AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, AMENDING ORDINANCE 2018-22 WHICH ADOPTED A REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR A 3.8 ACRE PORTION OF BLOCK 48.16, LOT 117.27 FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF LOW AND MODERATE INCOME HOUSING TO AMEND THE REDEVELOPMENT PLAN TO PROVIDE THAT THE REDEVELOPMENT AREA CONSISTS OF TWO (2) PARTS, PART A CONSISTING OF 1.04 ACRES TO BE CONVEYED TO SOUTHERN BOULEVARD URBAN RENEWAL, LLC AND PART B CONSISTING OF 2.76 ACRES TO BE RETAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2018, the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham adopted Ordinance 2018-22 adopting a Redevelopment Plan for a 3.8 acre portion of Block 48.16, Lot 117.27 ("Redevelopment Area") for the development of low and moderate income housing; and

WHEREAS, on December 16, 2019, the Planning Board of the Township of Chatham granted Southern Boulevard Urban Renewal, LLC, preliminary and final site plan approval to construct twenty-four (24) low and moderate income units in the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, on December 16, 2019, the Planning Board also granted preliminary and final subdivision approval to Southern Boulevard Urban Renewal, LLC to subdivide Block 48.16, Lot 117.27 and create a new 3.4 acre parcel which reduced the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, it was the intent of the Township of Chatham to convey the Redevelopment Area to Southern Boulevard Urban Renewal, LLC; and

WHEREAS, since the adoption of the Redevelopment Plan and the grant of subdivision approval to Southern Boulevard Urban Renewal, LLC circumstances have changed requiring that the Redevelopment Area be divided into two (2) areas, the Part A consisting of 1.04 acres to be conveyed to Southern Boulevard Urban Renewal, LLC and Part B to be retained by the Township for public purposes, including affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, this requires that the Redevelopment Plan be amended to separate the Redevelopment Area into two (2) parts; and

WHEREAS, it is the purpose of this Ordinance to amend the adopted Redevelopment Plan as described in this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. The Redevelopment Area consists of a 3.8 acre portion of Block 48.16, Lot 117.27 and the designation of the Redevelopment Area, as an area in need of non-condemnation redevelopment, is not changed by this Ordinance.

Section 2. The Redevelopment Area of 3.8 acres is hereby amended to consist of Parts A and B as follows:

a. Part A is an area of 1.04 acres to be conveyed to Southern Boulevard Urban Renewal, LLC to construct twenty-four (24) affordable housing units as approved by the Township Planning Board, and

b. Part B is an area of 2.76 acres to be retained by the Township of Chatham for public purposes, including affordable housing.
Section 3. All references in the Redevelopment Plan to the Redevelopment Area are hereby amended to provide that the Redevelopment Area shall consist of two (2) parts:

a. Part A consisting of 1.04 acres, and
b. Part B consisting of 2.76 acres.

Parts A and B of the Redevelopment Area are shown on the attached "Amended Skate Park Redevelopment Plan", prepared by Mott MacDonald, dated March 11, 2020 ("Plan of Amended Redevelopment Area").

Section 4. All aerial photographs, figures, tax maps and conceptual site plans are hereby replaced with the Plan of Amended Redevelopment Area.

Section 5. All references in the Redevelopment Plan to a three (3) story building are hereby changed to a single, two and one-half (2-1/2) story building.

Section 6. Section 3.3 of the Redevelopment Plan titled “Permitted Uses” is hereby amended as follows:

a. Section 3.3B is amended to delete 3.3B.2, tot lots, and Section 3.3B.3, walking paths, and replaced with a new 3.3B.2, sidewalks.

Section 7. Section 3.4 of the Redevelopment Plan titled “Bulk, Area and Yard Requirements” is hereby amended as follows:

a. Section 3.4A.1 is amended by changing 3 acres to 1.04 acres.

b. Section 3.4A.2 is amended by changing lot frontage from 150 feet to 135 feet.

c. Section 3.4A.4, distance between Two Principal Buildings on the lot is deleted.

d. Section 3.4A.5, “Setbacks of Tot Lots or Trash Enclosures” is deleted and replaced with “Setbacks of Trash Enclosures”.

e. Section 3.4A.5a is amended to change the setback for side from 10 feet to 4 feet.

f. Section 3.4A.6, “Setback of Parking” is amended to change the setback from the side from 4 feet to 0.5 feet.

g. Section 3.4B.1, Maximum Standards is amended to change “Building Coverage” from 15% to 30%.

h. Section 3.4B.2 is amended to change “Impervious Coverage” from 30% to 70%.

Section 8. Section 3.6 of the Redevelopment Plan titled “Design Requirements” is hereby amended as follows:

a. Section 3.6.3 is amended by changing the building façade offsets from every 40 feet to every 45 feet.

b. Section 3.6.11 is hereby deleted and replaced with:

11. Storage space with a door or other means of separate access containing a minimum of forty (40) square feet of floor area and a minimum volume of three hundred (300) cubic feet shall be provided for each two (2) or three (3) bedroom dwelling unit in the principal building and one hundred sixty (160) cubic feet for each one (1) bedroom unit, within the dwelling unit itself, or in a basement of the building.

Section 9. Section 4.1 of the Redevelopment Plan titled “Outline of Proposed Actions” is hereby amended to delete the second full paragraph as follows:

The existing Skate Park within the Redevelopment Plan Area shall be completely demolished and removed by the designated redeveloper. Since the Skate Park is within a designated wetland buffer area, the land upon which the Skate Park is currently developed will be restored in accordance with the requirements of the
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection. The cost of such removal and restoration shall be borne by the redeveloper.

Section 10. All building elevations or renderings shall be as approved by the Township Planning Board.

Section 11. A secondary purpose of this Ordinance is to amend the Redevelopment Plan in order for the Redevelopment Plan to be consistent with the preliminary and final site plan approval granted by the Township Planning Board on December 16, 2019.

Section 12. The Township Clerk is directed to give notice at least ten (10) days prior to a hearing on the adoption of this Ordinance to the Morris County Planning Board and to all other persons or entities entitled thereto pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:55D-15, including to the Clerk of adjoining municipalities. The Township Clerk shall execute Affidavits of Proof of Service of the notices required by this Section 3, and shall keep the Affidavits on file along with the Proof of Publication of the notice of the required public hearing on the proposed change.

Section 13. After introduction, the Township Clerk is hereby directed to submit a copy of the within Ordinance to the Planning Board of the Township of Chatham for its review in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-7e. The Planning Board is directed pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-7d to transmit to the Township Committee, within forty-five (45) days after referral, a report finding that the Redevelopment Plan shall be substantially consistent with the Township Master Plan or designed to effectuate the Master Plan or that the Redevelopment Plan is substantially inconsistent with the Township Master Plan or not designed to effectuate the Master Plan.

Section 14. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subdivision, clause or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

Section 15. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon: (i) adoption; (ii) publication in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey; and (iii) filing of the final form of adopted Ordinance by the Clerk with the Morris County Planning Board pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:55D-16.

Introduced: March 12, 2020

Adopted: May 28, 2020

Attest:

BY: Michael J. Kelly, Mayor

Gregory LaConte, Clerk

I, Gregory J. LaConte, Township Clerk of the Township of Chatham in the County of Morris, New Jersey, hereby certify the foregoing to be a true complete copy of an ordinance adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham at a regular meeting held on May 28, 2020.

Date Issued: 5/29/2020

Township Clerk
TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM
COUNTY OF MORRIS, NEW JERSEY
BLOCK 48.16, LOT 117.27

REFERENCES:

1" = 60'

DATE: 3/11/2020