Roll Call Number	Agenda Item Number
Date April 3, 2017	
An Ordinance entitled, "AN ORDINANCE vacating north of Laurel Street and south of Ascension	
presented.	
Moved byconsidered and given first vote for passage.	that this ordinance be
FORM APPROVED:	(First of three required readings)

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
GATTO				
GRAY				
HENSLEY				
MOORE				
WESTERGAARD				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED	1	APPROVED		

Mayor

Isisa A. Wieland

**Assistant City Attorney** 

## **CERTIFICATE**

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

City Clerk

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ORDINANCE NO.	

AN ORDINANCE vacating the north/south alley right-of-way located north of Laurel Street and south of Ascension Street between 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 7<sup>th</sup> Street.

WHEREAS, all prior requirements of law pertaining to the vacation of public right-of-way have been fully observed; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the public right-of-way herein described be vacated;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Sec. 1. That the north/south alley right-of-way located north of Laurel Street and south of Ascension Street between 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 7<sup>th</sup> Street, more specifically described as follows, be and is hereby vacated:

ALL THAT PART OF THE NORTH/SOUTH ALLEY LYING WEST OF AND ADJOINING LOTS 1 THROUGH 4 IN BLOCK 4, WALNUT HILL ADDITION TO FORT DES MOINES, AN OFFICIAL PLAT, ALL NOW INCLUDED IN AND FORMING A PART OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, POLK COUNTY, IOWA;

## **AND**

ALL THAT PART OF LOT 74 LYING WEST OF AND ADJOINING LOTS 19 AND 20, ALL IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT OF THE NORTHEAST FRACTIONAL QUARTER (1/4) OF THE NORTHWEST FRACTIONAL QUARTER (1/4) OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 78 NORTH, RANGE 24 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M., ALL NOW INCLUDED IN AND FORMING A PART OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, POLK COUNTY, IOWA;

AND CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 5,435 SQUARE FEET.

Sec. 2. The City of Des Moines hereby reserves an easement upon the property described above for the continued use and maintenance of any utilities now in place, with the right of entry for servicing same, and further subject to the following condition:

Reservation of any necessary easements for all existing utilities in place until such time that they are abandoned or are relocated at Buyer's sole expense following written approval of the City or applicable utility.

Sec. 3. That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause certified copies of this ordinance and proof of publication thereof together with proof of publication of the notice of the public hearing on this matter to be properly filed in the office of the Recorder of Polk County, Iowa.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

FORM APPROVED:

Lisa A. Wieland

**Assistant City Attorney**