## Ordinance Amending Oil Code Title 12

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**ORDINANCE NO.** 1 2 3 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE 4 CITY OF LONG BEACH AMENDING THE LONG BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE BY AMENDING SECTIONS 12.08.100; 5 AND BY ADDING SECTION 12.08.247, ALL RELATED TO 6 7 THE LONG BEACH OIL CODE 8 WHEREAS, the Long Beach Oil Code is set forth in Title 12 of the Long 9 10 Beach Municipal Code (the "Code"); 11 WHEREAS, the intent and purpose of the Oil Code is to regulate the drilling of petroleum so that such activities may be conducted in accordance with State law, the 12 13 Fire Code, and in harmony with other land uses in the City; WHEREAS, petroleum operations are only allowed in "Oil Operating Areas" 14 15 as that term is defined in Section 12.04.310 of the Oil Code; and 16 WHEREAS, certain findings must be made prior to the creation of a new Oil Operating Area in the City; and 17 18 WHEREAS, at a duly noticed public hearing on November 30, 2017, the 19 Long Beach Planning Commission of the City of Long Beach recommended the creation of a new Oil Operating Area to be known as "Area 25 - 2<sup>nd</sup> St and Studebaker Road drill 20 21 site" and made the following findings of fact in connection therewith: A. The creation of the "2<sup>nd</sup> St and Studebaker Road Drill Site" (the "Site") 22 23 will not adversely affect the character, livability or appropriate 24 development of surrounding community. 25 B. The creation of the Site is necessary to produce the petroleum 26 envisioned to be produced from the Site, and the petroleum cannot 27 feasibly be produced from other sites within the oil operating area by 28 unitization or production agreements, slant drilling or other mechanism.

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1	C. The creation of the Site will not unreasonably hinder production of
2	existing petroleum reserves in the City.
3	NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach ordains as
4	follows:
5	Section 1. Section 12.08.100 of the Long Beach Municipal Code is
6	hereby amended to read as follows:
7	12.08.100.1 Area 8—Alamitos Heights and Flats.
8	Area 8 is that portion of the City described as follows:
9	Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of Santiago Avenue,
10	60 feet wide, and the southerly line of Colorado Street, 60 feet wide; thence
11	east along the southerly line of Colorado Street to the boundary line of the
12	City of Long Beach as established by Increment 11 of annexation to the
13	City of Long Beach, filed with the Secretary of the State of California,
14	December 17, 1923; thence southerly and easterly along the boundary line
15	of the City of Long Beach as established by said Increment 11 and
16	following its various courses to the most southerly corner of Lot 1, Tract
17	No. 1077, as per map recorded in Book 18, page 195 of maps, records of
18	the County; thence northwesterly along the southerly line of said Lot 1 to
19	the intersection of a line 800 feet northeasterly of and parallel to the
20	northeasterly line of the 200-foot right-of-way of the Pacific Electric Railway
21	Company's Newport Beach Line, thence northwesterly along said parallel
22	line to the northwesterly line of Parcel 1 of the property conveyed to the
23	City by deed recorded in Book 4654, page 163, of official records in the
24	Office of the County Recorder, having a bearing of south 74° 39' 30" west
25	and a length of 401.30 feet; thence south 74° 39' 30" west 95.53 feet to an
26	angle in said Parcel 1; thence south 56° 04' 30" west, 167.47 feet to the
27	most westerly corner of said Parcel 1; thence north 56° 04' 25" west 311.34
28	feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel 2 of said property conveyed to

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the City; thence south 80° 07' 11" west, 102.51 feet to a point in the southwesterly line of said Parcel 2; thence north 21° 42' 40" west 309.95 feet along said southwesterly line of Parcel 2 to a point in a curve concave to the south and having a radius of 1884.91 feet, a radial line passing through said point of curve having a bearing of north 3° 43' 54" east; thence southeasterly along said curve an arc distance of 503.52 feet to the end of said curve, a radial line passing through the end of said curve having a bearing of north 19° 02' 14.7" east; thence south 70° 57' 45.3" east 122.99 feet to the centerline of Santiago Avenue, 60 feet wide; and thence northerly along said centerline of Santiago Avenue to the point of beginning. Provided, however, that it is unlawful hereafter to drill any new well or to erect any derrick within that portion of Area 8 described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of Santiago Avenue (60 feet wide) with the south line of Colorado Street (60 feet wide); thence east along said south line of Colorado Street to the centerline of Manila Avenue (60 feet wide); thence south 250 feet along said centerline of Manila Avenue; thence west along a line 250 feet south of and parallel to said south line of Colorado Street to the westerly line of Parcel 2 of the land conveyed to the City by deed recorded July 17, 1926, in Book 4653, page 163, of official records in the Office of the County Recorder, thence northwesterly along said westerly line of Parcel 2 to the south line of Colorado Street (60 feet wide); thence east along said south line of Colorado Street to the point of beginning. Along with: In the City of Long Beach, County of Los Angeles, State of

California, and is described as follows:

Parcels 4, 5 and 6, as shown on Parcel Map No. 19212, as per map filed in Book 260, pages 93 and 94 of parcel maps, in the office of the

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recorder of said County; except therefrom all oil, gas, petroleum and other hydrocarbon substances conveyed by various instruments both recorded and unrecorded all confirmed and clarified by deed from Fred H. Bixby Ranch Company, a California Corporation, recorded September 16, 1971 as instrument no. 3355, in Book D 5193 Page 959 of official records, which deed recites that the grantees, their heirs, successors and assigns shall have no right to enter upon the surface of the property or use the property or any portion thereof above a plane parallel to and 500 feet below the present surface thereof without the express approval in writing of the grantor. Subject to covenants, conditions, restrictions, reservations, easements and rights-of-way of record if any.

Section 2. The Long Beach Municipal Code is hereby amended by adding Section 12.08.257 to read as follows:

12.08.257- Area 25 - 2nd St and Studebaker Road drill site.

Area 25 is that portion of the City described as follows:

A portion of Parcel 3 of City of Long Beach Lot Line Adjustment no. 9704-08, recorded December 12, 1997 as Instrument no. 97-1958951, official records of Los Angeles County, California, being a portion of the east one-half of section 2, township 5 south, range 12 west, in the Rancho Los Alamitos, as shown on partition map recorded in Book 700, page 141 of deeds, in the office of the Los Angeles County Recorder, described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of said parcel 5, being the southwest corner of said east one-half of section 2, and being the centerline intersection of Westminster Avenue (100 feet wide) and Studebaker Road (100 feet wide); thence north 00° 10' 03'east, along the westerly line of said parcel 3, being the westerly line of said east one-half

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of section 2, and also being said centerline of Studebaker Road, a distance of 400.00 feet, thence south 89° 50' 17" east, a distance of 493.10 feet; thence south 64° 14' 06" east, a distance of 75.63 feet; thence south 00° 52' 38" west, a distance of 367.39 feet, to the southerly line of said parcel 3, being the southerly line of said east one-half of section 2, and also being said centerline of Westminster Avenue. Thence north 89° 60' 17" west along said southerly line and said centerline, a distance of 556.57 feet, to the point of beginning.

Section 3. That the City Council hereby adopts as its own, the Findings recommended by the Planning Commission in relation to the proposed amendments to the City's Oil Code, which Findings are more fully set forth in the Recitals of this 12 Resolution, and which the City Council incorporates herein as though set forth in full, word for word.

Section 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance by the City Council and cause it to be posted in three (3) conspicuous places in the City of Long Beach, and it shall take effect on the thirty-first (31st) day after it is approved by the Mayor.

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