

Approved by me, this 22nd day of October, 2021.

/s/ Duane Parry, Mayor
Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST:

/s/ Gale A. Neulieb, Clerk
City of Michigan City, Indiana

Prepared by Corporation Counsel Upon Request