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#### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

#### MEMORANDUM

Planning, Zoning, Building Safety, Construction Inspection Services, Public Health, Housing Inspections, Code Enforcement

To:

Mayor and City Council Members

Cc:

Greg Jenkins, Interim City Administrator

From:

Andrew Fangman, Assistant Community Development Director

Date:

June 4, 2020

Re:

Ordinance Vacating a Portion of the Cypress Street Right of Way Adjoining to 1001

2<sup>nd</sup> Street

**INTRODUCTION:** The City of Muscatine has filed for the vacation for of a portion of the Cypress Street right of way that is adjacent to 1001 2<sup>nd</sup> St. If this vacation request is approved, said ownership said vacated right of way would be transferred to the adjoining property owner.

**BACKGROUND:** The vacation of portion of the Cypress Street right-of-way adjacent to Warren Poole's property, 1001 2nd Street, is needed for the completion of property acquisition rights for the Park Avenue Project. An easement is needed for the construction and maintenance of the traffic signals for the intersection as well as an easement to construct a pedestrian ramp in front of the Poole building. The area of the easement is currently being used as parking. To ease the impact of losing this parking, it is request that the City vacate a 20' wide portion of the Cypress Street right of way and deed it to the Poole's to use as parking (see attached Vacation Plat).

**RECOMMENDATION/RATIONALE** Staff recommends approval of this request. The right of way being proposed for vacation serves no useful public purpose. The Planning and Zoning Commission

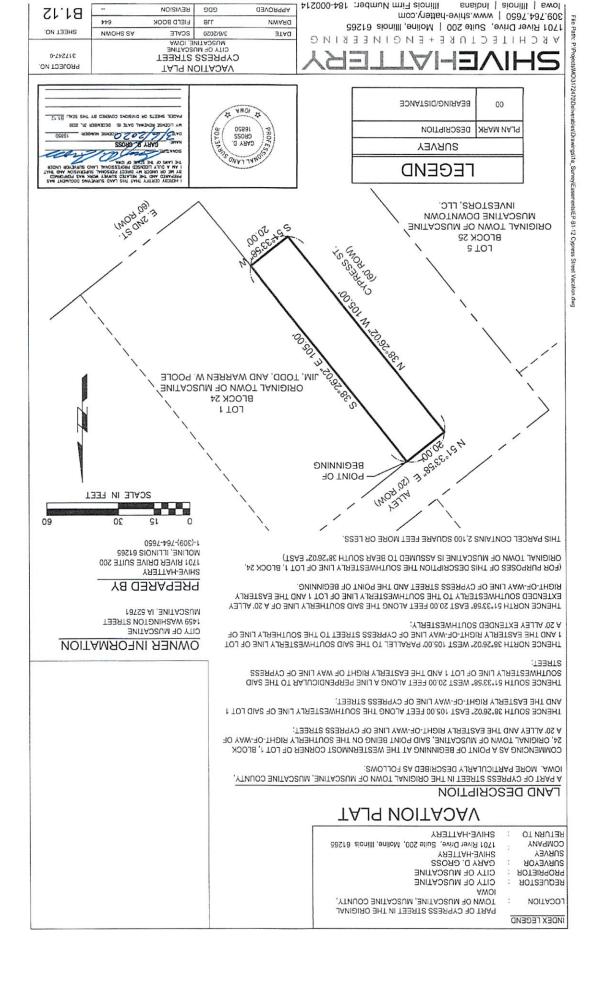
has voted at their May meeting to recommend approval of this request.

#### **BACKUP INFORMATION:**

#### 1. Ordinance



<sup>&</sup>quot;I remember Muscatine for its sunsets. I have never seen any on either side of the ocean that equaled them" — Mark Twain



#### Prepared by Andrew Fangman, 215 Sycamore St. Muscatine, IA, 52761 (563) 262-4141

#### **ORDINANCE NO. 2020-0202**

## AN ORDINANCE VACATING A PORTION OF THE CYPRESS STREET RIGHT OF WAY ADJOINING TO 1001 2<sup>ND</sup> STREET

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Muscatine has recommended approval of the vacation of a portion of street the City of Muscatine, Iowa; and

A PART OF CYPRESS STREET IN THE ORIGINAL TOWN OF MUSCATNIE, MUSCATINECOUNTY, IOWA. MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AS A POINT OF BEGINNING AT THE WESTERNMOST CORNER OF LOT 1, BLOCK 24, ORIGINAL TOWN OF MUSCATINE, SAID POINT BEING ON THE SOUTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAYOF A 20' ALLEY AND THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF CYPRESS STREET; THENCE SOUTH 38°26'02"EAST 105.00FEET ALONG THE SOUTHWESTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 1 AND THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF CYPRESS STREET; THENCE SOUTH 51°33'58"WEST 20.00 FEET ALONG A LINE PERPENDICULAR TO THE SAID SOUTHWESTERLYLINE OF LOT 1 AND THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF CYPRESS STREET; THENCE NORTH 38°26'02"WEST 105.00' PARALLEL TO THE SAID SOUTHWESTERLY LINE OF LOT 1 AND THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF CYPRESS STREETTO THE SOUTHERLYLINE OF A 20' ALLEY EXTENDEDSOUTHWESTERLY; THENCE NORTH 51'33'58" EAST 20.00 FEET ALONGTHE SAID SOUTHERLYLINE OF A 20' ALLEY EXTENDED SOUTHWESTERLY TO THE SOUTHWESTELRY LINE OF LOT 1 AND THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF CYPRESS STREET AND THE POINT OF BEGINNING. (FOR PURPOSES OF THIS DESCRIPTION THE SOUTHWESTERLYLINE OF LOT 1, BLOCK 24, ORIGINALTOWN OF MUSCATINE IS ASSUMED TO BEAR SOUTH 38'26'02" EAST) THIS PARCEL CONTAINS 2,100 SQUARE FEET MORE OR LESS

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Muscatine has conducted a public hearing on said vacation request;

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUSCATINE, IOWA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section I. The following described real estate be vacated by the City of Muscatine, Iowa:

Vacation Plat is hereto attached as Exhibits A,

<u>Section II.</u> Any Ordinance or part thereof in conflict or inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance is hereby repealed.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 4th day of June 2020.

BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUSCATINE, IOWA

Diana Brodersen, Mayor

Attest:

Greg Jenkins, Interim City Clerk

1st Reading Legalary (2-4-9080)

2nd Reading Legalary (2-2-2020)

### \*\*\* Proof of Publication \*\*\*

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, on oath does say that he/she is an authorized employee of THE MUSCATINE JOURNAL. morning edition, a daily newspaper printed and published by Lee Enterprises, Incorporated, in the City of Davenport, Scott County, lowa, and that a notice, a printed copy of which is made a part of this affidavit, was published in said THE MUSCATINE JOURNAL, on the dates listed below.

CITY OF MUSCATINE- Legals account

215 Sycamore Street MUSCATINE, IA 52761

ORDER NUMBER

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The affiant further deposes and says that all of the facts set forth in the foregoing affidavit are true as he/she verily believes.

Section: Notices & Legals

Category: 2633 Zoning Notices

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ORDINANCE NO. 2020-0201 AN ORDINANCE VACATING A PORTION OF STREET AND ALLEY (BRIER STREET) RIGHT-OF-WAY IN THE CITY OF MUSCATINE, IOWA

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BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUSCATINE, IOWA 1st Reading 6/4/2020
2nd Reading 6/18/2020
3rd Reading 7/2/2020

TOTAL AD COST:

43.04

FILED ON:

7/17/2020

Subscribed and sworn to before me by said affiant this day of 20 10.

Notary Public in and for Scott County, Iowa

DANINE GLASCOCK Commission Number 810108 My Commission Expires