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3 **ORDINANCE NO. 2013-01**

4 **AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF WINDERMERE, FLORIDA**
5 **RELATING TO SIGNS; AMENDING SECTIONS 8.03.06 AND 8.04.05 OF**
6 **ARTICLE VIII OF THE LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE REGARDING**
7 **POLITICAL AND ELECTION CAMPAIGN SIGNS AND FLAGS;**
8 **REMOVING RESTRICTIONS ON THE ALLOWABLE NUMBER OF**
9 **POLITICAL SIGNS AND FLAGS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY,**
10 **CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

11 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN OF WINDERMERE:**

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13 **Section 1. Amendments to Article VIII of the Land Development Code:** Section
14 8.03.06 entitled "Political and Election Campaign Signs" and 8.04.05 entitled "Flags" are
15 amended as indicated by the following underlined and strike-through language:

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17 8.03.06 Political and Election Campaign Signs

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19 ~~One temporary double faced sign~~ Political and election campaign signs not
20 exceeding four square feet in area may be displayed by an owner or tenant on
21 their property without a permit, ~~subject to the restrictions imposed in other parts~~
22 ~~of this Article. Two signs may be placed back to back and joined as one sign.~~
23 ~~Said signs must be removed within forty eight hours of the election.~~

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26 8.04.05 Flags

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28 ~~A. Number~~

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30 ~~Not more than three separate and different flags or insignias of governmental,~~
31 ~~religious, charitable, fraternal or other organizations may be displayed on any~~
32 ~~one parcel of land.~~

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34 ~~AB. Size~~

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36 The maximum distance from top to bottom of any flag shall be twenty percent
37 of the total height of the flagpole, or in the absence of flagpole, twenty percent
38 of the distance from the top of the flag or insignia to the ground.

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40 ~~BC. Height~~

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42 No flagpole shall exceed thirty feet.
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Section 2. Severability. If any provision or portion of this ordinance is declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be void, unconstitutional, or unenforceable, then all remaining provisions and portions of this ordinance shall remain in full effect.

Section 3. Codification. The amendments in Section 1 of this Ordinance shall be codified and made part of the official Land Development Code of the Town of Windermere.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance takes effect immediately upon its enactment.

ENACTED this 12th day of March 2013, at a regular meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Windermere, Florida.

Town of Windermere, Florida

by: Town Council

by: _____

Gary Bruhn, Mayor

Attest:

Dorothy Burkhalter, CMC
Town Clerk

First reading: February 12, 2013
Second reading: March 12, 2013

