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ORDINANCE NO. 639

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR THE ABANDONMENT OF AN ALLEY IN BLOCK 14, HILLCREST ADDITION; QUIT-CLAIMING SAID ABANDONED ALLEY TO THE ABUTTING PROPERTY OWNERS; PROVIDING FOR THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH ABANDONMENT, AND CALLING A PUBLIC HEARING.

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Abilene has, at the request of the Hillcrest Church of Christ, recommended to the City Council that an alley bounded by Block 14 on the west and north sides and Lots 4, 5, and 6 of Block 16, Hillcrest Addition on the east side and easement closure located from the middle of the south line of Block 14, Hillcrest Addition running northeast to its entrance into the alley on the north side of Lot 6, Block 16, Hillcrest Addition, address being 617 Bacon Street, which is neither needed, nor used, for public purposes, be closed, abandoned and quitclaimed to the abutting property owners; and,

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the City Council that such abandonment is in the public interest of the City of Abilene; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1: That the following described alley situated within the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, be, and the same is hereby, abandoned, vacated and closed insofar as the right, title and easement of the public are concerned:

BEING the alley bounded by Block 14 on the west and north sides and Lots 4, 5, and 6 of Block 16, Hillcrest Addition on the east side and easement closure located from the middle of the south line of Block 14, Hillcrest Addition running northeast to its entrance into the alley on the north side of Lot 6, Block 16, Hillcrest Addition, address being 617 Bacon Street.

PART 2: That the City of Abilene does, by these presents, quitclaim all its right, title, claim and demand in and to that tract of land, described in Part 1 hereof, to those owning the property abutting on the above described portion of such street as their interest may appear, with, all and singular, its right, title, interest, estate, claim and demand in said tract, as hereinabove described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above released rights, titles, interests, claims and demand to the said abutting

property owners, their heirs and assigns, forever, so that neither the City of Abilene, nor its legal representatives or assigns, shall have any right, title or interest in such property, premises or appurtenances, or any part thereof.

PART 3: That the abandonment provided for herein shall extend only to the public right, title and easement in and to the tract of land described in Part 1 of this Ordinance, and shall be construed only to that interest the governing body of the City of Abilene may legally and lawfully abandon.

PART 4: That, upon final passage hereof, the City Secretary be, and she is hereby, authorized and directed to certify a copy of this Ordinance, and file it in the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas.

PASSED ON FIRST READING, this the 8 day of March, A. D. 1973.

After said passage, a Notice of the time and place, where and when said Ordinance would be given a public hearing and considered for final passage, was published in the Abilene Reporter News, a daily newspaper, of general circulation in the City of Abilene, said publication being on the 12 day of March, A. D. 1973, the same being more than twenty-four (24) hours prior to the time designated for said hearing. After such opportunity for the public to be heard, the said Ordinance was passed on second and final reading.

PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING, this the 12 day of April, A. D. 1973.

(SEAL)

J. C. Hunter, Jr.
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Ruth Hodgin
CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED:

Ben M. Dickerson, Jr.
CITY ATTORNEY

THE STATE OF TEXAS |
COUNTY OF TAYLOR |
CITY OF ABILENE |

I, Ruth Hodgkin, City Secretary of the City of Abilene, Texas,

do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of

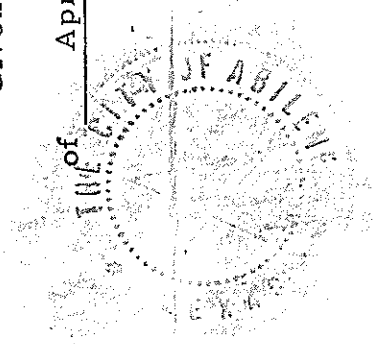
Abilene, Texas, on 12 day of April, A.D., 1973,

same being recorded in the Ordinance Records of the City of

Abilene, Texas, Volume 9, Page 456.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 12 day

of April, A.D., 1973.



Ruth Hodgkin
CITY SECRETARY
ABILENE, TEXAS