ORDINANCE NO. <u>pq-2017</u>

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HAHIRA, GEORGIA

To amend certain provisions of Chapter 38, Article V, Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control of the Code of the City of Hahira ("the City Code") and for other purposes,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hahira and it is hereby ORDAINED by the authority thereof:

I.

Article V, Division 1, Sec. 38-231 - Definitions is amended by deleting the definitions for CPESC, Design Professional, Final Stabilization, and Trout Streams in their entirety and replacing those definitions with the following:

Sec. 38-231. Definitions.

CPESC: Certified Professional in Erosion and Sediment Control with current certification by EnviroCert, Inc., which is also referred to as CPESC or CPESC, Inc.

Design Professional: A professional licensed by the State of Georgia in the field of: engineering, architecture, landscape architecture, forestry, geology, or land surveying; or a person that is a Certified Professional in Erosion and Sediment Control (CPESC) with a current certification by EnviroCert, Inc. Design Professionals shall practice in a manner that complies with applicable Georgia law governing professional licensure.

Final Stabilization: All soil disturbing activities at the site have been completed, and that for unpaved areas and areas not covered by permanent structures and areas located outside the waste disposal limits of a landfill cell that has been certified by EPD for waste disposal, 100% of the soil surface is uniformly covered in permanent vegetation with a density of 70% or greater, or landscaped according to the Plan (uniformly covered with landscaping materials in planned landscape areas), or equivalent permanent stabilization measures as defined in the Manual (excluding a crop of annual vegetation and seeding of target crop perennials appropriate for the region). Final stabilization applies to each phase of construction.

Trout Streams: All streams or portions of streams within the watershed as designated by the Wildlife Resources Division of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources under the provisions of the Georgia Water Quality Control Act, O.C.G.A. 12-5-20, in the rules and regulations for Water Quality Control, Chapter 391-3-6 at www.epd.georgia.gov. Streams designated as primary trout waters are defined as water supporting a self-sustaining population of rainbow, brown or brook trout. Streams designated as secondary trout waters are those in which there is no evidence of natural trout reproduction, but are

capable of supporting trout throughout the year. First order trout waters are streams into which no other streams flow except springs.

II.

All other provisions of the City Code shall remain in full force and effect except as amended hereby.

III.

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

IV.

All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

ORDAINED this 3rd day of August, 2017.

Bruce Cain, Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk