STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

ORDINANCE 2022-11-28

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CITY OF JOHNS CREEK CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 6 – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 6-107 TO REMOVE AUTREY MILL NATURE PRESERVE FROM THE OPEN CONTAINER DISTRICT

WHEREAS, pursuant to its Charter and other laws of the State of Georgia, the City of Johns Creek, Georgia, has the power to adopt reasonable ordinances, resolutions and regulations for the protection and preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, in 2006 the City adopted Chapter 6 of the Code of Ordinances, the Alcoholic Beverages Ordinance, to establish reasonable standards for the regulation and control of the licensing, sale, and service of alcoholic beverages; and

WHEREAS, since the adoption of the Alcoholic Beverages Ordinances the City adopted minor amendments to reflect voter-decided referendums and changes to State Law; and

WHEREAS, to remain competitive with neighboring cities and common practices related to sale and service of alcoholic beverages, in November 2021, the City repealed and replaced the Alcoholic Beverages Ordinance which among other changes added three Open Container Areas in Special Districts; and

WHEREAS, the regulations of Open Container Areas in Special Districts have been found to not fit the needs of Autrey Mill Nature Preserve.

NOW THEREFORE, the Mayor and Council of the City of Johns Creek hereby ordain that Chapter 6 – Alcoholic Beverages, Article IV "Open Container Areas in Special Districts," Section "6-107. Definition of special districts" is amended as follows:

Chapter 6 – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

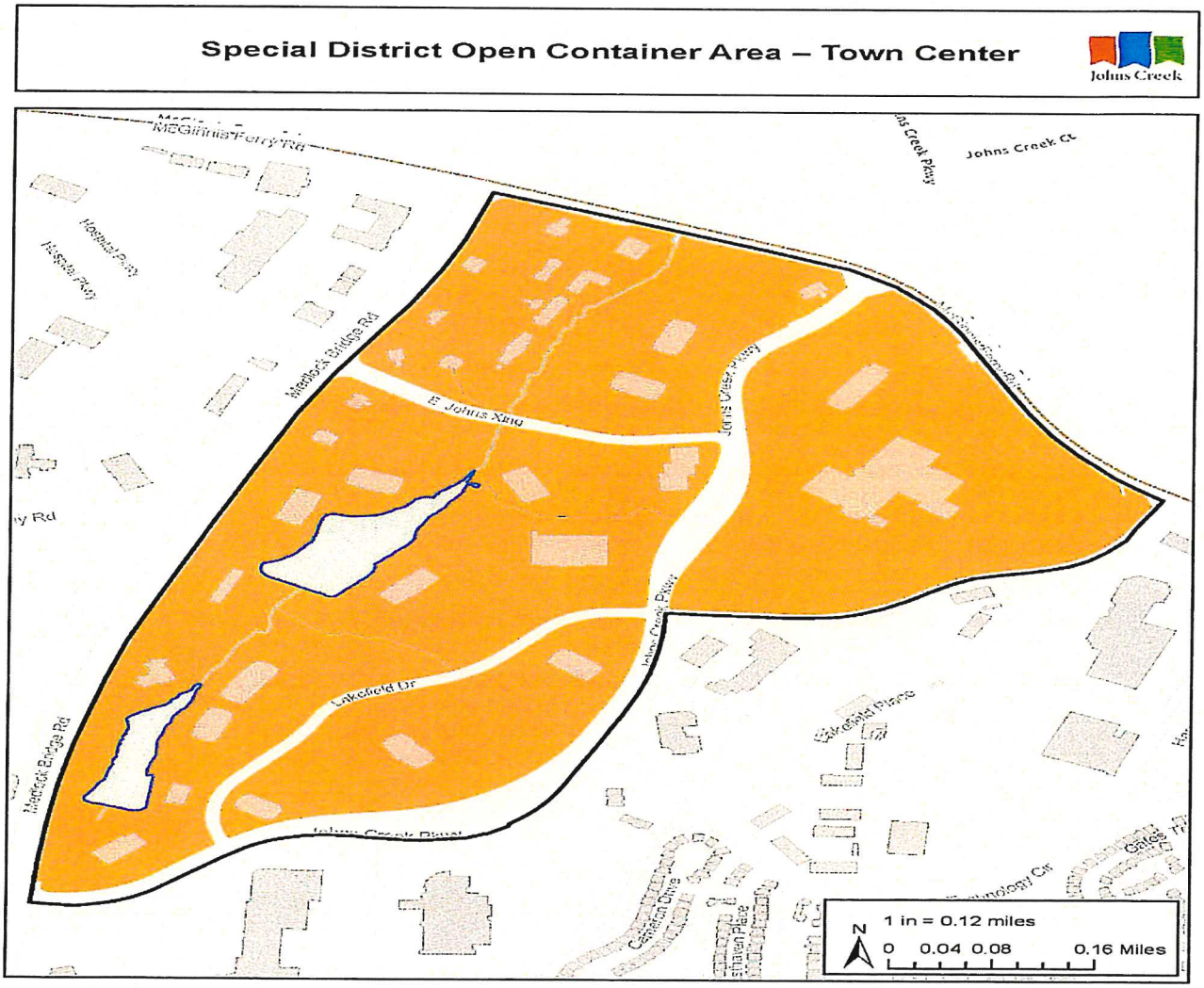
Article IV. Open Container Areas in Special Districts.

Section 6-107. Definition of special districts.

For the purposes of this article only, the city's special districts are designated as follows: the boundary of the town center area, and within the fenced/enclosed area of Mark Burkhalter Amphitheater in Newtown Park (as shown in the maps below).

In the case of a licensed establishment, only within the town center area, whose main entrance is inside a special district, the entire licensed establishment shall be considered part of the special district, regardless of whether any portion of the licensed establishment is in a zoning district not included in the special district.

1. Special District Open Container Area – Town Center
2. Special District Open Container Area – Mark Burkhalter Amphitheater


Special District Open Container Area – Town Center
Johns Creek
Johns Creek Ct
Medlock Bridge Rd
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Johns Creek Pkwy
Lakefield Dr
Lakefield Place
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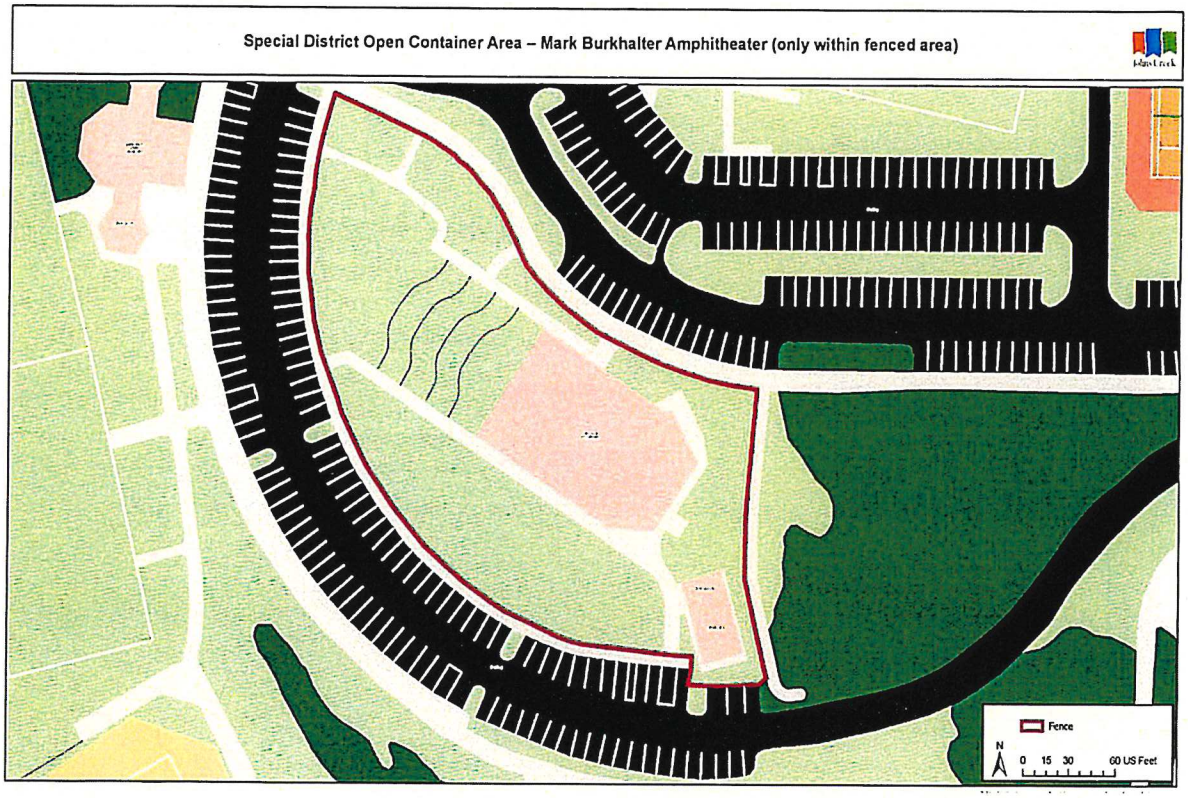

SO ORDAINED, this 28th day of November, 2022.

Approved:

John Bradberry, Mayor

ATTEST:

Allison Tarpley, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

E. Ronald Bennett, Jr., City Attorney