



Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** To declare that a public necessity exists and to authorize the acquisition of certain fee simple interests and permanent easements on the parcels of real property located on 26th Street and 27th Street between S Street and T Street for the purpose of constructing an alley running between S Street and T Street in the block bounded by 26th Street, T Street, 27th Street and S Street.

**Sponsors:** Mayor Jones

**Indexes:** Property Acquisition

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. Ord. No. 2014-119-117, 2. Staff Report, 3. Location Map, 4. Plat

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
6/9/2014	1	City Council	adopted	Pass
6/2/2014	1	Planning Commission	recommended for approval	
5/29/2014	1	City Council	introduced and referred	

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O&R REQUEST

**DATE:** April 9, 2014    **EDITION:** 1

**TO:** The Honorable Members of City Council

**THROUGH:** The Honorable Dwight C. Jones, Mayor

**THROUGH:** Byron C. Marshall, Chief Administrative Officer

**THROUGH:** Christopher L. Beschler, Deputy CAO of Operations

**THROUGH:** James A. Jackson, Director of Public Works

**FROM:** M. S. Khara PE, City Engineer

**RE:** TO DECLARE THAT A PUBLIC NECESSITY EXISTS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF

**ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER (CAO) OR DESIGNEE THEREOF, TO ACCEPT IN FEE SIMPLE ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY FOR RIGHT OF WAY PURPOSES AND EASEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ALLEY BETWEEN 26<sup>TH</sup> STREET AND 27<sup>TH</sup> STREET FROM T STREET TO S STREET.**

**ORD. OR RES. NO:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PURPOSE:** To declare that a public necessity exists for the acquisition of right-of-way and easements for the construction of alley between 26<sup>th</sup> St. and 27<sup>th</sup> St. from T St. to S St. as shown in plats prepared by Surveying and Mapping, LLC designated as DPW Dwg. No. N-28541.

**REASON:** Additional right of way and easements are required to construct the proposed alley.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:** Department of Public Works recommends approval of this ordinance.

**BACKGROUND:** North model block is located at Church Hill area between 26<sup>th</sup> St. & 27<sup>th</sup> St. and S St. & T St. Most of the lots within the block are vacant. The project will restore the physical character of the neighborhood and complement other future projects in the area. Improved streets tend to increase the value of the properties, encourage neighborhood revitalization, improve the street cleaning program, and improve the neighborhood safety.

The project will include the installation of curb & gutter, and sidewalk along T St. from 26<sup>th</sup> St. to 28<sup>th</sup> St.; a green alley installation between 26<sup>th</sup> St. and 27<sup>th</sup> St. from T St. to S St. The total construction cost is estimated at \$350,000.00. The project is budgeted for design and property acquisition. Future funding is needed for construction phase.

These improvements require additional right-of-way and/or temporary construction easements, from Nineteen (19) parcels, as part of the project. These acquisitions are shown in the attached plats prepared by Surveying and Mapping, LLC designated as DPW Dwg. No. N-28541.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** None. Funding is available from prior years.

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:** None.

**BUDGET AMENDMENT NECESSARY:** No.

**COST TO CITY:** The actual acquisition cost is to be negotiated, and will be set at fair market value as determined by appropriate Federal, State and local regulations.

**REVENUE TO CITY:** None.

**DESIRED EFFECTIVE DATE:** Upon adoption.

**REQUESTED INTRODUCTION DATE:** May 12, 2014

**CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING DATE:** May 27, 2014

**REQUESTED AGENDA:** Consent.

**SUGGESTED COUNCIL COMMITTEE:** Land Use, Housing, and Transportation Standing Committee meeting (May 20, 2014).

**CONSIDERATION BY OTHER ENTITIES:** None

**AFFECTED AGENCIES:** Public Works, Law Department, Planning & Community Development, Economic Development, Public Utilities, Finance Department, Budget and Strategic Planning. Copies also sent to: City Mayor (Honorable Dwight C. Jones); Chief Administrative Officer (Byron C. Marshall) and City Attorney (2)

**RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING ORD. OR RES:** None

**REQUIRED CHANGES TO WORK PROGRAMS:** None

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. DPW Dwg. No. N-28541

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