STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA	)	
	)	ORDINANCE NUMBER 12-17
COUNTY OF DORCHESTER	)	

## AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NUMBER 10-19 AND AMENDING DORCHESTER COUNTY ZONING AND LAND DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS ORDINANCE NUMBER 04-13

WHEREAS, Dorchester County desires to repeal Ordinance Number 10-19 in its entirety, and further desires to amend Dorchester County Zoning and Land Development Standards Ordinance Number 04-13, as heretofore amended, as set forth below.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Dorchester County Council, duly assembled, as follows:

That Dorchester County Ordinance Number 10-19 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

That Dorchester County Zoning and Land Development Standards Ordinance Number 04-13, as previously amended, is further amended with respect to Article X, Section 10.3.1 to add a new subsection (s) to read as follows:

(s) Female chickens and/or rabbits, provided that the total number of such animals, or any combination thereof, shall not exceed a total of ten (10), on individual lots containing more than 7,500 square feet and being used for Residential, Single-Family Detached or Residential, Manufactured Housing Unit; provided, however, that all such animals must be suitably confined to the rear of the property by fencing or other appropriate confinement mechanism and appropriate sanitation is maintained. Please note that homeowner's associations (HOA) regulations and/or Restrictive Covenants or other homeowner restrictions may prohibit such animals.

Except as specifically amended thereby, Dorchester County Zoning and Land Development Standards Ordinance Number 04-13, as heretofore amended, and as amended hereby, shall remain in full force and effect.

Adopted on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012.

Larry Hargett, Chairman

Dorchester County Council

First Reading: 10/15/12

Second Reading: 11/07/12 Public Hearing: 11/07/12

Third Reading: 11/19/12

ATTEST:

Sandy Lawley, Clerk of Council