ORDINANCE NO. 2022-05

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2021-06 REQUIRING WEARING MASKS IN BUILDINGS OR INDOOR SPACES MANAGED, LEASED OR OWNED BY THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

WHEREAS, the Covid pandemic is ongoing with changes in Community Level of Transmission spiking and declining at various intervals since the onset of the pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Phenix City wishes to amend enforcement of Ordinance 2021-06 regarding the wearing of masks inside City buildings or other indoor spaces in accordance with the most recent recommendations from the Center for Disease Control (CDC).

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED as follows:

When the Community Level of Transmission for Russell County Alabama is in the Low or Medium category according to the CDC website, the requirements as set forth in Ordinance 2021-06 shall not apply. When the Community Level of Transmission for Russell County Alabama is in the High category according to the CDC website, the full requirements of Ordinance 2021-06 shall apply regardless of vaccination status.

At times when masks are not required in City facilities, any member of the public or employees may still opt to wear a mask based on personal preference and their personal level of risk for themselves and their family.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of March, 2022.

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COMNCAL OF

THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA