

CITY ORDINANCE NO. CO-032-2022

AN ORDINANCE OF THE LAFAYETTE CITY COUNCIL DECLARING THE GERALD DRIVE COULEE - PHASE I PROJECT A PUBLIC NECESSITY AND AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF THE NECESSARY RIGHTS-OF-WAY, IMMOVABLE PROPERTY AND OTHER PROPERTY RIGHTS REQUISITE TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF SAID PROJECT, EITHER ON AN AMICABLE BASIS OR THROUGH THE USE OF THE EXPROPRIATION PROCESS, IF NECESSARY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Lafayette City Council, that:

WHEREAS, the Lafayette City Council has declared the Gerald Drive Coulee - Phase I Project (hereinafter referred to as “Project”) a public necessity; and

WHEREAS, the public purpose to be served by the construction of said Project is to provide for the improvement of drainage, as well as, protection and public safety from flooding; and

WHEREAS, the project limits are shown on the attached Exhibit “A” for the project and is generally to install subsurface drainage in the existing ditch between Gerald Dr. and Robley Dr. Also cleaning of the existing ditch from Robley Dr. to Broadmoor Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, engineering work has progressed to a point wherein it is determined that certain tracts of land or portions thereof will be required for construction of the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Lafayette City Council, that:

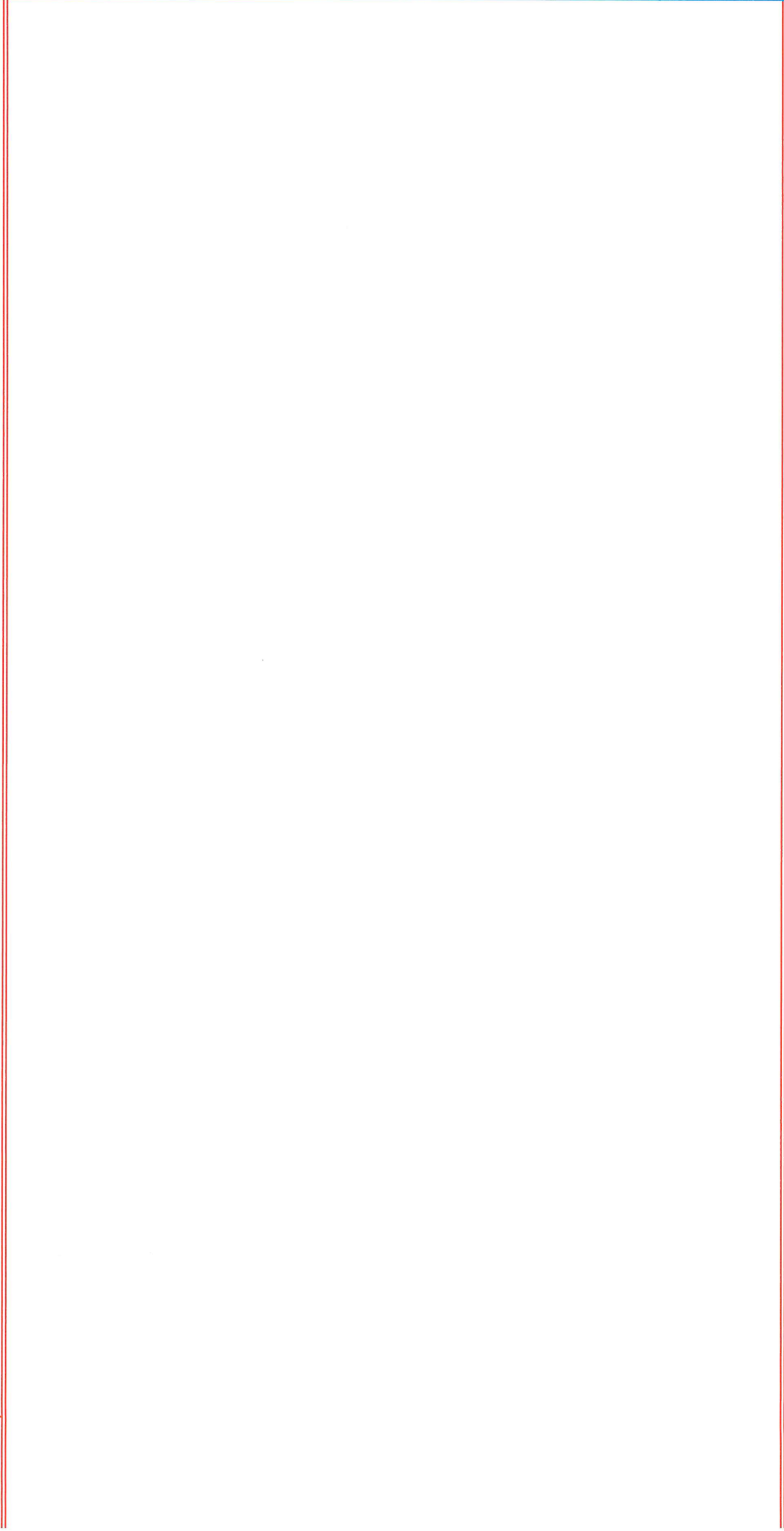
SECTION 1: All of the aforescribed “Whereas” clauses are adopted as part of this ordinance.

SECTION 2: The Lafayette Mayor-President is hereby authorized to acquire such land, immovable property, rights-of-way, servitudes, or other property rights as are determined to be necessary under good engineering standards to provide for the construction of said project; and he is authorized to do so on an amicable basis or by the proper use of the power of expropriation granted to municipalities under applicable State law. In pursuing said land, immovable property, right-of-way acquisitions, he is authorized to acquire said land, immovable property, right-of-way and to settle the matters thus presented, on such terms and conditions as he shall deem proper and in the best interest of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government.

SECTION 3: All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4: This ordinance shall become effective upon signature of the Lafayette Mayor-President, the elapse of ten (10) days after receipt by the Lafayette Mayor-President without signature or veto, or upon an override of a veto, whichever occurs first.

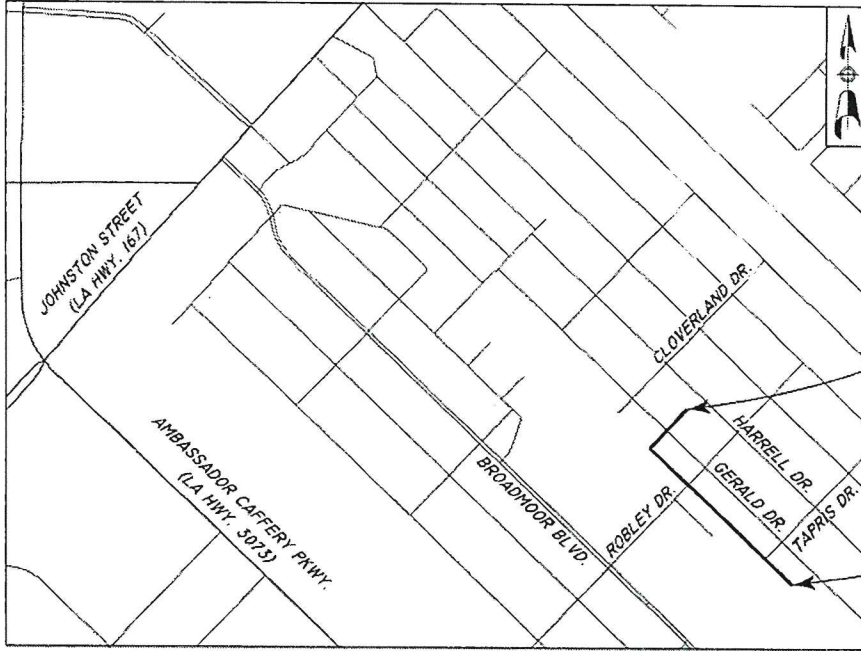
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LAFAYETTE PARISH



END PROJECT &
DITCH CONSTRUCTION
STA. 14+22.00
GERALD DRIVE COULEE

BEGIN PROJECT &
DITCH CONSTRUCTION
STA. 120+80.00
GERALD DRIVE COULEE

LAYOUT MAP

SCALE: 1 INCH = 600 FEET





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Lafayette Consolidated Government
Chief Administrative Officer

Internal Memorandum

Public Works Department
Director's Office (5200)

TO: Cydra Wingerter

DATE: February 10, 2022

FROM: Chad Nepveaux

SUBJECT: **Gerald Drive Coulee – Phase I – Public Necessity**
Agenda Item

Plans for the referenced project have reached a point where it is in order to have an ordinance declaring public necessity adopted to begin negotiations for acquisition of rights-of-way. The project is to install subsurface drainage in the existing ditch between Gerald Dr. and Robley Dr., also, proposed cleaning of the existing ditch from Robley Dr. to Broadmoor Elementary School.

Please place this item on the next appropriate Council agenda for introduction.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chad Nepveaux', written over a horizontal line.

Chad Nepveaux
Director of Public Works

JCN/lv

Attachment: Agenda Item Submittal Packet

cc: Leigh Ann Vallot
Scott Joubert
Jared Veazey
Project File #1813

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LCG Council Office

LAFAYETTE CITY COUNCIL MEETING

AGENDA ITEM SUBMITTAL FORM

1) JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST: An ordinance of the Lafayette City Council declaring the Gerald Drive Coulee - Phase I Project a public necessity and authorizing the acquisition of the necessary rights-of-way, immovable property and other property rights requisite to the construction of said project, either on an amicable basis or through the use of the expropriation process if necessary

2) ACTION REQUESTED: Adoption of Ordinance

3) COUNCIL DISTRICT(S) (if applicable): _____

If this involves a budget revision, please complete a budgetary revision form.

4) REQUESTED ACTION OF COUNCIL:

A) INTRODUCTION: March 8, 2022

B) FINAL ADOPTION: March 22, 2022

5) DOCUMENTATION INCLUDED WITH THIS REQUEST:

A) Cover letter (1 page)

B) Submittal Form (1 page)

C) Ordinance 2 pages

D) Vicinity Map (1 page)

6) FISCAL IMPACT:

_____ Fiscal Impact (Explain)

X _____ No Fiscal Impact

RECOMMENDED BY:



DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

APPROVED FOR AGENDA:



CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

DISPOSITION OF ORDINANCE NO. CO-032-2022

1. This ordinance was introduced: March 8, 2022
YEAS: Lewis, Naquin, Hebert, Cook, Lazard
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None
- Final disposition by Council: March 22, 2022
YEAS: Lewis, Naquin, Hebert, Cook, Lazard
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None

2. Notice of Public Hearing: This ordinance was published by Title and Notice of Public Hearing was published in the Advertiser on March 11, 2022.

3. This ordinance was presented to the Mayor-President for approval on March 23, 2022, at 2:40 o'clock P.m.
- Kevin L. Mill
CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

4. Disposition by Mayor-President:
- I hereby:
- A. Approve this ordinance, the 28 day of MARCH, 2022, at 2:35 o'clock P.m.
- B. Veto this ordinance, the _____ day of _____, 2022, at _____ o'clock ____m., veto message is attached.
- C. Line item veto certain items this _____ day of _____, 2022, at _____ o'clock ____m., veto message is attached.

John D. Gandy
MAYOR-PRESIDENT

5. Returned to Council Office with veto message on March 30, 2022, at 4:30 o'clock P.m.

6. Reconsideration by Council (if vetoed):
- On _____, 2022, the Council did/refused to adopt this ordinance after the Mayor-President's veto.

7. Returned to the Council Office without signature of Mayor-President (*unsigned*) on _____, 2022, at _____ o'clock ____m.

If not signed or vetoed by the Mayor-President, and ten days have elapsed since this ordinance was presented to him for action, same has been automatically approved.

Kevin L. Mill
CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

8. Full publication of this ordinance was made in the Advertiser on March 25, 2022.

