

# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, April 12, 2022 Council Session

## Item E-3

# Public Hearing on Acquisition of Drainage Easement in Nikodym Subdivision- 655 S Cherry Street (Nikodym)

Council action will take place under Consent Agenda item G-18.

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

# Council Agenda Memo

**From:** Keith Kurz PE, Assistant Public Works Director- Engineering

Meeting: April 12, 2022

**Subject:** Public Hearing on Acquisition of Drainage Easement in

Nikodym Subdivision- 655 S Cherry Street (Nikodym)

**Presenter(s):** John Collins PE, Public Works Director

#### **Background**

Nebraska State Statutes stipulate that the acquisition of property requires a public hearing to be conducted with the acquisition approved by the City Council.

A public drainage easement is needed to accommodate drainage for development in the area of Cherry Street and Bismark Road.

A sketch is attached to show the easement area.

#### **Discussion**

To allow for development of the property at the northeast corner of Cherry Street and Bismark Road, a public drainage easement is necessary. This area will be maintained by the developer per the subdivision agreement.

There will be no cost of such easement to the City.

### **Alternatives**

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

- 1. Move to approve
- 2. Refer the issue to a Committee
- 3. Postpone the issue to future date
- 4. Take no action on the issue

# Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the public drainage easement.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the public easements.

