# City of Fort Worth, Texas Mayor and Council Communication

DATE: 01/14/25

# M&C FILE NUMBER: M&C 25-0014

LOG NAME: 06VA-24-023 ALLEY VACATION COOK CHILDRENS

# SUBJECT

(CD 9) Adopt Ordinance Vacating an Alley in Block 8, Edward Heirs Addition, between Pennsylvania Avenue and Pruitt Street, to be Replatted with the Adjoining Property for a Potential Hospital Expansion for Cook Children's

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council:

- 1. Adopt the attached ordinance vacating an alley in Block 8, Edward Heirs Addition, between Pennsylvania Avenue and Pruitt Street, to be replatted with the adjoining property for a potential hospital expansion for Cook Childrens; and
- 2. Waive any and all purchase fee value of the vacated land in accordance with City policy.

### **DISCUSSION:**

Dunaway Associates, on behalf of Cook Children's, has requested vacation of this alley to be replatted with the adjacent property for a future project on the Cook Children's Hospital campus. The City Plan Commission recommended approval of this request at its meeting on October 23, 2024. An acceptable final plat (FS-24-229) has been received in accordance with the Subdivision Ordinance.

The City of Fort Worth (City) originally obtained the above mentioned right-of-way through plat dedication. The City does not own any fee interest in the right-of-way or own any property adjacent to the right-of-way and did not expend any City funds to obtain the right-of-way. In accordance with the City's policy regarding street and alley vacation transactions approved by the City Council on March 6, 2007, Mayor and Council Communication (M&C) G-15624, staff recommends waiving the purchase price of this right-of-way.

This project is located in COUNCIL DISTRICT 9.

A Form 1295 is not required because: This M&C does not request approval of a contract with a business entity.

### FISCAL INFORMATION / CERTIFICATION:

The Director of Finance certifies that approval of these recommendations will have no material effect on City funds.

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