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ALLEN COUNTY RECORDER

FORT WAYNE, IN

VROW-2021-0005

AUDITOR'S OFFICE BILL NO. G-21-09-03  
Duly entered for taxation. Subject  
to final acceptance for transfer.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. G-19-21

DEC 20 2021

AN ORDINANCE amending the Thoroughfare  
Plan of the City Comprehensive ("Master")  
Plan by vacating public right-of-way.

*[Signature]*  
AUDITOR OF ALLEN COUNTY

WHEREAS, a petition to vacate public right-of-way within the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, (as more specifically described below) was duly filed with the City Clerk of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana; and

WHEREAS, Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, duly held a public hearing and approved said petition, as provided in I.C. 36-7-3-12.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. That the petition filed herein to vacate a public right-of-way within the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, more specifically described as follows, to-wit:

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEYKAUF STREET RIGHT-OF-WAY VACATION:

Part of Rockhill and Nelson Addition as recorded in Miscellaneous Record 2, page 508 in the Office of the Recorder of Allen County, Indiana, being a parcel of land surveyed by Gregory L. Roberts, Professional Surveyor #80040548 and shown on the Plat of Survey certified on July 30, 2021 as Donovan Surveying, Inc. Job Number 21-5305, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Northeast corner of Lot Number 49 in Rockhill and Nelson Addition as recorded in Miscellaneous Record 2, page 508 in the Office of the Recorder of Allen County, Indiana, said point being the intersection of the South right of way line of Jefferson Blvd. with the West right of way line of Nelson Street; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds East (INDOT INCORS GPS datum and basis for this description) along the West right of way line of Nelson Street and the East line of Lot Number 49 a distance of 150.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin at the Southeast corner of Lot Number 49; thence North 78 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds East a distance of 8.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence North 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds West parallel with and of 8.0 feet East of the West right of way line of Nelson Street a distance of 150.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence South 78 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 8.0 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1200 square feet.

TOGETHER WITH:

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1 minutes 01 seconds East along the West right of way line of Nelson Street and the East line of  
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7 seconds West a distance of 8.0 ft. to the point of beginning, containing 1902 square feet.

8 TOGETHER WITH:

9 BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 48 in Rockhill and Nelson Addition as  
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12 East right of way line of Nelson Street; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds East  
13 (INDOT INCORS GPS datum and basis for this description) along the East right of way line of  
14 Nelson Street and the West line of Lot Number 48 a distance of 150.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter  
15 iron pin at the Southwest corner of Lot Number 48; thence South 78 degrees 16 minutes 15  
16 seconds West a distance of 8.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence North 11 degrees 41  
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20 feet.

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27 Nelson Street a distance of 164.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin at the Northwest corner of  
28 Lot Number 64 said point being the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 11 degrees 41  
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(INDOT INCORS GPS datum and basis for this description) along the East right of way line of  
Nelson Street a distance of 334.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin at the Northwest of Lot  
Number 85 being the Point of Beginning , said point being on the South right of way line of Wilt  
Street; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds East along the East right of way line of  
Nelson Street and the West line of Lot Number 85 a distance of 70.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter  
iron pin; thence South 89 degrees 03 minutes 26 seconds West a distance of 8.14 feet to a 5/8-  
inch diameter iron pin; thence North 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds West parallel with and  
8.0 feet West of the East right of way line of Nelson Street a distance of 68.48 feet to a 5/8-inch  
diameter iron pin; thence North 78 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds East a distance of 8.0 feet to  
the point of beginning, containing 537 square feet.

and which vacating amends the Thoroughfare Plan of the City Comprehensive ("Master") Plan  
and is hereby approved in all respects.

1 SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its  
2 passage, any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.

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6 COUNCIL MEMBER

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8 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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11 Carol T. Helton, City Attorney

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# CITY OF FORT WAYNE

## Vacation Petition

City Clerk / Suite 110 / Citizens Square Building / 200 East Berry Street / Fort Wayne IN 46802 /260.427.1221

I/We do hereby petition to vacate the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ Easement       Public Right of Way (street or alley)

More particularly described as follows:

See attached  
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(Please Attach a Legal Description of the property requested to be vacated, along with a survey or other acceptable drawing showing the property.)

DEED BOOK NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ PAGE(S) NUMBER(S): \_\_\_\_\_ (This information can be obtained from the Allen County Recorder's Office on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, City-County Building, One Main Street, Fort Wayne, IN)

The reasons for the proposed vacation are as follows:

See attached letter  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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(If additional space is needed please attach separate page.)

The applicant on an attached sheet must also provide the names and addresses of all adjacent property owner(s). The information on that sheet must be as follows:

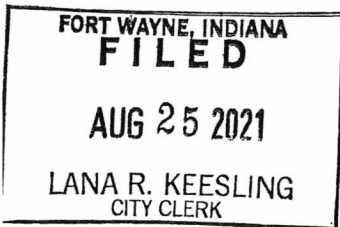
Property owner(s) Name(s); Street Address; City; State; Zip Code; Phone Number with Area Code.

Applicant's name(s) if different from property owner(s): see attached

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



VROW-2021-0005  
G-21-09-03



**Thomas Cain 1301 W. Jefferson Boulevard Fort Wayne, In 46802**

Lana Keesling, City Clerk  
200 E. Berry Street, Suite 110  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

August 25, 2021

Dear Ms Keesling:

Attached is a collective petition from property owners abutting the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street in Fort Wayne, requesting partial vacation of the street right of way, to be then deeded to the adjacent property owners.

In the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century, when the plat for this area of West Central was created, the right of way width for Nelson Street was established as 66 feet in width, common for major streets in central Fort Wayne. However, during the last 150 years, only 50 feet of this 66 feet has been needed for construction of road, curb, parkstrip, and sidewalk improvements, and this is a common right of way width for residential streets, such as this segment of Nelson Street. The 8 feet of current right of way on the homeowners' sides of the public sidewalks has been used as front or side yards for the past 150 or more years. Nelson Street is classified as a local, residential street. The adjacent Wilt Street can accommodate only one travel lane, shared between both east and westbound traffic. It permanently limits traffic capacity on Wilt and Nelson. As a local historic district, the pattern of residential development on these blocks is highly unlikely to change to anything requiring a wider street. We feel that the City will never have need of this surplus right of way width for public use, and therefore should be ceded to the adjacent property owners.

The City and County can enjoy an increase in tax revenue, as the vacated land will become privately owned and subject to property tax. The adjacent owners will have more latitude in how they can use their new front yards. Complications with setbacks and other property regulations will be simplified.

It is recognized that there exists a public sidewalk on the east side of Nelson, north of Wilt Street, extending to the alley. This sidewalk would be on a vacated portion of the right of way. The owner of the two adjacent parcels has agreed to execute an agreement with the City to allow public access on this vacated space until such time as the sidewalk is rebuilt on the remaining right of way, should this vacation of right of way be granted.

I look forward to a positive resolution to this request. Please advise me of any questions or concerns, as I am representing the collective petitioners.

Sincerely,



Thomas Cain  
260 426 7075 voice and text tcainres@gmail.com

## **Petition**

### **Reduce Width of Right of Way of Nelson Street, 1100-1200 Blocks, Fort Wayne, Indiana**

The undersigned owners of property adjacent to the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street hereby petition the City of Fort Wayne to vacate portions of the street right of way of these blocks of Nelson Street, reducing the present 66 foot wide right of way to 50 feet, centering the remaining right of way within the present right of way, with vacated portions of the present right of way being equally divided on each side of the right of way and then deeded to adjacent property owners.

### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

1. 1301 W. Jefferson Boulevard

Owner: Thomas Cain

02-12-10-234.007-000-074

N. 112' lot 49 & E. 15' of N. 33.25' of S. 70.5' lot 50 Rockhill and Nelsons Addition

To be vacated:

112.75' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234.007-000-074

2. 1112 Nelson Street

Owner: Thomas Cain

02-12-10-234-022.000-074

S. 37.25' lot 49 & S 37.25 Ex W. 34.5' lot 50 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

37.25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234.022-000-074

9. 1233 W. Jefferson Boulevard

Owner: Thomas Cain

02-12-10-235-001.000-074

W. 30 ¼' Lot 48 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

150' of the E. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-235-001.000-074

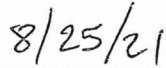
All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County

## Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcels

1. 1301 W. Jefferson Boulevard  
02-12-10-234.007-000-074  
N. 112' lot 49 & E. 15' of N. 33.25' of S. 70.5' lot 50 Rockhill and Nelsons Addition
2. 1112 Nelson Street  
02-12-10-234-022.000-074  
S. 37.25' lot 49 & S 37.25 Ex W. 34.5' lot 50 Rockhill and Nelson Addition
9. 1233 W. Jefferson Boulevard  
02-12-10-235-001.000-074  
W. 30 ¼' Lot 48 Rockhill and Nelson Addition



Thomas Cain  
1301 W. Jefferson Boulevard  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802



Date

## **Petition**

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

3. 1120 Nelson Street

Owner: Jocelyn Pfeiffer and Anna West

02-12-10-234-023.000-074

Lot 63 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

50' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-023.000-074

All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County, Indiana

### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcels**

3. 1120 Nelson Street

02-12-10-234-023.000-074

Lot 63 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

  
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Jocelyn Pfeiffer Pfeiffer

250 W. Wayne Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Anna West

5.10.2021  
Date

# Petition

## Reduce Width of Right of Way of Nelson Street, 1100-1200 Blocks, Fort Wayne, Indiana

The undersigned owners of property adjacent to the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street hereby petition the City of Fort Wayne to vacate portions of the street right of way of these blocks of Nelson Street, reducing the present 66 foot wide right of way to 50 feet width, centering the remaining right of way within the present right of way, with vacated portions of the present right of way being equally divided on each side of the right of way and then deeded to adjacent property owners.

### Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners

4. 1122-1124 Nelson Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-234-024.000-074

N. 25' lot 62 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-024.000-074

5. 1126-1128 Nelson Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-234-025.000-074

S. 25' lot 62 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-025.000-074

10. 1117-1119 Nelson Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-235-010.000-074

N. 50' Lot 64 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

50' of the E. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-235-001.000-074

11. 1236 Wilt Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-235-011.000-074

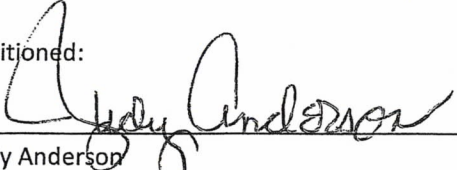
S. 80' Lot 64 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

80' of the E. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-235-001.000-074

All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County, Indiana

Petitioned:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judy Anderson  
719 Union Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

5/6/21  
Date

## **Petition**

### **Reduce Width of Right of Way of Nelson Street, 1100-1200 Blocks, Fort Wayne, Indiana**

The undersigned owners of property adjacent to the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street hereby petition the City of Fort Wayne to vacate portions of the street right of way of these blocks of Nelson Street, reducing the present 66 foot wide right of way to 50 feet, centering the remaining right of way within the present right of way, with vacated portions of the present right of way being equally divided on each side of the right of way and then deeded to adjacent property owners.

### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

6. 1130 Nelson Street

Owner: Hans Property Group LLC

02-12-10-234-026.000-074

N. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

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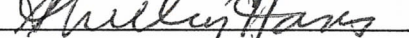
25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-026.000-074

### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcels**

6. 1130 Nelson Street

02-12-10-234-026.000-074

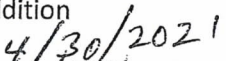
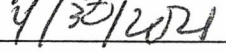
N. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

Hans Property Group LLC

5716 Coventry Lane

Fort Wayne, IN 46804

  
  
Date

## **Petition**

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

7. 1134 Nelson Street

Owner: Jeffrey Markley

02-12-10-234-027.000-074

N. 18.5' lot 62 and S. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

43.5' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-027.000-074

All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County, Indiana

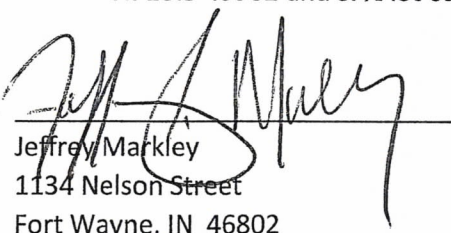
### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcels**

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Owner: Jeffrey Markley

02-12-10-234-027.000-074

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Jeffrey Markley  
1134 Nelson Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

  
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Date

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

8. 1206 Nelson Street

Owner: Darrell Adams

02-12-10-234-028.000-074

Lot 59 and 10' alley & S 31 ½' lot 60 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

68.5' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-028.000-074

### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcel**

8. 1206 Nelson Street

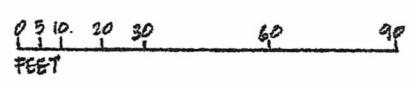
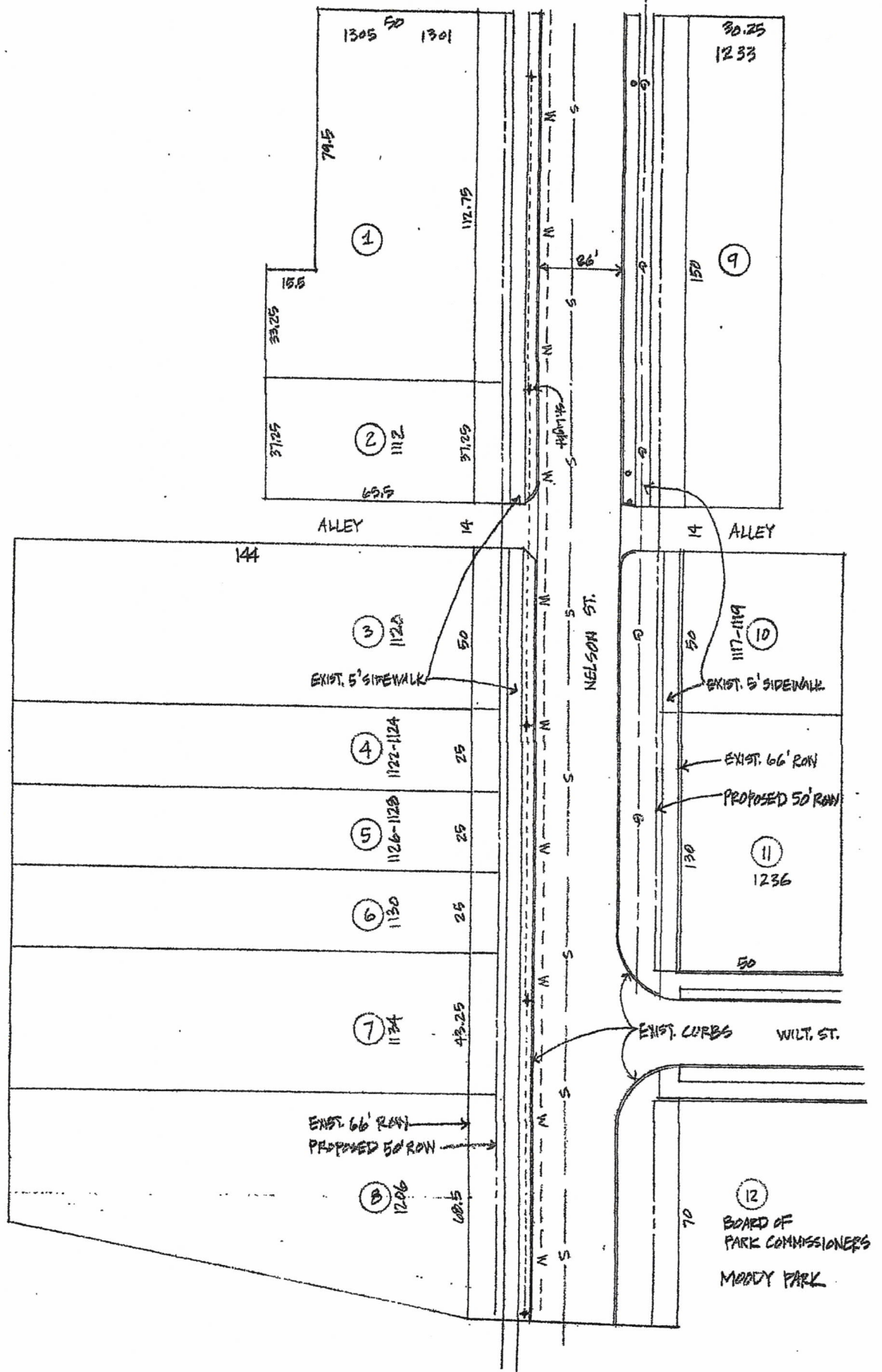
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Darrell Adams

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7620 Aboite Center Road  
Fort Wayne, IN 46804

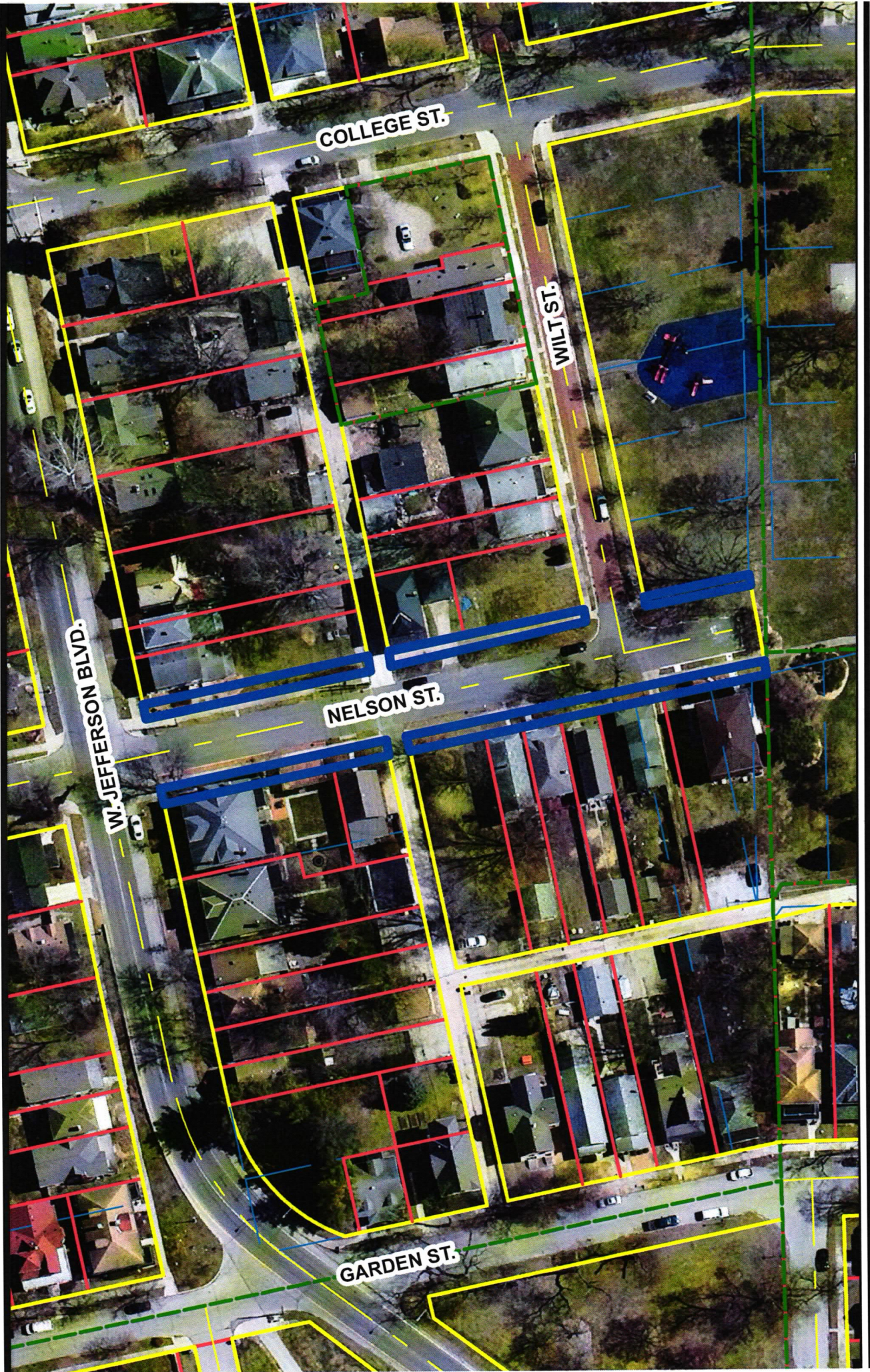
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1100 BLOCK NELSON ST.  
 PREPARED BY THOMAS GAIN, P.L.A., A.S.L.A.

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 Date: 9/8/2021



1 inch = 83 feet



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TOGETHER WITH:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 48 in Rockhill and Nelson Addition as recorded in Miscellaneous Record 2, page 508 in the Office of the Recorder of Allen County, Indiana, said point being the intersection of the South right of way line of Jefferson Blvd. with the East right of way line of Nelson Street; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds East (INDOT INCORS GPS datum and basis for this description) along the East right of way line of Nelson Street a distance of 334.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin at the Northwest of Lot Number 85 being the Point of Beginning, said point being on the South right of way line of Wilt Street; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds East along the East right of way line of Nelson Street and the West line of Lot Number 85 a distance of 70.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence South 89 degrees 03 minutes 26 seconds West a distance of 8.14 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence North 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds West parallel with and 8.0 feet West of the East right of way line of Nelson Street a distance of 68.48 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence North 78 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds East a distance of 8.0 feet to the point of beginning, containing 537 square feet.

LOT 48-49 ROCKHILL AND NELSON ADD LEGAL 7-29-21, 8-23-2021

City of Fort Wayne Common Council  
**DIGEST SHEET**

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**Department of Planning Services**

Title of Ordinance: Platted Road Right-of-Way Vacation  
Case Number: VROW-2021-0005  
Bill Number: G-21-09-03  
Council District: 5 – Geoff Paddock

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Introduction Date: September 14, 2021  
Public Hearing Date: September 28, 2021 to be heard by Council  
Next Council Action: Ordinance will return to Council after recommendation by reviewing agencies.

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Synopsis of Ordinance: To vacate portions of the right-of-way for Nelson Street, outside of the existing roadway, as recorded in Miscellaneous Record 2, page 508, part of Rockhill and Nelson Addition.

Location: The portions to be vacated run between West Jefferson Street and Wilt Street, with one portion south of Wilt Street, adjacent to Moody Park.

Reason for Request: To return excess road right-of-way to the adjacent property owners for their use.

Applicants: Thomas Cain, Jocelyn Pfeifer, Anna West, Judy Anderson, Hans Property Group, Jeffrey Markley and Darryll Adams

Property Owners: same

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Related Petitions: none

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Effect of Passage: Nelson Street was platted with an atypical right-of-way width of 66 feet. Most neighborhood City streets contain 50 feet of right-of-way. Vehicular and pedestrian access will continue as it exists today. Returning the excess right-of-way to the adjacent property owners will allow more opportunity for improvements to be made.

Effect of Non-Passage: The street right-of-way will remain as dedicated. Improvements to adjacent properties may be limited due to the excess width of the right-of-way.

**RIGHT OF WAY VACATION – DISCUSSION AND PASSAGE**  
**Department of Planning Services**

VROW 2021 0005	Bill #G-21-09-03	Project Start: September 14, 2021
<b>APPLICANTS:</b>	Thomas Cain, Jocelyn Pfeifer, Anna West, Judy Anderson, Hans Property Group, Jeffrey Markley, Darrell Adams	
<b>REQUEST:</b>	To vacate excess portions of Nelson Street on both sides of the built street. The center 50 feet of the Nelson Street right-of-way will remain.	
<b>LOCATION:</b>	From West Jefferson Boulevard to Wilt Street, plus a portion adjacent to Moody Park.	
<b>COUNCIL DISTRICT:</b>	5-Geoff Paddock	
<b>PUBLIC HEARING DATE:</b>	September 28, 2021	

**PROJECT SUMMARY**

The petitioners are property owners adjacent to lots on Nelson Street, from West Jefferson Boulevard to Wilt Street. Nelson Street was platted with an unusual right-of-way width of 66 feet. The petitioners would like to vacate areas on both sides of the street, leaving Nelson Street and 50 feet of right-of-way intact. Staff distributed requests for comment from all affected utility agencies. There is a small portion of sidewalk on the east side that will be on private property if the request is approved; however, the property owner has agreed to a pedestrian access easement over the sidewalk.

All utilities have approved, and the applicant is working with City legal on an approved access easement, which will be recorded with an approval of the petition.

City Plan:	Indiana Code (36-7-3-16 (b)) states that any public utility occupying a public way or easement shall not be deprived of the use of the public way for the location and operation of existing facilities. The petitioner shall provide all necessary easements (as approved) at the time the vacation petition is recorded.
Traffic Engineering:	Approved with access easement for east sidewalk.
Stormwater Engineering:	Approved
Water Engineering:	Approved
WPC Engineering – Sanitary:	Approved
Fire Department:	Approved
Land Acquisition Agent:	Approved
Frontier:	Approved
Comcast Cable:	Facilities are within right-of-way to remain.
AEP:	Facilities are within right-of-way to remain.
NIPSCO:	Facilities are within right-of-way to remain.

**Grounds for Remonstrance for Vacation Requests (I.C. 36-7-3-13):**

- (1) The vacation would hinder the growth or orderly development of the unit or neighborhood in which it is located or to which it is contiguous.
- (2) The vacation would make access to the lands of the aggrieved person by means of public way difficult or inconvenient.
- (3) The vacation would hinder the public's access to a church, school, or other public building or place.
- (4) The vacation would hinder the use of a public way by the neighborhood in which it is located or to which it is contiguous.

**VROW-2021-0005**

Bill No. G-21-09-03

**Right of Way Vacation – Notifications**

**The Clerk's Office placed legal notification in the Fort Wayne Newspaper.  
DPS Staff notified the following by hand-delivery:**

**PIN/Property Address:**

**Property Owner of Record:**

021210234007000074  
1301 W. Jefferson

Thomas R. Cain  
1301 W. Jefferson  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210234022000074  
1112 Nelson

Thomas R. Cain  
1301 W. Jefferson  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210234023000074  
1120 Nelson

Jocelyn Pfeifer and Anna West  
1120 Nelson  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210234024000074/021210234025000074  
1124 Nelson  
1126 Nelson

Judy Anderson  
719 Union Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210234026000074  
1130 Nelson

Hans Property Group  
1130 Nelson  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210234027000074  
1134 Nelson

Jeffrey Markley  
1134 Nelson  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210234028000074  
1206 Nelson

Darryll Adams  
7620 Aboite Center  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

021210237001000074  
1201 Wilt

City of Fort Wayne Property Management  
200 E. Berry, Suite 470

**DPS Staff notified the following by Email as a courtesy:**  
Southwest Area Partnership  
West Central

# CITY OF FORT WAYNE

## Vacation Petition

City Clerk / Suite 110 / Citizens Square Building / 200 East Berry Street / Fort Wayne IN 46802 /260.427.1221

I/We do hereby petition to vacate the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ Easement       Public Right of Way (street or alley)

More particularly described as follows:

*See attached*

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(Please Attach a Legal Description of the property requested to be vacated, along with a survey or other acceptable drawing showing the property.)

DEED BOOK NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ PAGE(S) NUMBER(S): \_\_\_\_\_ (This information can be obtained from the Allen County Recorder's Office on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, City-County Building, One Main Street, Fort Wayne, IN)

The reasons for the proposed vacation are as follows:

*See attached letter*

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(If additional space is needed please attach separate page.)

The applicant on an attached sheet must also provide the names and addresses of all adjacent property owner(s). The information on that sheet must be as follows:

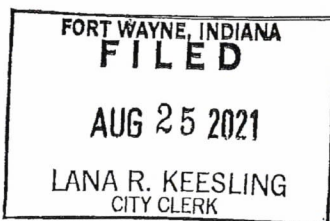
Property owner(s) Name(s); Street Address; City; State; Zip Code; Phone Number with Area Code.

Applicant's name(s) if different from property owner(s): *see attached*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



*VROW-2021-0005*  
*G-21-09-03*



**Thomas Cain 1301 W. Jefferson Boulevard Fort Wayne, In 46802**

Lana Keesling, City Clerk  
200 E. Berry Street, Suite 110  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

August 25, 2021

Dear Ms Keesling:

Attached is a collective petition from property owners abutting the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street in Fort Wayne, requesting partial vacation of the street right of way, to be then deeded to the adjacent property owners.

In the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century, when the plat for this area of West Central was created, the right of way width for Nelson Street was established as 66 feet in width, common for major streets in central Fort Wayne. However, during the last 150 years, only 50 feet of this 66 feet has been needed for construction of road, curb, parkstrip, and sidewalk improvements, and this is a common right of way width for residential streets, such as this segment of Nelson Street. The 8 feet of current right of way on the homeowners' sides of the public sidewalks has been used as front or side yards for the past 150 or more years. Nelson Street is classified as a local, residential street. The adjacent Wilt Street can accommodate only one travel lane, shared between both east and westbound traffic. It permanently limits traffic capacity on Wilt and Nelson. As a local historic district, the pattern of residential development on these blocks is highly unlikely to change to anything requiring a wider street. We feel that the City will never have need of this surplus right of way width for public use, and therefore should be ceded to the adjacent property owners.

The City and County can enjoy an increase in tax revenue, as the vacated land will become privately owned and subject to property tax. The adjacent owners will have more latitude in how they can use their new front yards. Complications with setbacks and other property regulations will be simplified.

It is recognized that there exists a public sidewalk on the east side of Nelson, north of Wilt Street, extending to the alley. This sidewalk would be on a vacated portion of the right of way. The owner of the two adjacent parcels has agreed to execute an agreement with the City to allow public access on this vacated space until such time as the sidewalk is rebuilt on the remaining right of way, should this vacation of right of way be granted.

I look forward to a positive resolution to this request. Please advise me of any questions or concerns, as I am representing the collective petitioners.

Sincerely,



Thomas Cain  
260 426 7075 voice and text tcainres@gmail.com

## **Petition**

### **Reduce Width of Right of Way of Nelson Street, 1100-1200 Blocks, Fort Wayne, Indiana**

The undersigned owners of property adjacent to the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street hereby petition the City of Fort Wayne to vacate portions of the street right of way of these blocks of Nelson Street, reducing the present 66 foot wide right of way to 50 feet, centering the remaining right of way within the present right of way, with vacated portions of the present right of way being equally divided on each side of the right of way and then deeded to adjacent property owners.

### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

1. 1301 W. Jefferson Boulevard

Owner: Thomas Cain

02-12-10-234.007-000-074

N. 112' lot 49 & E. 15' of N. 33.25' of S. 70.5' lot 50 Rockhill and Nelsons Addition

To be vacated:

112.75' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234.007-000-074

2. 1112 Nelson Street

Owner: Thomas Cain

02-12-10-234-022.000-074

S. 37.25' lot 49 & S 37.25 Ex W. 34.5' lot 50 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

37.25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234.022-000-074

9. 1233 W. Jefferson Boulevard

Owner: Thomas Cain

02-12-10-235-001.000-074

W. 30 ¼' Lot 48 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

150' of the E. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-235-001.000-074

All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County

## **Petition**

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

3. 1120 Nelson Street

Owner: Jocelyn Pfeiffer and Anna West

02-12-10-234-023.000-074

Lot 63 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

50' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-023.000-074


All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County, Indiana

### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcels**

3. 1120 Nelson Street

02-12-10-234-023.000-074

Lot 63 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Jocelyn Pfeiffer  
250 W. Wayne Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Anna West

5.10.2021  
Date

## Petition

### Reduce Width of Right of Way of Nelson Street, 1100-1200 Blocks, Fort Wayne, Indiana

The undersigned owners of property adjacent to the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Nelson Street hereby petition the City of Fort Wayne to vacate portions of the street right of way of these blocks of Nelson Street, reducing the present 66 foot wide right of way to 50 feet width, centering the remaining right of way within the present right of way, with vacated portions of the present right of way being equally divided on each side of the right of way and then deeded to adjacent property owners.

### Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners

4. 1122-1124 Nelson Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-234-024.000-074

N. 25' lot 62 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-024.000-074

5. 1126-1128 Nelson Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-234-025.000-074

S. 25' lot 62 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-025.000-074

10. 1117-1119 Nelson Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-235-010.000-074

N. 50' Lot 64 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

50' of the E. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-235-001.000-074

11. 1236 Wilt Street

Owner: Judy Anderson

02-12-10-235-011.000-074

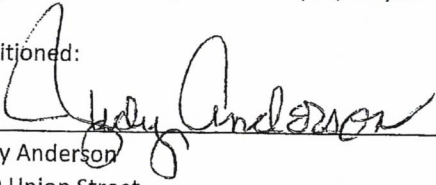
S. 80' Lot 64 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

80' of the E. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-235-001.000-074

All parcels are in City of Fort Wayne, Wayne Township, Allen County, Indiana

Petitioned:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judy Anderson  
719 Union Street

Fort Wayne, IN 46802

  
Date

## **Petition**

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

6. 1130 Nelson Street

Owner: Hans Property Group LLC

02-12-10-234-026.000-074

N. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

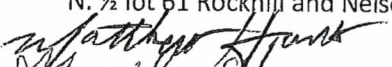
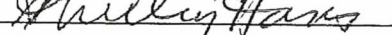
25' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-026.000-074

### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcels**

6. 1130 Nelson Street

02-12-10-234-026.000-074

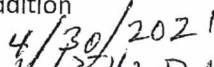

N. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

Hans Property Group LLC

5716 Coventry Lane

Fort Wayne, IN 46804

  
  
Date

## **Petition**

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

7. 1134 Nelson Street

Owner: Jeffrey Markley

02-12-10-234-027.000-074

N. 18.5' lot 62 and S. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

43.5' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-027.000-074

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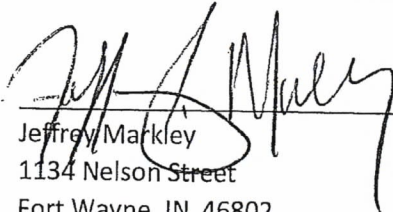
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7. 1134 Nelson Street

Owner: Jeffrey Markley

02-12-10-234-027.000-074

N. 18.5' lot 62 and S. ½ lot 61 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Jeffrey Markley  
1134 Nelson Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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### **Adjacent Parcels and Property Owners**

8. 1206 Nelson Street

Owner: Darrell Adams

02-12-10-234-028.000-074

Lot 59 and 10' alley & S 31 ½' lot 60 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

To be vacated:

68.5' of the W. 8' of Nelson St right of way adjacent to parcel 02-12-10-234-028.000-074

### **Signatures of Owners of Adjacent Parcel**

8. 1206 Nelson Street

02-12-10-234-028.000-074

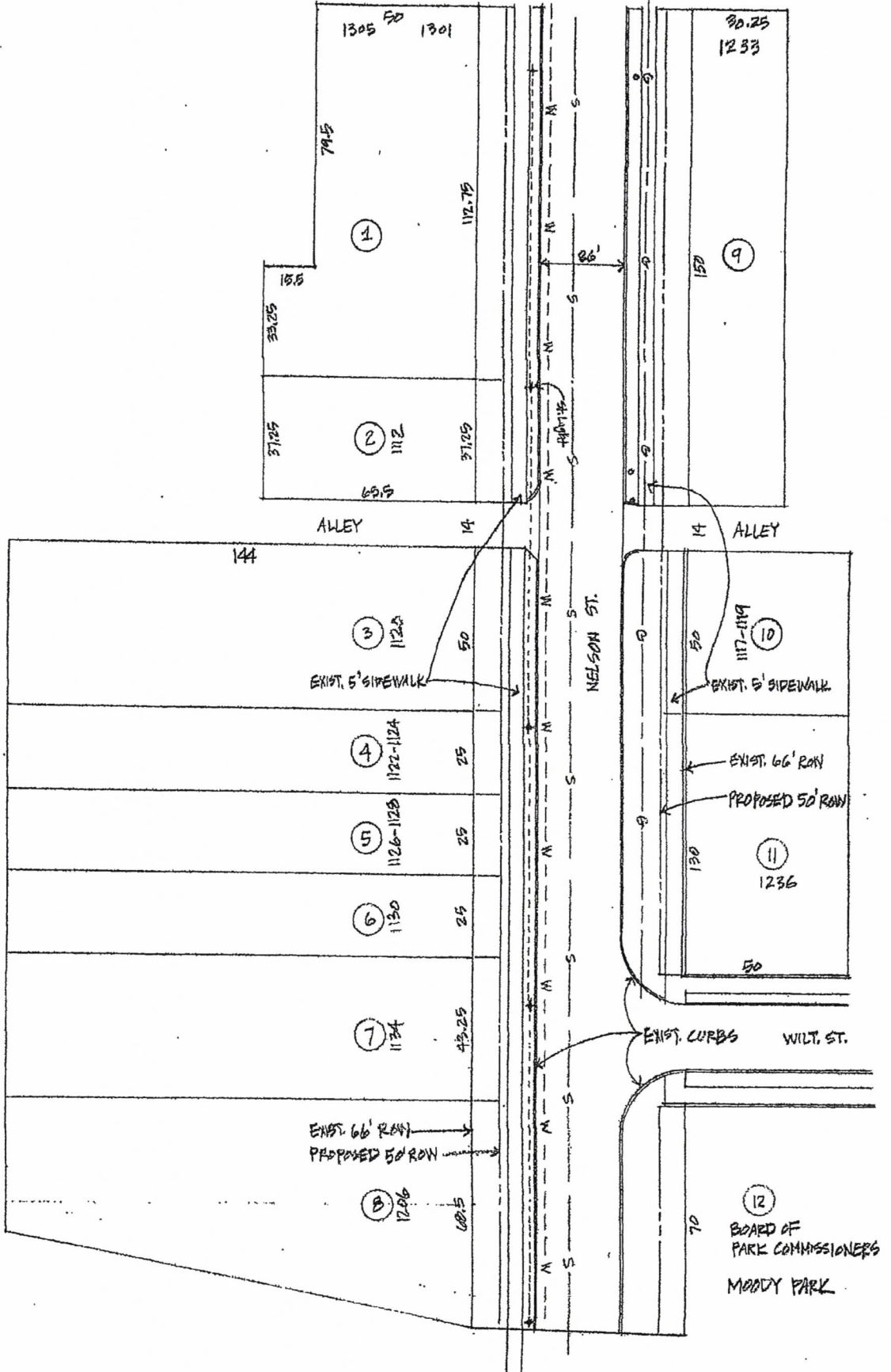
Lot 59 and 10' alley & S 31 ½' lot 60 Rockhill and Nelson Addition

Darrell Adams

Darrell Adams  
7620 Aboite Center Road  
Fort Wayne, IN 46804

4/17/21  
Date

W. JEFFERSON BOULEVARD



1100 BLOCK NELSON ST.  
 PREPARED BY THOMAS GAIN, P.L.A., A.S.L.A.

3.31.21



VROW-2021-0005



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1 inch = 83 feet

**GRANT OF PERPETUAL EASEMENT  
SIDEWALK IN VACATED RIGHT-OF-WAY**

Vacation of Nelson Street, Fort Wayne in 46802

Cross Reference to Document \_\_\_\_\_

Vacation Petition: VROW-2021-0005 Common Council Bill: G-21-09-03 Ordinance: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner: Judy Anderson

Parcel: 02-12-10-235-010.000-074 & 02-12-10-235-011.000-074

**THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH**, that JUDY ANDERSON, individually (“Grantor”), the owner of certain real estate in Allen County, Indiana legally described in Exhibit “A” attached hereto and made a part hereof (the “Real Estate”) GRANTS AND CONVEYS to the CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA, a municipal corporation (“Grantee”), for and in consideration of One and 00/100 Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, a perpetual non-exclusive easement in, on, along, under, and over a portion of the Real Estate legally described in Exhibit “B” attached hereto and incorporated herein (the “Easement Property”), for the purpose of maintaining, operating, repairing, and reconstructing thereon an existing public sidewalk (as defined under state and local law) (the “Sidewalk”).

Grantor and Grantee are collectively referred to herein as the “Parties”.

Grantor warrants that she is the owner in fee simple of the Real Estate, lawfully seized thereof and has good right to grant and convey the within perpetual easement. Grantor warrants: (a) the quiet use and enjoyment thereof by Grantee, (b) that the Real Estate is free from all liens and encumbrances inconsistent with the grant of perpetual easement herein, and (c) that Grantor will defend Grantee's title and interest in and to the perpetual easement against all claims which conflict with or are adverse to Grantor's warranties herein made.

The Parties expressly agree that either Grantor or Grantee may replace the Sidewalk and that the replacement sidewalk shall be located within the City's legal right-of-way. The replacement sidewalk shall be constructed in compliance with all applicable state and municipal laws, regulations, standards and codes. The cost of removing the Sidewalk and constructing a replacement sidewalk shall be: (a) borne solely by Grantee if Grantee elects to replace the Sidewalk and (b) shared pro-rata between Grantor and Grantee if Grantor elects to replace the Sidewalk.

Grantor may elect to retain the Sidewalk in the event a new sidewalk is constructed within Grantee's legal right-of-way and, in such event, the Parties agree to terminate the within grant of perpetual easement at Grantor's request.

The within easement is granted in perpetuity for current and future public purposes and uses described herein. All rights, title and privileges granted herein, including benefits and burdens, shall run



**Exhibit B**  
**Legal Description of "Easement Property"**

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 48 in Rockhill and Nelson Addition as recorded in Miscellaneous Record 2, page 508 in the Office of the Recorder of Allen County, Indiana, said point being the intersection of the South right of way line of Jefferson Blvd. with the former East right of way line of Nelson Street; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds East (INDOT INCORS GPS datum and basis for this description) along the former East right of way line of Nelson Street a distance of 164.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 64 said point being the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 11 degrees 41 minutes and 01 seconds East along the former East right of way line of Nelson Street and the West line of Lot Number 64 a distance of 130.0 feet to a 1/2-inch diameter iron pin; thence south 78 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 8.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence North 11 degrees 41 minutes 01 seconds West parallel with and 8.0 feet West of the former East right of way line of Nelson Street a distance of 130.0 feet to a 5/8-inch diameter iron pin; thence North 78 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds East as distance of 8.0 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1040 square feet.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
FORT WAYNE COMMON COUNCIL**

**ORDINANCE NO. G-21-09-03**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FORT WAYNE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA, WILL CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING ON SEPTEMBER 28, 2021 AT 5:30 P.M., IN ROOM 035 – COUNCIL CHAMBERS COURTROOM – GARDEN LEVEL CITIZENS SQUARE , 200 E. BERRY, FORT WAYNE, INDIANA 46802; A REQUEST TO VACATE AN AREA KNOWN AS:

**LOCATION: Nelson Street, outside of the existing roadway, part of Rockhill and Nelson Addition**

COMMON COUNCIL WILL CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING ON WHETHER THE ABOVE DESCRIBED RESOLUTION SHOULD BE CONFIRMED, MODIFIED AND CONFIRMED, OR RESCINDED ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2021.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CAN BE VIEWED AT THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING SERVICES OFFICE IN CITIZEN'S SQUARE: 200 E. BERRY ST, SUITE 150.

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND AND BE HEARD AT THE PUBLIC HEARING.

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*LANA R. KEESLING  
CITY CLERK*



## INTERIM AD DRAFT

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Lisa Petretta lisa.petretta@cityoffortwayne.org	The Journal Gazette

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Account Name  
Gov: Fort Wayne City Clerk's Office  
Notice ID: GeOC3VDIESXewbVKoJ15

### PUBLISHER'S CLAIM

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advertisement is set) – number of equivalent lines \_\_\_\_\_

Head – number of lines \_\_\_\_\_

Body – number of lines \_\_\_\_\_

Tail – number of lines \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of lines in notice 56

#### COMPUTATION OF CHARGES

56 lines, 1 column(s) wide equal:  
56 equivalent lines at \$ 0.4990 cents per line \$27.94

Additional charges for notices containing rule or tabular work  
(50 percent of above amount) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Electronic processing fee \$0.00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF CLAIM \$27.94

#### DATA FOR COMPUTING COST

Width of single column in picas . . . . 9.8    Size of type . . . . 7point.  
Number of Insertions . . . . 1

Pursuant to the provisions and penalties of IC 5-11-10-1, I hereby certify that the foregoing account is just and correct, that the amount claimed is legally due, after allowing all just credits, and that no part of the same has been paid.

I also certify that the printed matter attached hereto is a true copy, of the same column width and type size, which was duly published in said paper 1 times.

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9/17/21 \_\_\_\_\_  
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*Lana R. Harris*  
Legal Clerk

12/20/2021 11:12:08 AM  
CITY OF FT WAYNE CLERKS OFFICE  
0.00  
NICOLEK

TRANSACTION # 4538303  
DOCUMENT # 2021084234

ORDINANCE

RECORDING FEES: 0.00  
TOTAL: 0.00  
CASH: 0.00

THANK YOU

ANITA MATHER  
RECORDER  
ALLEN COUNTY, IN

**BILL NO. G-21-09-03**

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS  
December 14, 2021**

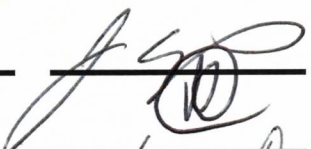
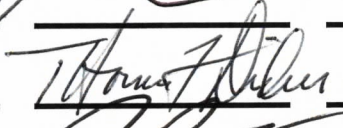
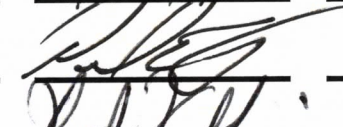

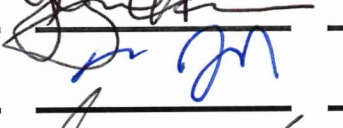
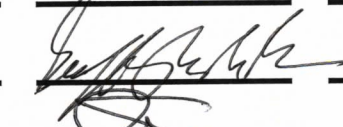


***Geoff Paddock Chair***

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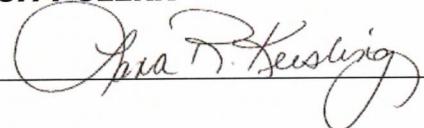
***All Council Members***

An Ordinance amending the Thoroughfare Plan of the City Comprehensive ("Master") Plan by vacating public right-of-way - To vacate portions of the right-of-way for Nelson Street, outside of the existing roadway, part of Rockhill and Nelson Addition

**COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS HAVE HAD SAID Ordinance under consideration and beg leave to report back to the Common Council that said Ordinance**

<u>COUNCIL MEMBER</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	<u>DO NOT PASS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
ARP			
CHAMBERS			
DIDIER			
ENSLEY			
FREISTROFFER			
HINES			
JEHL			
PADDOCK			
TUCKER			

**LANA R. KEESLING  
CITY CLERK**



Public Hearing Date: September 28, 2021

Read the first time in full and on motion by Councilperson Paddock.

Read the second time by title and referred to the Regulations Committee.

Read the third time in full and on motion by Councilperson Paddock, placed on passage by the following vote:

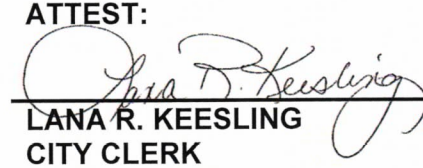
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DATED: December 14, 2021

  
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 LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as General Ordinance No. G-21-09-03 on the 14th day of December, 2021

ATTEST:

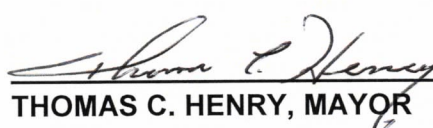
  
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 CITY CLERK

  
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 PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 15th of December 2021, at the hour of 11:35 o'clock A.M. E.S.T.

  
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 LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock Pm E.S.T.

  
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 THOMAS C. HENRY, MAYOR

FORT WAYNE, INDIANA  
**RECEIVED**  
 DEC 16 2021  
 LANA R. KEESLING  
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