AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPENDIX A-SUBDIVISIONS OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF PEORIA RELATING TO THE COMBINATION OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSIONS

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria is a home rule municipality pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, as a home rule municipality, the City may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Peoria desires to exercise its powers to combine the planning and zoning functions into one commission and confer this combined commission the duties and powers as stated below; and

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1:</u> Appendix A-Subdivision of the Peoria City Code is hereby amended by deleting the following stricken words and adding the following underlined words:

ARTICLE III. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Part I. Jurisdiction, application, and definitions.

3-104. Definitions.

For the purpose of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meaning[s] given herein. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words in the plural number include the singular number, and words in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory:

N. <u>"Planning Commission"</u>, "Plan commission" or "commission" means the City of Peoria Planning <u>and Zoning Commission</u>.

 $\underline{\text{Section 2.}} \quad \text{This Ordinance shall be in full force immediately and upon passage and approval according to law.}$

| PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DAY OF | THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS, THIS, 2014 |
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| | APPROVED: |
| ATTEST: | Mayor |
| City Clerk | |
| EXAMINED AND APPROVED: | |
| Corporation Counsel | |