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<u>AN ORDINANCE</u> <u>AMENDING THE CITY CHARTER OF</u> <u>MARIETTA, GEORGA</u>

To provide for the formal adoption of the redistricting map for the City of Marietta pursuant to Section 3.3 of the Charter of the City of Marietta, Georgia.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARIETTA, GEORGIA THAT:

Section 1. The Charter of the City of Marietta, Georgia is hereby proposed to be amended pursuant to Section 3.3 of the City of Marietta by adopting the map which is attached hereto marked Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference as the official Ward Boundary Map of the City of Marietta, Georgia. This adoption follows one public hearing and the required advertisements in the Marietta Daily Journal. This is the first of two ordinances to be adopted. The second ordinance, if approved, will be adopted at the December 12, 2012 City Council meeting. In addition, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 36-354.1, such reapportionment of districts shall be effective for the election of members to the municipal governing authority at the next regular general municipal election following the publication of the decennial census. The attached map is hereby proposed to be the official Ward District Boundary Map for the City of Marietta, Georgia. This ordinance adoption is pursuant to a public hearing held November 14, 2012, after proper notification and at regularly called meeting of the Mayor and Council in and for the City of Marietta, Georgia. The legal description of each ward boundary is on file in the City Clerk's office is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. The adoption of this Charter Amendment follows: (a) The publication of notice in the local newspaper, as required by law; (b) The holding of one public hearing; (c) The filing of the Proposed Amendments with the Clerk of Superior Court and the Clerk for the City of Marietta, Georgia; and (d) The posting of signs pursuant to State Law in the various wards.

Section 3. It is hereby declared to be the intention of this Ordinance that its sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases are severable, and if any section, paragraph, sentence, clause of phrase of this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional or invalid, it shall not affect any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall become effective upon the signature or without the signature of the Mayor subject to Georgia laws 1983, Page 4119.

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ATTEST:

Stephanie Guy, CITY CLERK

Approved as to Form:

Douglas R. Haynie City Attorney

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