

CITY ORDINANCE NO. CO-166-2024

AN ORDINANCE OF THE LAFAYETTE CITY COUNCIL DECLARING THE E. BROUSSARD ROAD ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS PROJECT A PUBLIC NECESSITY AND AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF THE NECESSARY LAND, SERVITUDES, EASEMENTS, RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND OTHER PROPERTY RIGHTS EITHER ON AN AMICABLE BASIS OR THROUGH THE PROPER USE OF THE EXPROPRIATION PROCESS, IF NECESSARY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Lafayette City Council, that:

SECTION 1: The Lafayette City Council hereby declares the E. Broussard Road Electrical Distribution Systems Project a public necessity.

SECTION 2: The public purpose to be served by the acquisition of said project will be to extend electrical distribution to this area and to provide additional reliability in the electrical distribution system.

SECTION 3: The project limits are generally located in the 1300 – 1700 blocks of E. Broussard Road.

SECTION 4: A map indicating the route of interest is attached and is hereby approved and accepted by the Lafayette City Council as proposed.

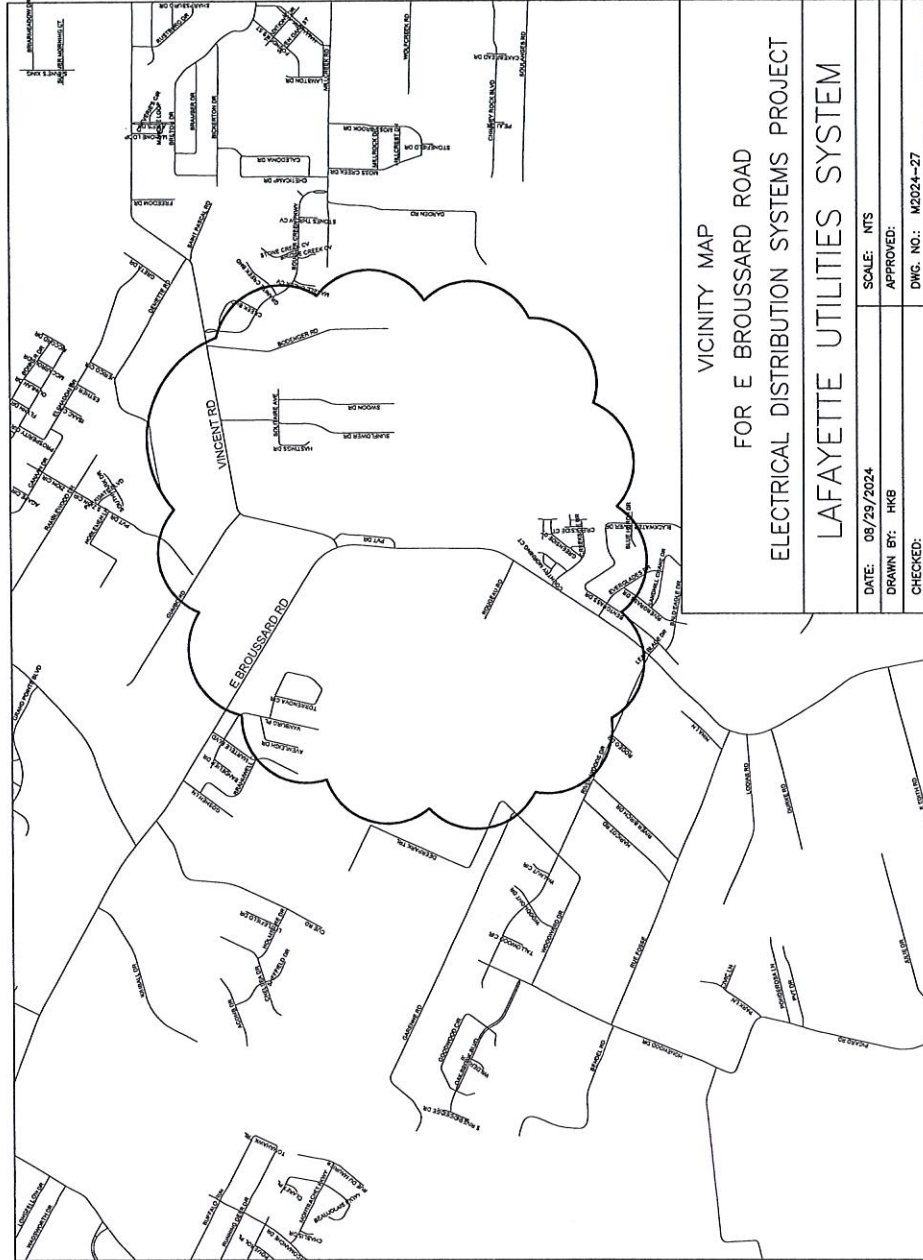
SECTION 5: The Lafayette Mayor-President is authorized to acquire such land, servitudes, easements, rights-of-way, or other property rights as are found to be necessary under engineering standards to provide for the construction of said project; she is authorized to do so on an amicable basis or by the proper use of the power of expropriation granted under applicable state law. In pursuing said acquisitions, she is authorized to acquire conventionally or otherwise, said land, servitudes, easements, rights-of-way or other property rights and to settle the matters thus presented, on such terms and conditions as she shall deem proper and in the best interest of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government.

SECTION 6: All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7: 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 Consolidated Government
Chief Administrative Officer

Internal Memorandum

Lafayette Utilities System
Engineering Administration (7081)

TO: Rachel Godeaux

DATE: September 3, 2024

THRU: Karen Hoyt *KH 9/3/24* Jeffrey B. Stewart *JS 9/3/24*

FROM: Jason Miller

SUBJECT: 10/01/24 City Council Agenda Item: E. Broussard Road Electrical Distribution Systems Project – Public Necessity

Attached for consideration by the Lafayette City Council is an ordinance proposing the E. Broussard Road Electrical Distribution Systems Project a public necessity and authorizing the acquisition of the necessary land, servitudes, easements, rights-of-way and other property rights requisite to the construction of said project either on an amicable basis or through the proper use of the expropriation process, if necessary.

The public purpose to be served by the construction of said project will be to extend electrical distribution to this area and to provide additional reliability in the electrical distribution system.

The total price of acquisitions is estimated at \$20,000.00.

Funding is provided by Work Order number:
5027099-89533-2301-50210246411-13600

LUS recommends approval of the proposed ordinance.

The Utilities Department is governed by the City; therefore, please place this ordinance on the agenda for the Lafayette City Council for introduction at the October 1, 2024 meeting and final adoption at the October 15, 2024 meeting.

Thank you,


Jason Miller
Electrical Distribution Engineering Coordinator

attachments



LAFAYETTE CITY COUNCIL MEETING

AGENDA ITEM SUBMITTAL FORM

1) **JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST:** An ordinance of the Lafayette City Council declaring the E Broussard Road Electrical Distribution Systems Project a public necessity and authorizing the acquisition of the necessary land, servitudes, easements, rights-of-way and other property rights on an amicable basis or through the proper use of expropriation process, if necessary.

2) **ACTION REQUESTED:** Adoption of ordinance

3) **COUNCIL DISTRICT(S) (CIP PROGRAM/PROJECTS ONLY)** City Council District 4

4) **REQUESTED ACTION OF COUNCIL:**

A) **INTRODUCTION:** October 1, 2024

B) **FINAL ADOPTION:** October 15, 2024

5) **DOCUMENTATION INCLUDED WITH THIS REQUEST:**

A) Internal Memorandum (1 page)

B) Ordinance (1 page)

C) Vicinity Map (1 page)

6) **FISCAL IMPACT:**

 Fiscal Impact (Explain)

 X No Fiscal Impact

Total cost of acquisition \$20,000.00 provided in work order
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RECOMMENDED BY:

 09/03/24
JEFFREY B. STEWART
UTILITIES DIRECTOR

APPROVED FOR AGENDA:


RACHEL GODEAUX
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER