

TOWN OF JAMES ISLAND

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE JAMES ISLAND PLANNING COMMISSION TO PROVIDE A RECOMMENDATION REGARDING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING AND SUBDIVISION REGULATION ORDINANCE IMPOSING A RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS.

WHEREAS, the South Carolina Constitution Article XVII Section 1 states in part, "No person shall be elected or appointed to any office in this State unless he possess the qualifications of an elector," and

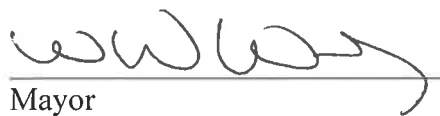
WHEREAS, the South Carolina Constitution Article II Section 5 states, "Municipal electors shall possess the qualifications prescribed in this Constitution, but each such elector must have resided in the municipality in which he offers to vote for thirty days next preceding the election,"

WHEREAS, the James Island Zoning and Subdivision Regulation Ordinance gives the James Island Planning Commission authority to approve major subdivisions and the James Island Board of Zoning Appeals authority to approve variances;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED BY THE JAMES ISLAND TOWN COUNCIL, the Town of James Island Planning Commission is directed to make a recommendation regarding an amendment to the Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance to make it consistent with the South Carolina Constitution by:

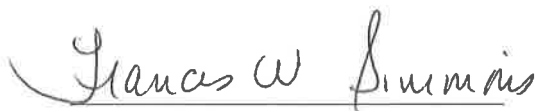
- A. Restricting membership to the James Island Planning Commission and the James Island Board of Zoning Appeals to residents of the Town of James Island.
- B. Providing for the removal of any member of the James Planning Commission or the James Island Board of Appeals who does not reside in the Town of James Island.

Enacted this the 21st day of November, 2013.



Mayor

ATTEST



Town Clerk