ORDINANCE NO. 23-943

WHEREAS, Steve Ivey had a distinguished career in Parks and Recreation from 1975 to 2021 where his daily work was focused on the enrichment of our community through robust recreation programming and outstanding parks, recreation, and athletic infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Steve Ivey was a champion for the redevelopment of John Hunt Park, expending enormous energy ensuring outstanding venues were designed and constructed supporting a wide-variety of recreational and athletic pursuits. The result of this work has generated significant improvements in quality-of-life of our citizens and contributed mightily to the sports tourism economy in Huntsville; and

WHEREAS, the City of Huntsville owns the John Hunt Park campus located at 2151 Airport Rd. in Huntsville and seeks to honor the service of one of its great citizens and leaders; and

WHEREAS, in honor of Steve Ivey's years of outstanding service and his many contributions to the City of Huntsville, the City Council desires to name the road shown at Exhibit A in John Hunt Park "Steve Ivey Drive SW".

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Huntsville as follows:

- 1. That the road in John Hunt Park shall be named and henceforth known as "Steve Ivey Drive SW".
- 2. That this ordinance shall be effective upon its adoption and publication.

ADOPTED this the 16th day of November, 2023.

/s/ John Meredith
President of the City Council of the City of Huntsville, Alabama

APPROVED this the <u>16th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2023.

/s/ Tommy Battle
Mayor of the City of Huntsville,
Alabama