AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE AND MAP BY SHOWING THE LOCATION, BOUNDARY, AND USE OF CERTAIN PROPERTY FOR A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT FOR A BANK WITH A DRIVE-THROUGH WITHIN THE LAKE RIDGE CORRIDOR OVERLAY DISTRICT: BEING 1.24 ACRES, A PORTION OF LOT 1, BLOCK 1, LAKE PARKS RETAIL ADDITION, CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TARRANT COUNTY, TEXAS; SAID ZONING MAP AND ORDINANCE BEING NUMBERED ORDINANCE NUMBER 4779 AND PASSED ON NOVEMBER 20, 1990; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING A PENALTY; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AFTER PUBLICATION

**WHEREAS**, the owners of the property described herein below filed application with the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, petitioning an amendment of the Zoning Ordinance and Map of said city so as to amend the zoning designation of said site to include a Specific Use Permit for a Bank with a Drive-through; and

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission of Grand Prairie, Texas, held a public hearing on said application on March 10, 2025, after written notice of such public hearing before the Planning and Zoning Commission on the proposed Specific Use Permit had been sent to owners of real property lying within 300 feet of the property on which the creation of a Specific Use Permit for a Bank with a Drive-through is proposed, said Notice having been given not less than ten (10) days before the date set for hearing to all such owners who rendered their said property for City taxes as the ownership appears on the last approved City Tax Roll, and such Notice being served by depositing the same, properly addressed and postage paid, in the City Post Office; and

**WHEREAS**, after consideration of said application, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas voted 6 to 0 to recommend to the City Council of Grand Prairie, Texas, that said Zoning Ordinance and Map be amended to allow a Specific Use Permit for a Bank with a Drive-through; and

WHEREAS, notice was given of a further public hearing to be held by the City Council of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, in the City Hall Plaza Building at 6:30 o'clock P.M. on April 1, 2025, to consider the advisability of amending the Zoning Ordinance and Map as recommended by the Planning and Zoning Commission, and all citizens and parties at interest were notified that they would have an opportunity to be heard, such Notice of the time and place of such hearing having been given at least fifteen (15) days prior to such hearing by publication in the, Fort Worth Star Telegram, Fort Worth, Texas, a newspaper of general circulation in such municipality; and

WHEREAS, all citizens and parties at interest have been given an opportunity to be heard on all the matter of the Specific Use Permit and the City Council of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, being informed as to the location and nature of the specific use proposed on said property, as well as the nature and usability of surrounding property, have found and determined that the property in question, as well as other property within the city limits of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, has changed in character since the enactment of the original Zoning Ordinance to the extent that a specific use may be made of said property as herein provided and by reason of changed conditions, does consider and find that this amendatory Ordinance should be enacted since its provisions are in the public interest and will promote the health, safety and welfare of the community.

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## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS THAT:

**SECTION 1.** Ordinance Number 4779, being the Unified Development Code of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas, showing the locations and boundaries of certain districts, and said Zoning Ordinance and Map having been made a part of an Ordinance entitled:

"THE UNIFIED DEVELOPMENT CODE OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, AS PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON THE 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1990, TOGETHER WITH ALL AMENDMENTS THERETO AND ENACTING A REVISED ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND PROVIDING FOR ZONING REGULATIONS; CREATING USE DISTRICTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN..."

passed and approved November 20, 1990, as amended, is hereby further amended so as to establish a Specific Use Permit and Site Plan for a Bank with a Drive-Through on 1.24 acres. A portion of Lot 1, Block 1, Lake Parks Retail Addition, City of Grand Prairie, Tarrant County, Texas, said property being depicted in Exhibit A – Boundary Description, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

**SECTION 2.** The purpose of this Ordinance is to provide the appropriate restrictions and development controls that ensure this Specific Use Permit is compatible with the surrounding development and zoning and to also ensure that the development complies with the City's Comprehensive Plan and Unified Development Code.

**SECTION 3.** For the development and operations of a Bank with a Drive-Through, the following standards and conditions are hereby established as part of this ordinance:

- 1. The development shall adhere to the City Council approved Exhibit B Site Plan, Exhibit C Landscape Plan, and Exhibit D Building Elevations, which are attached hereto and incorporated herein.
- 2. The developer shall construct the deceleration lane concurrent with the construction of the proposed bank site.
- 3. The City Council has granted the following variances from applicable standards set forth in Appendix F of the Unified Development Code:
  - A. Exceeding Maximum Parking: Variance to allow exceeding the maximum parking requirement due to the 10 permeable parking spaces provided, satisfying Appendix F's compensatory measure.
  - B. Overall Windows: Variance to the requirement that windows account for 50% of the area of all facades to allow the building to be constructed with windows that account for 16 % of all facades.
- 4. The City Council has granted the following variance from applicable standards set forth in Article 8 and Appendix F of the Unified Development Code:
  - A. Street & Buffer Trees- Variance to the requirement for 9 trees to be planted along Camp Wisdom Road to allow 5 trees to be planted.

**SECTION 4.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances not consistent or conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed. Provided that such repeal shall be only to the extent of such inconsistency

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and in all other respects this Ordinance shall be cumulative of other ordinances regulating and governing the subject matter covered in this Ordinance.

**SECTION 5.** The Unified Development Code of the City of Grand Prairie, as amended, shall be and remain in full force and effect save and except as amended by this Ordinance.

**SECTION 6.** The terms and provisions of this Ordinance are severable and are governed by Section 1-4 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas.

**SECTION 7.** It is further provided that in the case a section, clause, sentence, or part of this Ordinance shall be deemed or adjudicated by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, then such invalidity shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 8.** A violation of this Ordinance is a misdemeanor punishable in accordance with Section 1-8 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Grand Prairie, Texas. The penalty provided herein shall be cumulative of other remedies provided by State law, and the power of injunction as provided in Texas Local Government Code Section 54.016, as amended, may be exercised in enforcing this ordinance whether or not there has been a complaint filed.

**SECTION 9.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS, THIS THE  $1^{\rm ST}$  OF APRIL, 2025.

SPECIFIC USE PERMIT NO. 1191 CASE NO. SUP-25-01-0004

	APPROVED:
	Ron Jensen, Mayor
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
City Secretary	City Attorney
City Secretary	City Attorney