

ORDINANCE NO. 2021- 57

ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2006-53, AS AMENDED, CHAPTER 29 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF VINELAND ENTITLED VINELAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

WHEREAS, City Council of the City of Vineland adopted Ordinance 2006-53, Chapter 29 of the Code of the City of Vineland creating the Vineland Development Corporation (VDC) to assist in the economic development of the City of Vineland; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 29, Section 29-3A set the number of the Board of Directors for the VDC at seven; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 29, Section 20-3B set forth the method of the selection of the members of the Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, over the history of the VDC various Ordinances amended Chapter 29, Section 3B to change the number of the Board of Directors and the method for their appointment; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 2018-22, amended Chapter 29, Section 20-3A and 3B to bring the Board of Directors back to nine (9) members, appointed the five (5) members of the Enterprise Zone Development Corporation of Vineland and Millville to the Board; and provided the Mayor of the City of Vineland, with the advice and consent of City Council, the authority to appoint 2 residents of the City of Vineland; and 2 business owners or professionals maintaining a principal office in the Vineland UEZ to the Board of Directors, and

WHEREAS, the Director of Economic Development has recommended that Council consider amending the number of Directors from seven to nine and further, to amend the makeup of the Board to better represent the economic interest of the City

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Vineland that Chapter 29, Section 3A and 3B created by Ordinance 2006-53, and amended by Ordinance 2008-61, Ordinance 2009-13, Ordinance 2017-8, and Ordinance 2018-22, be further amended be as follows:

Chapter 29, Section 3A shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced as follows:

Section 29-3A “The Board of Directors shall consist of 9 members;

Chapter 29, Section 3B shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced as follows:

Section 29-3B The Board of Directors consist of: (a) the Mayor of the City of Vineland; (b) a member of Vineland City Council; (c) two (2) residents of the City of Vineland; (d) three (3) business owners or professionals with a principal office located in the Vineland Urban Enterprise Zone; and (e) two (2) members of a community organization active in the City of Vineland. The Mayor of the City of Vineland shall appoint the member of City Council, along with the three (3) members of the Vineland business community; the two (2) members of community organizations; and the two (2) residents. All appointments shall be made with the advice and consent of Vineland City Council.

BE IF FURTHER ORDAINED that the balance of Ordinance 2006-53, as amended shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IF FURTHER ORDAINED should any portion of this Ordinance be deemed unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, that portion so determined to be unenforceable, shall be void and the balance hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

CITY OF VINELAND

This Ordinance shall take effect upon the adoption and publication according to law.

Passed first reading:

Passed final reading:

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President of Council

Approved by the Mayor:

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk