Date: 10/14/20

Name of preparer: Gene Garate

Contact information of preparer: zoningadministrator@virgin.utah.gov

Reason for change:

Updating Manufactured Home definition. (See Utah State Code 15A-1-302(6))

Current wording:

**Manufactured home**. A structure transportable in one or more sections, which is built on a permanent chassis and must be attached to a permanent foundation and connected to the required utilities. The term "manufactured home" does not include a "recreational vehicle." Said manufactured home shall be classified as a mobile home unless it is placed on a permanent foundation and complies with all applicable building and housing codes. Said manufactured home shall have a minimum of 1,000 square feet: a minimum 4:12 slope/pitch of roof. Brick veneer, stucco, or other similar materials are to be used on the exterior of the manufactured home. A transportable factory built housing unit constructed after June 15, 1976, according to the federal home construction and safety standards act of 1974 (HUD code), in one or more sections, and is identified by the manufacture's data plate bearing the date the unit was manufactured and a HUD label attached to the exterior of the home certifying the home was manufactured to HUD standards.

Proposed wording:

**Manufactured Home** - a transportable factory-built housing unit constructed on or after June 15, 1976, according to the HUD Code, in one or more sections, that:

- (a) in the traveling mode, is eight body feet or more in width or 40 body feet or more in length, or when erected on site, is 400 or more square feet: and
- (b) is built on a permanent chassis and designed to be used as a dwelling with or without a permanent foundation when connected to the required utilities, and includes the plumbing, heating, air-conditioning, and electrical systems.

### Date: 10/14/20

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Reason for change:

Updating "Mobile Home" definition. (See Utah State Code 15A-1-302(7))

Current wording:

**Mobile Home**. A detached single-family dwelling unit designed for long-term occupancy and to be transported on its own wheels (permanent or detachable), or on flatbed or other trailer and arriving at the site where it is to be occupied as a complete dwelling unit ready for occupancy except for connections to utilities and other minor work. Modular or prefabricated homes not placed on a permanent foundation shall be regarded and regulated as mobile homes.

Proposed wording:

**Mobile Home**. a transportable factory-built housing unit built before June 15, 1976, in accordance with a state mobile home code which existed prior to the HUD Code.

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Reason for change:

Removing excessive language in definition – (Additional information to be updated and included in VULU Chapter 18) (See Utah State Code 10-9a-103(65))

Current wording:

**Subdivision**. Any land that is divided, re-subdivided or proposed to be divided into two or more lots, parcels, sites, units, plots, or other division of land for the purpose, whether immediate or future, for offer, sale, lease, or development either on the installment plan or upon any and all other plans, terms and conditions. "subdivision" includes: (i) the subdivision of land for all non-residential uses; that is, commercial/industrial purposes; (ii) the subdivision or development of land whether by deed, metes and bounds description, devise and testacy, lease, map, plat or other recorded instrument.

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Date of document preparation: 5-25-2020
Name of preparer: Sean Amodt
Contact information of preparer: amodtsg@gmail.com
Reason for change:
To simplify definitions.
Remove unnecessary words.
<ul> <li>Add needed words used in the interpretation of our ordinances.</li> </ul>
Current wording:

# **2.12 DEFINITIONS**

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# Proposed changes and additions:

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# VIRGIN TOWN ORDINANCE # 2020-34

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2.12 (GENERAL PROVISIONS AND DEFINITIONS) IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN CONTINUITY BETWEEN OTHER SECTIONS OF VULU.

- Updating Manufactured Home definition
- Updating "Mobile Home" definition
- Updating Subdivision definition
- Updating Letter "B" Definitions

### RECITALS

WHEREAS - Utah Code provides for the adoption and amendment of Town land use ordinances by the Land Use Authority, which in Virgin is the "Town Council with recommendation by the Planning and Zoning Commission"; and

WHEREAS, the Virgin Land Use Authority finds that the existing Virgin Town Code (VULU) Chapter Two, and the various sub sections found within, require updating to meet the changing needs of the town; and

WHEREAS, the Virgin Land Use Authority finds that, to accommodate the towns desire to provide clarity and continuity within VULU; and

WHEREAS the Virgin Town Planning and Zoning Commission held properly noticed Public Hearings on these amendments on October 14, 2020, and voted to recommend its draft amendment ordinance to the Virgin Town Council at a regular meeting on October 28, 2020;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Land Use Authority of Virgin, Utah that, in order to provide for the health, safety and general welfare of the citizens of Virgin, Utah, the VULU Ordinance is hereby amended to incorporate the following changes:

# ORDINANCE

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2. Conflicts/Repealer. This Ordinance repeals and supersedes the provisions of any prior ordinance in conflict herewith.

3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Virgin Town Council and execution by the Virgin Town Mayor.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE VIRGIN TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE# 2020-34 will become effective on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2020 based upon the following vote:

### **Council Member:**

Gene Garate	AYE NAE
LeRoy Thompson	AYE NAE
Kevin Stout	AYE NAE
Jay Lee	AYE NAE
Matthew Spendlove, Mayor	AYE NAE

# VIRGIN TOWN

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ATTEST:

Monica Bowcutt, Town Clerk