SOUTH JORDAN CITY CITY COUNCIL REPORT

Issue: BISON RIDGE SUBDIVISION PLAT

MUNICIPAL EASEMENT VACATION

Address: 2891 W. Bison Ridge Rd.

File No: PLPLA202400098
Applicant: Robb Maxwell

Submitted by: Damir Drozdek, Planner III

Shane Greenwood, Supervising Senior Engineer

Presented by: Steven Schaefermeyer, Director of Planning

Staff Recommendation (Motion Ready): I move the City Council **approve** Ordinance 2024-18 vacating a "30' snow easement" and "ingress and egress easement" as shown on Parcel A of the Bison Ridge Subdivision plat.

BACKGROUND:

The applicant seeks to vacate a couple of municipal easements located at 2891 W. Bison Ridge Rd. The easement vacation petition includes a "30' snow easement" and an "ingress egress easement." These two easements are located on Parcel A of the Bison Ridge Subdivision plat. Parcel A is currently used as a retention pond for the subdivision.

Vacating these easements paves the way for the applicant to subdivide the property to create a buildable lot and reconfigure the retention pond onto a smaller Parcel A. The buildable lot will be located adjacent to Bison Ridge Rd, with a smaller Parcel A and reconfigured retention pond located immediately south of the buildable lot. The City will own and maintain the new Parcel A, and applicant will provide permanent access to Parcel A on the amended plat. To accomplish all of this, the applicant has applied for plat amendment, which is currently under review and will eventually be presented to the Planning Commission for its review and approval.

The two easements, a snow easement and an ingress and egress easement, are located over an existing paved turnaround of Bison Ridge Rd. This turnaround was created with the subdivision because Bison Ridge Rd. was initially a dead end because property on the east side of the Utah Lake Distributing Company Canal was not subdivided. Bison Ridge Rd. now connects over the canal to Urban Ridge Rd. and the recently completed Urban Crossing subdivision. Because Bison Ridge Ro. no longer ends in a dead end, the turn-around and associated easements are no longer needed and applicant intends to remove them as part of his plat amendment application.

STAFF FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATION:

Findings:

• Utah Code § 10-9a-609.5(4) provides standards of approval for vacating a municipal easement:

Meeting Date: 07/16/2024

The legislative body may adopt an ordinance granting a petition to vacate some or all of a public street or municipal utility easement if the legislative body finds that:

- (a) good cause exists for the vacation; and
- (b) neither the public interest nor any person will be materially injured by the vacation.
- Staff finds there is a good cause to vacate the two easements because the turnaround and easements are no longer be needed. Vacating the easements should also lead to this property being cleaned up and resolution of issues with the property and the detention basin.
- The proposed ROW vacation will not cause material injury to any person or public interest because the turnaround and easements are no longer required for public use now that Bison Ridge Rd. crosses the canal.

Conclusion: The proposed easement vacations meet the requirements of Utah Code § 10-9a-609.5(4).

Recommendation: Based on the Findings and Conclusions listed above, Staff recommends that the City Council take comments at the public hearing and approve Ordinance 2024-18, unless, during the hearing, facts are presented that contradict these findings or new facts are presented, either of which would warrant further investigation by Staff.

ALTERNATIVES:

- Approve an amended Application.
- Deny the Application.
- Schedule the Application for a decision at some future date.

SUPPORT MATERIALS:

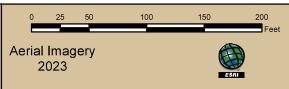
- Aerial Map
- Bison Ridge Subdivision Plat
- Bison Ridge Amended Subdivision Plat
- Ordinance 2024-18

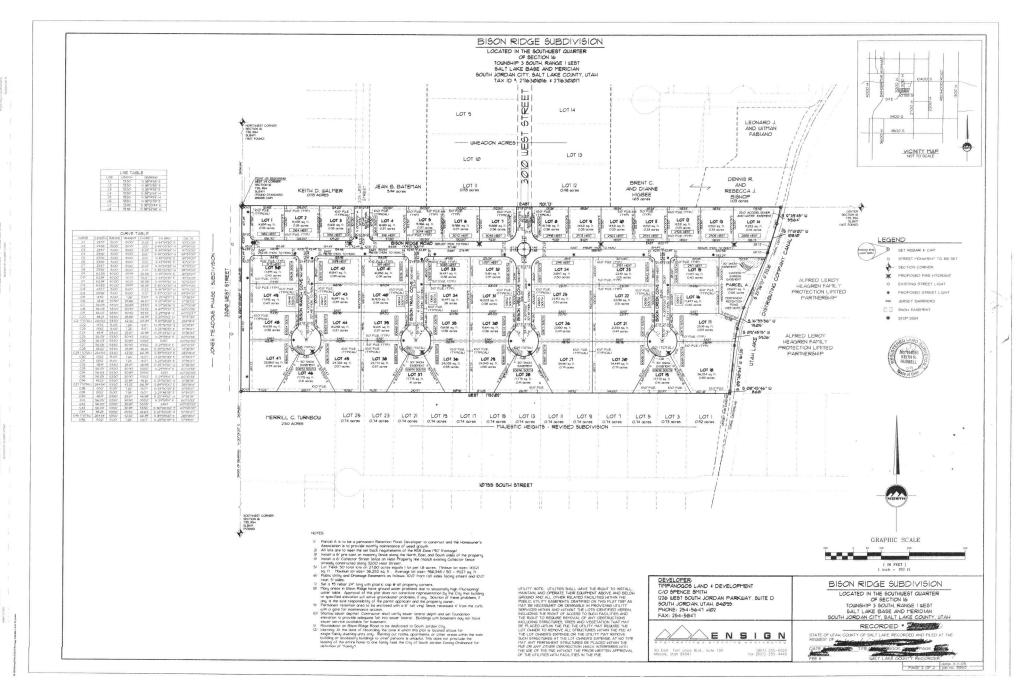
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Steven Schaefermeyer Steven Schaefermeyer (Jul 9, 2024 14:41 MDT)	Damir Drozdek Damir Drozdek (Jul 9, 2024 14:20 MDT)			
Steven Schaefermeyer	Damir Drozdek, AICP			
Director of Planning	Planner III, Planning Department			



Legend
STREETS
PARCELS

Aerial Map
City of South Jordan





SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE: BISON RIDGE SUBDIVISION AMENDED LEGEND I, SHAD D. HAILL DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM A PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR, AND THAT I HOLD LICENSE NO. 6289078 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE 58, CHEFTER 22, PROFESSIONAL ENORIESES AND PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS LICENSING ACT OF THE STATE OF UTAN. I FURTHER CERTIFY THE BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE OWNER, I HAVE MADE A SURVEY OT THE TRACE FOUND STREET MONUMENT AMENDING PARCEL A, BISON RIDGE SUBDIVISION BOUNDARY LINE ADJACENT PROPERTY LOCATED IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, PUBLIC UTILITIES EASEMENT TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 1 WEST. ACCESS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES EASEMENT BISON RIDGE SUBDIVISION AMENDED AMENDING PARCEL A, BISON RIDGE SUBDIVISION SALT LAKE BASE AND MERIDIAN SOUTH JORDAN CITY, SALT LAKE COUNTY, UTAH APRIL 2024 AND THAT THE SAME HAS BEEN CORRECTLY SURVEYED AND STAKED ON THE GROUND AS SHOWN ON THIS PLAT. 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WHEN RECORDED RETURN TO:

CITY OF SOUTH JORDAN ATTN: PLANNING DEPARTMENT 1600 W TOWNE CENTER DRIVE SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095

ORDINANCE 2024-18

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH JORDAN, UTAH, VACATING TWO MUNICIPAL EASEMENTS LOCATED ON A PARCEL OF THE BISON RIDGE SUBDIVISION

WHEREAS, Utah Code §§ 10-9a-608, 609, and 609.5 require that any vacation of some or all of a public street, right-of-way, or municipal easement, including those recorded by subdivision plat, within the City of South Jordan (the "City") may only be approved by the City Council of the City of South Jordan (the "City Council"); and

WHEREAS, Robb Maxwell (the "Applicant"), petitioned the City to vacate a "30' snow easement" and a "ingress egress easement" located on Parcel A of the Bison Ridge Subdivision (the "Municipal Easements"); and

WHEREAS, the City Council held a public hearing to consider the Applicant's petition to vacate the recorded Municipal Easements; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Utah Code § 10-9a-609.5(4), the City Council finds that there is good cause to vacate the recorded Municipal Easements and that neither the public interest nor any person will be materially injured by vacating the portion of said Easements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH JORDAN, UTAH:

SECTION 1. Grant of Petition to Vacate. The City Council hereby grants the Applicant's petition to vacate the ingress egress easement and 30' snow easement recorded and described on Parcel A' of the Bison Ridge Subdivision plat, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, with a detail of Parcel A on the plat attached hereto as Exhibit B.

SECTION 2. Severability. If any section, part or provision of this Ordinance is held invalid or unenforceable, such invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect any other portion of this Ordinance and all sections, parts, provisions and words of this Ordinance shall be severable.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its recordation.

		OUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH OF, 2024 BY THE			
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	Patrick Harris Kathie Johnson				
	Donald Shelton Tamara Zander Jason McGuire				
Mayor: Dawn R. l	Ramsey	Attest:	:		
Approved as to form	n:				
Gregory Simonsen (Jul 10, 2024 14) Office of the City A					

EXHIBIT A

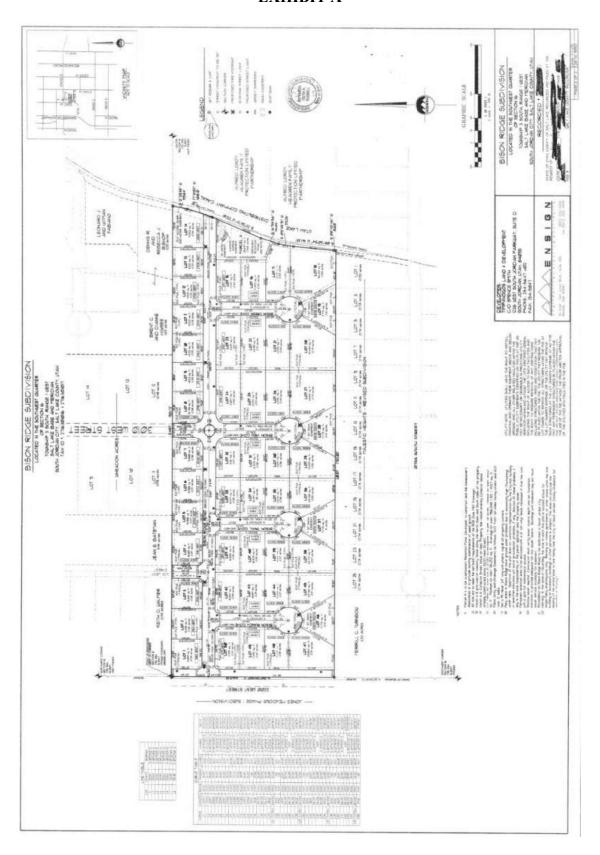


EXHIBIT B

