RESOLUTION A Resolution of Consistency and Reasonableness

A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE APPLICATION FOR CONDITIONAL ZONING AT THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 107 JOHNSON STREET FROM RESIDENTIAL-3 (R-3) TO RESIDENTIAL-SPECIAL STANDARDS-CONDITIONAL ZONING DISTRICT (R-SS-CZD) IS REASONABLE AND CONSISTENCY WITH THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN (2022-X-X/R-X)

WHEREAS, Empowerment, Inc. has filed an application for Conditional Zoning to rezone a 0.70-acre parcel located at 107 Johnson Street and identified as Orange County Parcel Identifier Numbers 9788-03-2946, 9788-03-0899, and 9788-03-0940 to Residential–Special Standards–Conditional Zoning (R-SS-CZD) to allow a 10-dwelling unit affordable multifamily community; and

WHEREAS, the Town staff have completed a review of the application for compliance with the Land Use Management Ordinance, Town Code, and for Consistency with the Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission reviewed the application on May 3, 2022 and recommended/did not recommend that the Council enact the Conditional Zoning for the property; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill has considered the application for Conditional Zoning and finds that the amendment if enacted, is reasonable and in the public's interest and is warranted to achieve the purposes of the Comprehensive Plan, as explained by, but not limited to, the following goals of the Comprehensive Plan:

- Contributing to a range of housing options for current and future residents. (Goal: A Place for Everyone 1.3)
- A well-conceived and planned, carefully thought-out, integrated, and balanced transportation system that recognizes the importance of automobiles, but encourages and facilitates the growth and use of other means of transportation such as bicycle, pedestrian, and public transportation options (Goal: Getting Around 3.1)
- A connected community that links neighborhoods, businesses, and schools through the provision of greenways, sidewalks, bike facilities, and public transportation (Goal: Getting Around 3.2)
- A vibrant, diverse, pedestrian-friendly, and accessible downtown with opportunities for growing office, retail, residential, and cultural development and activity (Goal: Good Places, New Spaces 4.2)

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill that the Council hereby finds the proposed Conditional Zoning to be reasonable and consistent with the Town Comprehensive Plan.

This the 4th day of May, 2022.