

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE SECTION 25-8-261 RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIONS IN A CRITICAL WATER QUALITY ZONE AT THE ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1.** City Code Section 25-8-261 (*Critical Water Quality Zone Development*) is amended to add a new Subsection (K) to read:

(K) Any segment of trail that is a part of the Ann and Roy Butler Hike and Bike Trail, as defined by the Parks and Recreation Department, is not subject to Paragraph (B)(3)(c) or Subdivision (C)(2) and may be located within 50 feet of Lady Bird Lake if:

- (1) restoration, as determined by a functional assessment of floodplain health as prescribed by the Environmental Criteria Manual, includes a restored area at a minimum ratio of 1:1 and a maximum ratio of 2:1 of restored area to disturbed area, or
- (2) alternative compliance as approved by the director is provided.

**PART 2.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2024      § \_\_\_\_\_  
Kirk Watson  
Mayor

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Anne L. Morgan      Myrna Rios  
City Attorney      City Clerk