ZONING ORDINANCE TEXT AMENDMENT APPLICATION CITY OF CHARLOTTE

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Purpose of Changes:

This text amendment proposes to remove the "List of Acceptable Plant Species" from "Appendix 1" because it has been updated and added to the <u>Charlotte Land Development Standards Manual</u>, effective July 1, 2009. In addition, this amendment will modify references made to "Appendix 1" to now refer to the <u>Charlotte Land Development Standards Manual</u>.

The advantage of moving the modified list is that the <u>Charlotte Land Development Standards Manual</u> is a dynamic document that is updated periodically by staff, and does not require a public hearing to modify.

The Charlotte Land Development Standards Manual Committee (comprised of various city departments) reviewed and updated the tree and shrub list in "Appendix 1" of the Zoning Ordinance by:

- Adding approved species listed in the Tree Ordinance.
- Adding species approved by Duke Power for placement within various utility transmission zones.
- Adding species that are native and more tolerant of local environmental conditions.
- Removing species that are invasive or less desirable.

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