

City of Grand Island

Tuesday, October 22, 2013 Council Session

Item E-2

Public Hearing on Acquisition of Drainage Easements in Copper Creek Estates Third and Fourth Subdivision (The Guarantee Group, LLC)

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

Council Agenda Memo

From: Terry Brown PE, Manager of Engineering Services

Meeting: October 22, 2013

Subject: Public Hearing on Acquisition of Drainage Easements in

Copper Creek Estates Third and Fourth Subdivision (The

Guarantee Group, LLC)

Item #'s: E-2 & G-6

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. Drainage easements need to be dedicated between Cooper Creek Estates Third Subdivision and Copper Creek Estates Fourth Subdivision to allow for further development of the area.

Discussion

These easements will allow for drainage within the cooper Creek Estates Third Subdivision and Copper Creek Estates Fourth Subdivision, and permit further housing development. The new easements will be a total of ten (10) feet wide, as shown on the attached drawings.

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 conduct a Public Hearing and approve acquisition of the drainage easement sin Cooper Creek Estates Third Subdivision and Copper Creek Estates Fourth Subdivision.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the acquisition of the drainage easments.



