ORDINANCE NO. 3117-18

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WINTER PARK, FLORIDA, AMENDING ARTICLE IV, SIGN REGULATIONS OF THE CITY OF WINTER PARK LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION OF MURALS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CODIFICATION, CONFLICTS AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Winter Park has determined the need to update and revise its Land Development Code relative to signs;

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that some signs, particularly large signs, signs with lighted and/or changing information, and human signs, detract from the aesthetic beauty of the landscape;

WHEREAS, the City Commission wishes to preserve the aesthetic beauty of the City of Winter Park;

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds and determines that pursuant to the policy of the City’s Comprehensive Plan, the City’s Land Development Code is required to regulate signage;

WHEREAS, words with single underlined type shall constitute additions to the original text and strike-through shall constitute deletions to the original text.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF WINTER PARK:

SECTION 1. Chapter 58, Land Development Code, Article IV, Sign Regulations, Section 58-130 (e) Mural signs” is hereby amended and modified to read as follows:

(e) Mural signs. Art work painted or affixed to building walls, facades or other exterior surfaces shall be limited to one single façade only on the first floor on each side directly facing a street and shall not cover more than forty five (45%) percent of the first floor of that wall or signable area. The City Commission may approve larger murals on a case by case basis, at a public hearing after notice to adjacent property owners, if such mural art works are to be exclusively non-commercial in nature, and in no way identify a product and deemed to provide artistic value and benefit to the surrounding area and not just of benefit to the building or business proposing the mural.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY. If any Section or portion of a Section of this Ordinance proves to be invalid, unlawful, or unconstitutional, it shall not be held to invalidate or impair the validity, force, or effect of any other Section or part of this Ordinance.
SECTION 3. CODIFICATION. It is the intention of the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinance of the City of Winter Park, Florida; that the Sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered or re-lettered to accomplish such intention; that the word, "Ordinance" may be changed to "Section," "Article," or other appropriate word.

SECTION 4. CONFLICTS. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida, held in City Hall, Winter Park, on this 23rd day of July, 2018.

ATTEST:

City Clerk, Cynthia S. Bonham