



Huntsville, Alabama

305 Fountain Circle
Huntsville, AL 35801

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Meeting Type: City Council Regular Meeting **Meeting Date:** 8/14/2025

File ID: TMP-5809

Department: Planning

Subject:

Type of Action: Approval/Action

Resolution to set a public hearing on the zoning of 1,013.96 acres of land lying on the south of River Loop Road, and east and west of Vaughn Road to Residence 1 District and Industrial Park District; and the introduction of an Ordinance pertaining to the same. (Set September 25, 2025 Regular Council Meeting)

Resolution No.

Ordinance No.

Does this item need to be published? Yes

If yes, please list preferred date(s) of publication: Resolution: August 27 & September 3, 2025; Ordinance October 1, 2025

Finance Information:

Account Number: n/a

City Cost Amount: \$ 0

Total Cost: \$ 0

Special Circumstances:

Grant Funded: \$ 0

Grant Title - CFDA or granting Agency: n/a

Resolution #: n/a

Location:

Address: McCutcheon Loop Road and Vaughn Road, Lacey's Springs, AL 35754

District: District 1 ☐ District 2 ☐ District 3 ☒ District 4 ☐ District 5 ☐

Additional Comments: Recommended by Planning Commission

RESOLUTION NO. 25-

WHEREAS, certain property has recently been annexed to the City of Huntsville, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, said property is now legally part of the incorporated municipality of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, and as such is subject to the laws and ordinances governing the City of Huntsville, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, said property, having been outside the boundaries of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, prior to the annexing of same to the City of Huntsville, Alabama, has never been subject to the Zoning Ordinances of the City of Huntsville, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, has given consideration to an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, a synopsis of said amendment being as follows:

- (1) The zoning of 1,013.96 acres of land lying on the south of River Loop Road, and east and west of Vaughn Road to Residence 1 and Industrial Park Districts.
- (2) The first publication of this resolution, this synopsis, and the ordinance hereinafter set out at length shall be in the Speakin' Out News on the 27th day of August, 2025, and the second publication shall be one week thereafter on the 3rd day of September, 2025, both of which publications shall be at least 15 days in advance of the date of the public hearing hereinafter referred to.

WHEREAS, it is the judgement and opinion of the City Council of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, that consideration should be given to the adoption of an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, in accordance with said request;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, as follows:

1. That the City Council of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, shall meet at 5:30 p.m. on the 25th day of September, 2025, in the Council Chambers of the City of Huntsville Administration Building at 305 Fountain Circle in the City of Huntsville, Alabama, for the purpose of holding a public hearing at which time and place all persons, parties in interest and cities who desire, shall have an opportunity to be heard in opposition to or in favor of said Ordinance No. 25-_____, which was introduced by the City Council of the City of Huntsville on the 14th day of August, 2025, amending the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Huntsville, Alabama.

2. That the proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, is substantially in words and figures as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 25-

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

The public welfare requiring it, and under authority granted by Section 11-52-78 of the 1975 Code of Alabama, **BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council for the City of Huntsville, Alabama, as follows:

1. That the following area, land lying on the south of River Loop Road, and east and west of Vaughn Road, which area is a newly annexed area of the City of Huntsville, Morgan and Marshall Counties, Alabama, and which has not been zoned previously, shall be shown and classified on the Official Zoning Maps of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, as Residence 1 District, in the Zoning Ordinances of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, said property being particularly described as follows:

A tract of land located in the South Half of Section 05 and the North Half of Section 08, both of which lie in Township 06 South, Range 01 East of the Huntsville Meridian, in the City of Huntsville, in both Morgan and Marshall Counties. Said tract is further described as commencing at a point located at the Southwest Corner of said Section 05; thence from the Point of Commencement, North 78 Degrees 00 Minutes 30 Seconds East 1004.82 feet to the Point of Beginning; Thence from the Point of Beginning, North 10 Degrees 01 Minutes 54 Seconds East 779.84 feet to a point at the beginning of a curve to the Left; Thence along said curve to the left and having a radius of 1536.66 feet, a chord bearing and distance of North 15 Degrees 59 Minutes 53 Seconds West, 343.35 feet to a point; thence North 23 Degrees 08 Minutes 27 Seconds West 162.56 feet to a point; thence North 77 Degrees 31 Minutes 35 Seconds East 1148.24 feet to a point; thence South 08 Degrees 21 Minutes 44 Seconds East 296.62 feet to a point; thence South 08 Degrees 19 Minutes 26 Seconds East 44.82 feet to a point; thence South 14 Degrees 15 Minutes 37 Seconds East 366.54 feet to a point; thence South 02 Degrees 27 Minutes 47 Seconds East 279.60 feet to a point; thence South 09 Degrees 46 Minutes 06 Seconds East 774.81 feet to a point; thence South 23 Degrees 24 Minutes 59 Seconds East 808.82 feet to a point; thence South 79 Degrees 01 Minutes 18 Seconds West 735.94 feet to a point; thence South 42 Degrees 36 Minutes 03 Seconds West 82.77 feet to a point; thence North 08 Degrees 56 Minutes 14 Seconds East 34.30 feet to a point; thence North 32 Degrees 17 Minutes 41 Seconds West 65.33 feet to a point; thence North 36 Degrees 04 Minutes 03 Seconds West 39.96 feet to a point; thence North 40 Degrees 10 Minutes 56 Seconds West 38.37 feet to a point; thence North 40 Degrees 15 Minutes 54 Seconds West 23.01 feet to a point; thence North 37 Degrees 30 Minutes 08 Seconds West 20.01 feet to a point; thence North 35 Degrees 15 Minutes 12 Seconds West 15.01 feet to a point; thence North 32 Degrees 21 Minutes 43 Seconds West 30.01 feet to a point; thence North 29 Degrees 40 Minutes 44 Seconds West 17.13 feet to a point; thence North 31 Degrees 32 Minutes 30 Seconds West 15.00 feet to a point; thence North 35 Degrees 26

Minutes 54 Seconds West 27.34 feet to a point; thence North 40 Degrees 29
Minutes 41 Seconds West 27.34 feet to a point; thence North 45 Degrees 17
Minutes 35 Seconds West 24.89 feet to a point; thence North 48 Degrees 03
Minutes 05 Seconds West 38.61 feet to a point; thence North 49 Degrees 39
Minutes 46 Seconds West 35.79 feet to a point; thence North 51 Degrees 31
Minutes 07 Seconds West 49.92 feet to a point; thence North 53 Degrees 52
Minutes 39 Seconds West 62.51 feet to a point; thence North 53 Degrees 47
Minutes 19 Seconds West 19.50 feet to a point; thence North 52 Degrees 31
Minutes 47 Seconds West 25.35 feet to a point; thence North 51 Degrees 22
Minutes 49 Seconds West 15.60 feet to a point; thence North 50 Degrees 26
Minutes 24 Seconds West 17.87 feet to a point; thence North 59 Degrees 59
Minutes 13 Seconds West 168.92 feet to a point; thence North 74 Degrees 44
Minutes 21 Seconds West 48.78 feet to a point; thence North 50 Degrees 52
Minutes 15 Seconds West 243.53 feet to a point; thence North 24 Degrees 18
Minutes 16 Seconds West 118.10 feet to a point; thence North 14 Degrees 18
Minutes 13 Seconds West 361.42 feet back to the Point of Beginning and
containing 65.61 acres, more or less.

2. That the following area, land lying on the south of River Loop Road, and east and west of Vaughn Road, which area is a newly annexed area of the City of Huntsville, Morgan and Marshall Counties, Alabama, and which has not been zoned previously, shall be shown and classified on the Official Zoning Maps of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, as Industrial Park District, in the Zoning Ordinances of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, said property being particularly described as follows:

The Land referred to herein below situated in the Counties of Morgan and Marshall, State of Alabama, and is described as follows:

TRACT 1:

All that part of Sections 16, 17 and 20, Township 06 South, Range 01 East of the Huntsville Meridian, in the City of Huntsville, Marshall County, Alabama being more particularly described as beginning at the Northeast Corner of said Section 17; thence from the Point of Beginning, South 25 Degrees 55 Minutes 09 Seconds East a distance of 1483.59 feet to a point; thence South 25 Degrees 51 Minutes 06 Seconds East a distance of 1486.98 feet to a point; thence South 00 Degrees 40 Minutes 24 Seconds West a distance of 1316.67 feet to a point; thence North 88 Degrees 37 Minutes 01 Seconds West a distance of 1340.40 feet to a point; thence South 00 Degrees 50 Minutes 55 Seconds West a distance of 1319.06 feet to a point; thence South 01 Degrees 41 Minutes 43 Seconds West a distance of 1337.70 Feet to a point; thence North 87 Degrees 30 Minutes 48 Seconds West a distance of 2651.30 feet to a point; thence North 00 Degrees 12 Minutes 56 Seconds East a distance of 1370.57 Feet to a point; thence North 86 Degrees 12 Minutes 06 Seconds West a distance of 1283.87 feet to a point; thence North 86 Degrees 09 Minutes 58 Seconds West a distance of 549.82 Feet to a point; thence North 08 Degrees 01 Minutes 58 Seconds East a distance of 174.77 feet to a point; thence

North 08 Degrees 42 Minutes 07 Seconds East a distance of 2536.36 feet to a point; thence South 87 Degrees 30 Minutes 20 Seconds East a distance of 1591.26 feet to a point; thence North 0 Degrees 40 Minutes 18 Seconds East a distance of 1315.91 feet to a point; thence South 84 Degrees 38 Minutes 00 Seconds East a distance of 1285.43 feet to a point; thence North 00 Degrees 47 Minutes 31 Seconds East a distance of 1319.32 feet to a point; thence South 84 Degrees 37 Minutes 35 Seconds East a distance of 1285.29 feet back to the Point of Beginning and containing 548.91 acres, more or less.

TRACT 2:

All that part of Sections 08 and 17, Township 06 South, Range 01 East of the Huntsville Meridian, in the City of Huntsville, Marshall County and Morgan County, Alabama being more particularly described as beginning the Northeast Corner of Said Section 17; thence North 84 Degrees 37 Minutes 35 Seconds West a distance of 1285.29 feet to a point; thence South 00 Degrees 47 Minutes 31 Seconds West a distance of 1319.32 feet to a point; thence North 84 Degrees 38 Minutes 00 Seconds West a distance of 1285.43 feet to a point; thence South 00 Degrees 40 Minutes 18 Seconds West a distance of 1315.91 feet to a point; thence North 87 Degrees 30 Minutes 20 Seconds West a distance of 1591.26 feet to a point; thence South 08 Degrees 42 Minutes 07 Seconds West a distance of 2536.36 feet to a point; thence North 88 Degrees 33 Minutes 38 Seconds West a distance of 778.15 feet to a point; thence North 01 Degree 44 Minutes 25 Seconds East a distance of 2635.72 feet to a point; thence North 01 Degree 58 Minutes 06 Seconds East a distance of 2614.26 feet to a point; thence South 88 Degrees 30 Minutes 21 Seconds East a distance of 1319.14 feet to a point; thence South 01 Degree 35 Minutes 29 Seconds West a distance of 702.60 feet to a point; thence South 08 Degrees 39 Minutes 03 Seconds West a distance of 658.08 feet to a point; thence South 84 Degrees 51 Minutes 25 Seconds East a distance of 81.03 feet to a point; thence South 84 Degrees 51 Minutes 25 Seconds East a distance of 1321.40 feet to a point; thence North 00 Degrees 47 Minutes 56 Seconds East a distance of 1319.46 feet to a point; thence North 02 Degrees 05 Minutes 25 Seconds East a distance of 2775.50 feet to a point; thence North 88 Degrees 17 Minutes 35 Seconds West a distance of 909.11 feet to a point; thence North 08 Degrees 00 Minutes 22 Seconds East a distance of 1257.17 feet to a point; thence North 08 Degrees 55 Minutes 17 Seconds East a distance of 420.09 feet to a point; thence North 42 Degrees 36 Minutes 03 Seconds East a distance of 82.77 feet to a point; thence North 79 Degrees 01 Minute 18 Seconds East a distance of 717.74 feet to a point; thence South 23 Degrees 47 Minutes 58 Seconds East a distance of 754.63 feet to a point; thence South 33 Degrees 49 Minutes 57 Seconds East a distance of 1704.18 feet to a point; thence South 21 Degrees 45 Minutes 22 Seconds East a distance of 1503.40 feet to a point; thence South 21 Degrees 40 Minutes 56 Seconds East a distance of 1502.96 feet back to the Point of Beginning and containing 399.44 acres, more or less.

3. The boundaries of the above district as described and defined above are hereby established and shall be shown on the Official Zoning Maps of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, on file in the Planning Division of the Urban Development Department, in accordance with the various classifications herein enumerated and hereafter the regulations governing said district under the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, shall apply to the area so described.

4. This ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of publication.

ADOPTED this the _____ day of _____, 2025.

President of the City Council of
the City of Huntsville, Alabama.

APPROVED this the _____ day of _____, 2025.

Mayor of the City of Huntsville, Alabama

ADOPTED this the ____ day of _____, 2025.

President of the City Council of
the City of Huntsville, Alabama.

APPROVED this the ____ day of _____, 2025.

Mayor of the City of Huntsville, Alabama

PROPOSED RESIDENCE 1 & INDUSTRIAL PARK DISTRICTS

