## **TOWN OF RAVENEL**

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#### **ORDINANCE 13-21**

# AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE GOLDEN GROVE DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWN OF RAVENEL AND GOLDEN GROVE, LLC

WHEREAS, the South Carolina Development Agreement Act provides that local governments and property owners may, under specified circumstances, enter into agreements regarding the development of property; and

WHEREAS, such agreements provide some assurance as to continued zoning so as to support long-range planning and investment rather than short-term focused development; and

WHEREAS, such agreements can also make sense in matching long-term benefits with long-lasting commitments; and

WHEREAS, Council has previously given careful consideration to the related PDD zoning and believes it appropriate to give adequate time for it to be realized; and

WHEREAS, all statutory requirements are satisfied, and Council believes the attached agreement to be mutually beneficial and in the best interest of the Town's citizens and the surrounding community.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Town Council of the Town of Ravenel, South Carolina, in Council duly assembled, and by authority of the same, that Mayor is authorized to execute the Golden Grove Development Agreement as set forth on the attached Exhibit A, which is incorporated herein. The Mayor is further authorized to make corrections and revisions as he deems necessary.

THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON ADOPTION.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2021 at Ravenel, South Carolina.

Ayes:	Nays:	Abstains:
ATTEST: Cu		Jann Lubs
Stephen Tumbleston, Mayor	Cl	erk-Treasurer
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Approved—Corporation Counse	el	

### **EXHIBIT A**

### GOLDEN GROVE DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT