



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 13, 2011

Council Session

Item E4

**Public Hearing on Acquisition of Utility Easement - Northeast
Corner of Stolley Park School Property - School District of Grand
Island**

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Council Agenda Memo

From: Robert H. Smith, Asst. Utilities Director

Meeting: September 13, 2011

Subject: Acquisition of Utility Easement – Northeast Corner of Stolley Park School – School District of Grand Island

Item #'s: E-4 & G-6

Presenter(s): Timothy Luchsinger, Utilities Director

Background

The Grand Island School District, at the request of the Grand Island Fire Department, is adding a fire hydrant for the added protection of Stolley Park School. Nebraska State Law requires that acquisition of the easement must be approved by City Council. The Utilities Department needs to acquire an easement relative to the property of the School District of Grand Island, located, at the southwest corner of the intersection of Stolley Park Road and William Street (northeast corner of Stolley Park School property), in the City of Grand Island, Hall County, in order to have access to install, upgrade, maintain, and repair a water lines and public fire hydrant.

Discussion

This easement will be used to provide a location for a new public fire hydrant.

Alternatives

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

1. Make a motion 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 resolution for the acquisition of the easement for one dollar (\$1.00).

Sample Motion

Move to approve acquisition of the Utility Easement.

