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## ORDINANCE NUMBER 1282

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 12, "PARKS AND RECREATION," ARTICLE IX, "FOREST PRESERVE," OF THE GREENBELT CITY CODE FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESIGNATING A CITY-OWNED PARCEL AS FOREST PRESERVE AREA (PARCEL 12)

WHEREAS, the City of Greenbelt has adopted a Forest Preserve program for the purpose of recognizing, designating, managing, and maintaining certain open space and naturally wooded areas as forest preserve; and

WHEREAS, the Forest Preserve program establishes criteria for the use and management of such designated areas; and

WHEREAS, the City has decided to extend the protections of the Forest Preserve program to additional City-owned open and naturally wooded areas. NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that the parcel hereinafter referred to as Parcel 12, which shall be considered part of the North Preserve, is designated and established as a Forest Preserve area, as described herein, and that Chapter 12 of the City Code is amended to read as follows:

## CHAPTER 12 PARKS AND RECREATION

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## ARTICLE IX. FOREST PRESERVE

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## Sec. 12-152. Designated forest preserve areas.

a. The North Preserve shall be defined as that area held in ownership by the City of Greenbelt and located north of Northway, west of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway, south of the corporate city limits, and east of Ridge Road, comprised of legal parcels described as Map 27, Grid A2, Parcel 10, consisting of 102.5869 acres; Map 27, Grid B2, Parcel 17, consisting of 13.90 acres; Map 27, Grid A1, Parcel 19, consisting of 24.3363 acres; and Map 27, Grid B3, Parcel 20, consisting of 4.079 acres; and Map 27, Grid A3, Parcel 12, consisting of 10.6427 acres; excluding those areas designated for location of the observatory and appurtenance improvements, and a yard waste collection location and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest property corner and extending east for a distance of 1025 feet, then extending north at a 90 degree angle for a distance of 275 feet, then extending east at a 90 degree angle for a

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Passed by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at its regular meeting of June 18, 2007.

Judith F. Davis, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathleen Gallagher, City Clerk

Key:

<u>Underscoring</u> indicates language added to existing law.

Overstriking- indicates language deleted from existing law.

Asterisks \*\*\* indicate intervening existing Code provisions that remain unchanged.