## **ORDINANCE NO. 3426**

AN ORDINANCE ABANDONING A PUBLIC UTILITYEASEMENT ON PROPERTY LOCATED IN THE HEWITT ESTATES ADDITION IN THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS; DECLARING THAT SUCH EASEMENT IS UNNECESSARY FOR USE BY THE PUBLIC; PROVIDING A SEVERABILTY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- WHEREAS, the City of North Richland Hills, Texas ("the City") is a home rule city acting under its power adopted by the electorate pursuant to Article XI, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 9 of the Local Government Code; and
- WHEREAS, on or about June 10, 1985, the City of North Richland Hills abandoned the Mabell Street right-of-way but left a residual Utility Easement ("the Easement") to the City by Ordinance No. 1230, which ordinance is filed in DRTCT Volume 8226, Page 73, Tarrant County, Texas; and
- WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of North Richland Hills, after careful study and consideration, has determined that a portion of the residual Utility Easement is not being used by the public, is not useful or convenient to the public in general, and that the public would be better served and benefited by its vacation and abandonment.
- WHEREAS, in order to remove any question as to the continued interest in the easements, the City desires to execute a quitclaim deed releasing and assigning all title and control in said easement to the owner of the fee estate on which the easement is located.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TEXAS:

- Section 1: THAT the above and foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein and made a part hereof for all purposes.
- Section 2: A portion of the utility easement located on Lot 1, Block 1, Hewitt Estates Addition to the City of North Richland Hills, Tarrant County, Texas, which easement is described in an instrument recorded in DRTCT Volume 8226, Page 73, Tarrant County, Texas and depicted on Exhibits "A" and "B" hereto is hereby abandoned and discontinued.
- Section 3: The Mayor of the City of North Richland Hills, Texas, is hereby authorized and empowered to execute a quitclaim deed releasing all claims to title, ownership, or control of the above-described easements to the current

owner of the fee estate on which the easement is located.

- Section 4: After the quitclaim deed is executed, the City Secretary is authorized and instructed to file it in the deed records of Tarrant County, Texas.
- Section 5: It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section.
- Section 6: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and its passage, and it so ordained.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 12th day of September, 2016.

## CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

Ву	y: Oscar Trevino, Mayor
ATTEST:	
Alicia Richardson, City Secretary	
Approved as to content:	
Mike Curtis, Managing Director	<del>_</del>
Approved as to form and legality:	
City Attorney	<u> </u>

# EXHIBIT A EASEMENT ABANDONMENT METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION 4,495 SQUARE FEET IN THE J. McCOMAS SURVEY, A-1202 NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TARRANT COUNTY, TEXAS

All that certain 4,495 square feet of land, which is the east half of Mabell Street right-of-way (measured 60.58' right-of-way), as described in Ordinance Number 1230, of the Public Records of Tarrant County, Texas (P.R.T.C.T.), in the J. McComas Survey, A-1040, City of North Richland Hills, Tarrant County, Texas and more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: (all bearings shown hereon are based on the plat of said Hewitt Estates, recorded in Volume 388-O, Page 311, P.R.T.C.T.)

BEGINNING at a 5/8" iron rod found for the northeast corner of the herein described right-of-way, common to the northwest corner of Lot 1, Block 1, of said Hewitt Estates, in the south right-of-way line of Buck Street (60' R.O.W);

THENCE South 00° 11' 00" East – 148.40' (called 150') along the west line of said Lot 1, Block 1, Hewitt Estates, to a wood fence corner, being the southeast corner of the herein described right-of-way;

THENCE North 89° 54' 00" West – 30.29' to a 1/2" iron rod with cap stamped "SPRY 5647" found for the southwest corner of the herein described right-of-way, being in the centerline of said Mabell Street;

THENCE North 00° 11′ 00″ East – 148.40′ (called 150′) to a 1/2″ iron rod with cap stamped "SPRY 5647" found for the northwest corner of the herein described right-of-way, in the south right-of-way line of said Buck Street, from with a 1/2" iron rod found bears South 89° 54′ 00" West – 30.29′, found fot he northeast corner of a tract of land conveyed to Kenneth and Doris Wilson, recorded in Volume 4004, Page 123, P.R.T.C.T.;

THENCE South 89° 54′ 00" East – 30.29' along the south right-of-way line of said Buck Street to the POINT OF BEGINNING and containing 4,495 square feet of land.

THIS METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION IS ISSUED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SURVEY PREPARED BY SPRY SURVEYORS, HEREBY REFERENCED AS EXHIBIT B. THIS METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION IS EXHIBIT A.

SPRY SURVEYORS

Project Number: 023-087-50 · Issue Date: August 4, 2016
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David Lewis R.P.L.S. NO. 5647

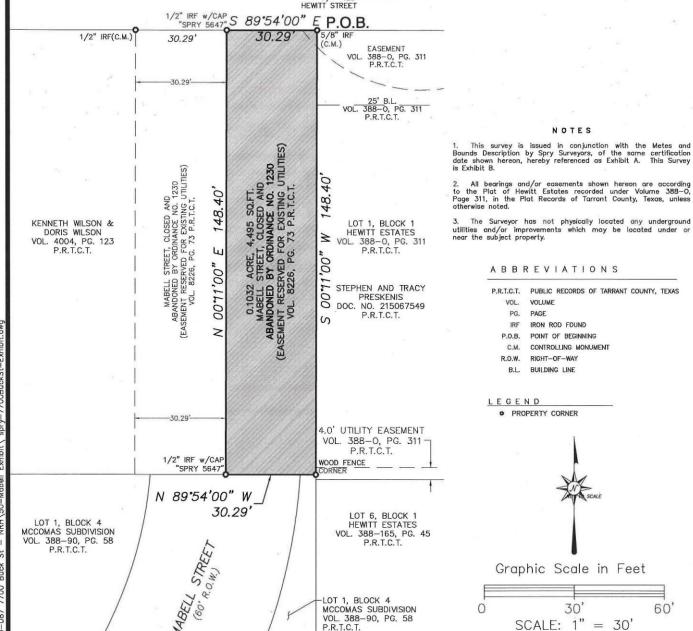
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# **EXHIBIT B** EASEMENT ABANDONMENT

BUCK STREET

(60' R.O.W.)

+/- 425' HEWITT STREET





April 20, 2016

CERTIFICATE DATE

I certify that this survey was made on the ground, that this plat correctly represents the facts found at the time of survey.

DAVID CARLTON LEWIS, R.P.L.S. NO. 5647

# 4,495 SQUARE FEET EASEMENT ABANDONMENT

# PORTION OF MABELL STREET

IN THE J. McCOMAS SURVEY, A-1040 CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TARRANT COUNTY, TEXAS

ISSUE DATE: 8/4/2016

SCALE: 1" = 30'

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