

VROW-2022-0011

BILL NO. G-22-09-02

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. G-_____

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

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:

LEGAL DESCRIPTION for Vacation of a portion of Roxbury Drive:

Part of Lot Number 6 of a subdivision of R.L. Britton Estate, recorded in Deed Record "N", page 403 as found in the Office of the Recorder of Allen County, Indiana, described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the West right-of-way line of Southwood Avenue and the North right-of-way line of Roxbury Drive, as shown on the plat of Southwood Park Addition, Section "G", recorded in Plat Book 14A, page 16, said point also being the Southeast corner of real estate described in Document #2021034585; thence South, on the extended West right-of-way line of said Southwood Avenue, 30 feet to the centerline of said Roxbury Drive; thence West, on said centerline, 140 feet to a point on the extended West line of said real estate described in Document #2021034585; thence North, said extended West line, 30 feet to the Southwest corner thereof on the North right-of-way line of said Roxbury Drive; thence East, on said North right-of-way line, also being the South line of said real estate described in Document #2021034585, a distance of 140 feet to the Point of Beginning.

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

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

COUNCILMEMBER

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Malak Heiny, City Attorney

City of Fort Wayne Common Council

DIGEST SHEET

Department of Planning Services

Title of Ordinance: Right of Way Vacation
Case Number: VROW-2022-0011
Bill Number: G-22-09-02
Council District: 5-Geoff Paddock

Introduction Date: September 13, 2022

Public Hearing Date: September 27, 2022 to be heard by Council

Next Council Action: Ordinance will return to Council after recommendation by reviewing agencies.

Synopsis of Ordinance: To vacate a portion of the right-of-way of Roxbury Drive within Southwood Park Addition, Section G.

Location: South of 5020 Southwood Avenue

Reason for Request: The right-of-way is unimproved and the property owners would like to make improvements in the rear yard.

Applicant: Teresa and Michael Masanz

Property Owners: Teresa and Michael Masanz

Related Petitions: none

Effect of Passage: The vacation of the right-of-way will allow for improvements to made in the rear yard of 5020 Southwood Avenue.

Effect of Non-Passage: The right of way will remain as platted. Any new development will need to conform to setbacks from the existing right-of-way.

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:

Roxbury Drive (60' unimproved)

(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: N/ PAGE(S) NUMBER(S): 403 (This information can be obtained from the Allen County Recorder's Office on the 2nd Floor, City-County Building, One Main Street, Fort Wayne, IN)

The reasons for the proposed vacation are as follows:

Area of Roxbury Drive, unimproved land, is maintained by us. Over the last 11 years we have trimmed the trees, seeded and mowed the grass of the property. Requesting vacation of right of way to allow for improvement of property at 5020 Southwood Ave. Request modification from Right of Way to Easement of Unimproved "Roxbury Drive."
Recently, both City Utilities and public utility have easily accessed the area - to place sewers and erect utility pole with no impediment.
(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:

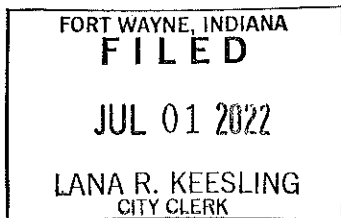
Property owner(s) Name(s); Street Address; City; State; Zip Code; Phone Number with Area Code.

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

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____



I/We, your petitioners, file this petition pursuant to the authority granted in Indiana Code, and provisions of local ordinance. I/We agree to abide by all provisions of the For Wayne Zoning Ordinance and/or Subdivision Control Ordinance, as well as all procedures and policies of the Fort Wayne City Plan Commission as those provisions, and policies relate to the handling and disposition of this petition. I/We also certify that this information is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge.

Michael Masanz
Signature

Michael Masanz
Printed Name

7-1-22
Date

5020 Southwood Ave
Address

Fort Wayne IN 46807
City/State/Zip

Theresa Masanz
Signature

Theresa Masanz
Printed Name

7-1-22
Date

5020 Southwood Ave
Address

Fort Wayne IN 46807
City/State/Zip

If additional space is needed for signatures please attach a separate page.

Agent's Name (Print Legibly): _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

NOTICE:

- Legal Description is to be the area to be vacated and must be complete and accurate. If necessary a licensed surveyor's legal description may be required.
- Applicant is hereby informed that in the case of a utility being located in a public way or easement, the applicant may be required to bear the cost of relocation, or of providing a replacement easement or easement's as needed.

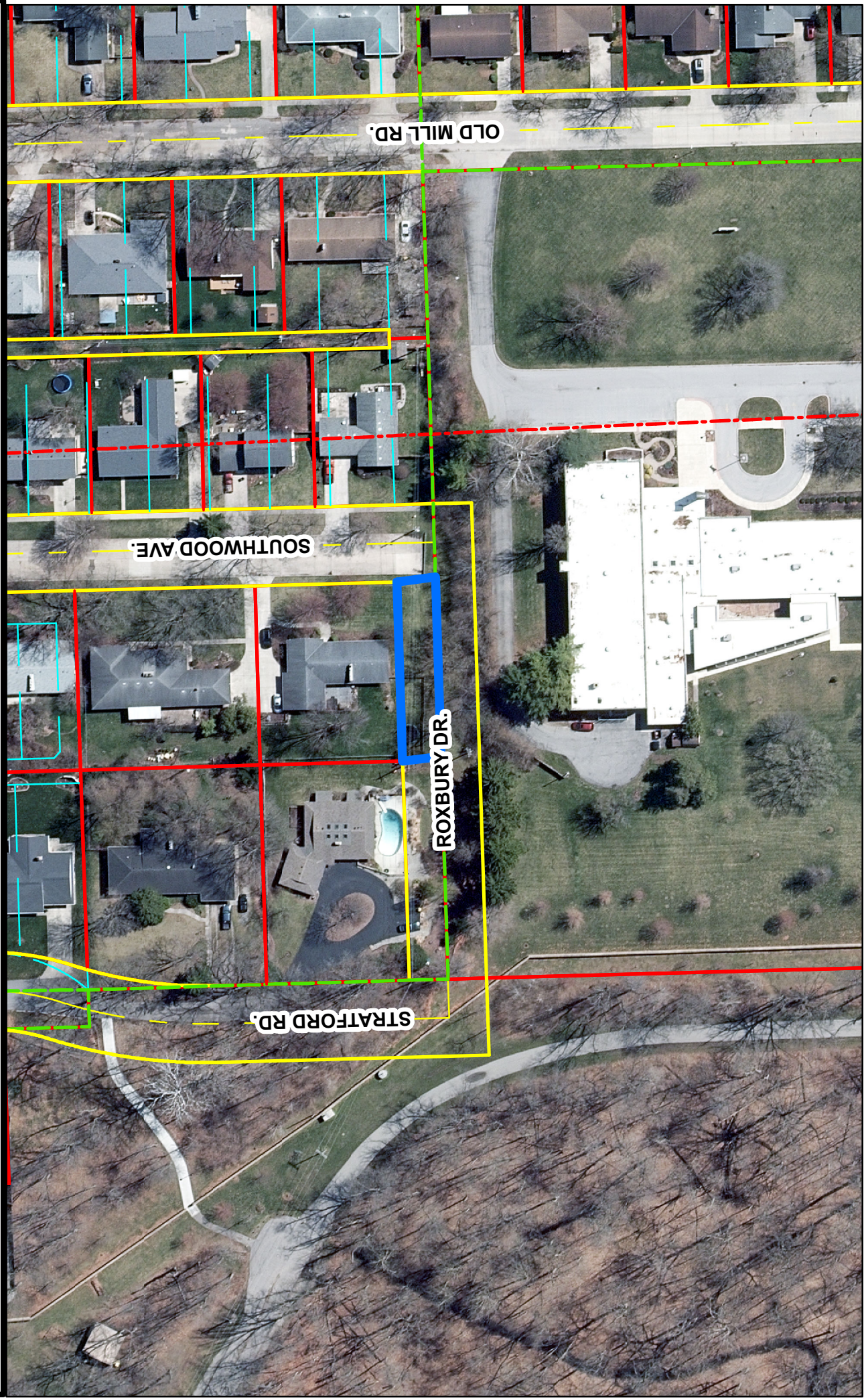
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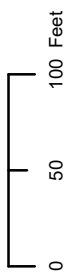
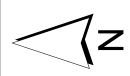
Map #: _____

Reference #: _____



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1 inch = 100 feet

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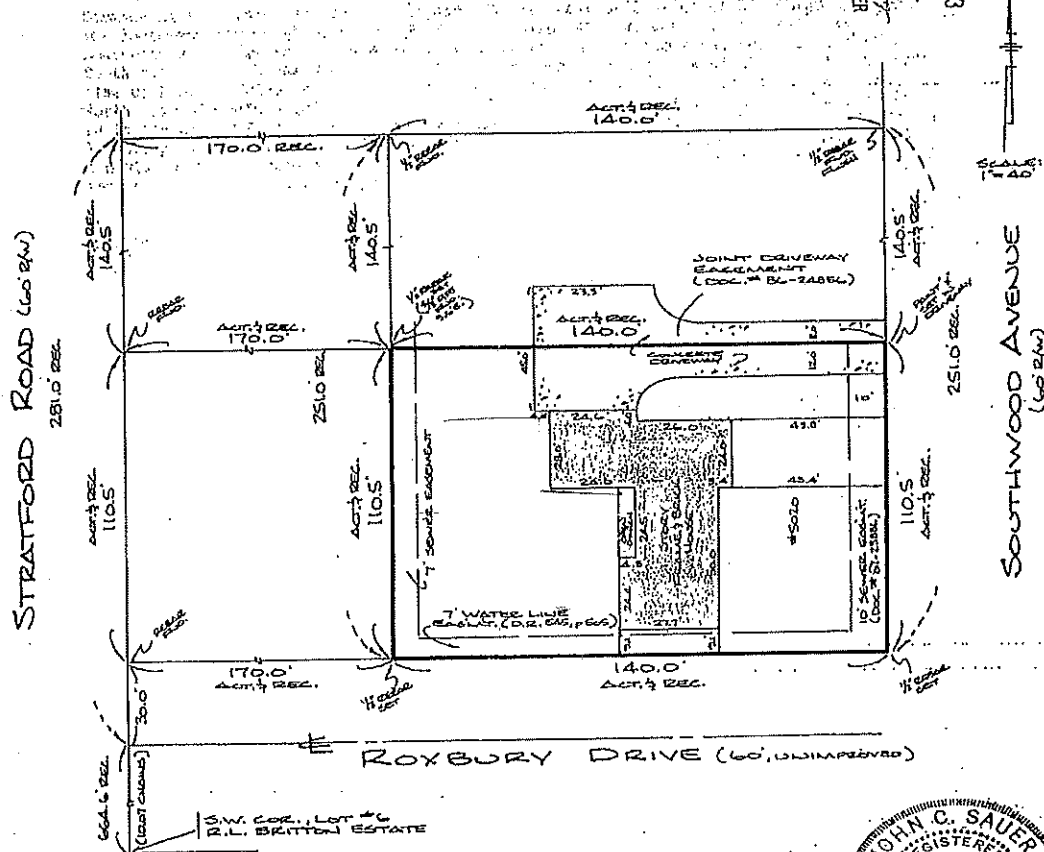


CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY

This document is a record of a resurvey of land and real estate prepared in conformity with established rules of surveying and made in accordance with the records or plat on file in the Recorder's office of Allen County, State of Indiana. The land described exists in full dimensions as shown herein in feet. It is free from encroachments by adjoining land owners unless specifically stated below. Corners were perpetuated as indicated.

DESCRIPTION OF REAL ESTATE

See page two for legal description.



I hereby certify on the 27th day of June, 19 90 that the above survey is correct.
Surveyed for: Schmitz
Survey No.: QT-125

John C. Sauer



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