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## **RESOLUTION NO. C-28370**

A RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO VACATE A PORTION OF THE ALLEY WEST OF LONG BEACH BOULEVARD AND NORTH OF FOURTEENTH STREET, RESERVING EASEMENTS FOR UTILITIES, IN THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, PURSUANT TO THE PUBLIC STREET, HIGHWAYS AND SERVICE EASEMENTS LAW (DIVISION 9, PART 3, CALIFORNIA STREETS AND HIGHWAYS CODE); FIXING A TIME AND PLACE FOR HEARING ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN OR OBJECTING TO THE PROPOSED VACATION

The City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Long Beach hereby elects to proceed under Section 8300 et seq. of the California Streets and Highways Code, as amended, generally known and referred as the "Public Street, Highways and Service Easements Law", and hereby declares its intention to vacate a portion of the alley west of Long Beach Boulevard and north of Fourteenth Street, reserving easements for utilities, in the City of Long Beach, County of Los Angeles, State of California, described more particularly as follows:

That 16-foot wide north-south public alley in Block 10 of the Townsend & Robinson Tract in the City of Long Beach, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as shown on the map of said Tract filed in Book 2, Pages 3 and 4 of Maps in the Office of the County Recorder of said county, bounded on the north by the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of Lot 4 of said block and tract, and bounded on the south by the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of the southerly 20 feet Lot 1 of said block and tract.

AND, the contiguous 16-foot wide strip of land within Lots 13 through 18, inclusive, of The Allen Tract in the City of Long Beach, County of Los Angeles, State of California, said lots shown on the map of said Tract filed in Book 6, Page 195 of Maps in said County Recorder's office, dedicated to

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Reserving unto the City of Long Beach, its successors and assigns, over the entire area vacated herein, a perpetual easement and right-of-way, at any time or from time to time, to lay, construct, maintain, operate, repair, renew, replace, change the size of and remove the existing utility lines, including, but not limited to, sanitary sewers together with all necessary gates, valves, fittings, hydrants and appurtenances for the transportation of water and gas, with the right of ingress to and egress from the same, over, through, under, along and across that certain property vacated herewith; and pursuant to any existing franchises or renewals thereof, or otherwise, to construct, maintain, operate, replace, remove, renew and enlarge lines of conduits, cables, wires, poles and other convenient structures, equipment and fixtures for the operation of telephone lines and other communication lines, and for the transportation or distribution of electric energy, and incidental purposes including access and the right to keep the property free from inflammable materials, and wood growth, and otherwise protect the same from all hazards in, upon and over the part vacated. Access for maintenance of the abovementioned facilities must be maintained at all times. No improvements shall be constructed within the easement which would impede the operation, maintenance or repair of said facilities. Construction of any improvements, including changes of grade, shall be subject to the prior written approval of all the City departments and public utilities responsible for the above said facilities.

Sec. 2. All of the foregoing real property is shown on the map or plan thereof, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", and on file in the office of the City Clerk, which map or plan is known and referred to as City of Long Beach Department of Engineering Vacation Sketch No. 951V entitled, "SKETCH SHOWING AN ALLEY WEST OF LONG BEACH BOULEVARD AND NORTH OF FOURTEENTH STREET, TO BE VACATED BY THE CITY OF LONG BEACH."

- Sec. 3. This vacation is appropriate since the area to be vacated is unnecessary for present or prospective public use.
- Sec. 4. It is the intent of the City Council that this vacation be conditioned on the resolution by the property owner of any storm water drainage problems resulting from the vacation, to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works.
- Sec. 5. The City Council hereby fixes the <u>6th</u> day of <u>July</u>, 2004, at the hour of <u>5:00</u> p.m., as the time and the City Council Chamber, Plaza Level of the City Hall, 333 West Ocean Boulevard, in the City of Long Beach, California, as the place for hearing all persons interested in or objecting to the proposed vacation.

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Sec. 6. The City Council hereby directs that notice of this street vacation be posted conspicuously along the street to be vacated at least two (2) weeks before the date set for hearing and in the manner provided by Section 8323 of the State Streets and Highways Code.

Sec. 7. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2004, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Lowenthal, Baker, Carroll,

Richardson, Reyes Uranga, Webb,

Lerch, Colonna.

Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: Kell.

City Clerk

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