

**CITY OF MARTINSVILLE, VIRGINIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2018-6**

**ESTABLISHING MARTINSVILLE LAND BANK AUTHORITY**

*BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Martinsville, Virginia, in Regular Session held on December 11, 2018, that Chapter 2 of the City Code be, and hereby is, amended to add a new Article IX, Section 2-135, to read as follows:*

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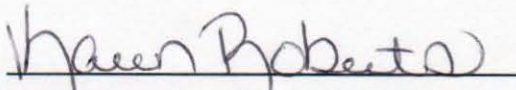
**2-135. Martinsville Land Bank Authority.**

Having conducted a public hearing duly advertised pursuant to Code of Virginia § 15.2-7502, the City of Martinsville does hereby establish, under the authority granted by Code of Virginia § 15.2-7501, a land bank entity, created as an authority, a public body corporate and political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

1. The name of the authority shall be the Martinsville Land Bank Authority.
2. The City of Martinsville is the sole locality creating the authority.
3. The purpose for which the authority is created shall be those set forth in Title 15.2, subtitle IV, Chapter 75 of the Code of Virginia, as hereafter amended.
4. The names, addresses and terms of office of the initial board of directors are:
  - a. Gene Teague, Chairman, 921 Hunting Ridge Road, Martinsville, Virginia 24112, for a term expiring December 31, 2018.
  - b. Chad Martin, Vice Chairman, 911 Royal Drive, Martinsville, Virginia 24112, for a term expiring December 31, 2020.
  - c. Jennifer Bowles, 1670 Roundabout Road, Martinsville, Virginia 24112, for a term expiring December 31, 2022.
  - d. Kathy Lawson, 909 Barrows Mill Road, Martinsville, Virginia 24112, for a term expiring December 31, 2020.
  - e. James Woods, 815 Clarke Road, Martinsville, Virginia 24112, for a term expiring December 31, 2020.
5. Succeeding members of the board of directors, officers of the board of directors, and their terms of office shall be the same persons, offices, and terms as those of the Martinsville Housing and Redevelopment Authority.

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***Attest:***



**Karen Roberts, Clerk of Council**