

SUMMARY OF AGENDA ITEM

DATE: 04-19-07

SUBMITTED BY: LaRon Garrett

RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE # 2268

TITLE: ARESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA ACCEPTING TITLE TO CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE WARRANTY DEED ATTACHED HERETO AS EXHIBIT "1", PERTAINING TO THE PAYSON ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (MEADOW STREET BETWEEN MAIN AND FRONTIER)

PURPOSE:

To accept a portion of the Meadow Street right of way as public property and make it a publicly owned and maintained street.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES TO ACCOMPLISH THIS PURPOSE:

Transfer ownership of Meadow Street from private parties to the Town of Payson.

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL ACTION:

Approval of this Resolution

BACKGROUND:

In 2002 the Town Council directed staff to discontinue maintenance of private roads within Payson. They also implemented a program where the private roads could become public roads and be part of the Town's maintenance program. This program requires the property owner to dedicate the right of way to the Town and to pay to the Town a dollar amount equal to one-half the cost of a double-chip roadway surface. The property owners along Meadow Street between Main Street and Frontier Street have met these requirements and acceptance of this group of Resolutions (No. 2267-2231) will facilitate making this a public roadway. After acceptance the Town will modify the water line, coordinate with APS for the removal of some overhead electrical lines, and then pave the roadway. We anticipate the project to be complete by the end of May.

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RESOLUTION NO. 2268

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA, ACCEPTING TITLE TO CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE WARRANTY DEED ATTACHED HERETO AS EXHIBIT "1", PERTAINING TO THE PAYSON ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT.

WHEREAS, A.R.S. § 9-240 authorizes the Town to improve the streets within it; and

WHEREAS, A.R.S. § 9-241 provides that the Town of Payson may receive real property necessary or proper to carry out the purposes of the municipal corporation, within or without its limits: and

WHEREAS, certain real property described on Exhibit "1" attached hereto has been offered to the Town of Payson by **William O. Dewees as trustee or successor trustee of the Dewees Family Trust**; and

WHEREAS, said real property is located within the corporate limits of the Town of Payson,

NOW, THEREFORE , THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA, DO HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the Town of Payson does hereby accept ownership of and receive those certain real property interests set forth in Exhibit "1" attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth in full at this point.

Section 2. That the Town of Payson shall perform any and all other acts necessary or appropriate to the taking of title to the said real property and to the use and control thereof, including, but not limited to, the maintenance thereof and the recordation of the warranty deed attached hereto as Exhibit "1".

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON this _____ day of _____, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES _____ NOES _____ ABSTENTIONS _____ ABSENT _____

F. Robert Edwards, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Silvia Smith, Town Clerk

Samuel I. Streichman, Town Attorney

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Recording Requested By: Town of Payson

When recorded, return to:
Silvia Smith, Town Clerk
Town of Payson
303 North Beeline Highway
Payson, Arizona 85541

WARRANTY DEED

For the consideration of ONE AND NO/100 DOLLARS, and other valuable considerations, I or we, WILLIAM O. DEWEES as trustee or successor trustee of the DEWEES FAMILY TRUST the GRANTOR, do hereby convey to THE TOWN OF PAYSON, AN ARIZONA MUNICIPAL CORPORATION the GRANTEE, the following described real property situate in Gila County, Arizona:

SEE EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND BY THIS REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.

This Deed is exempt from an Affidavit of Value pursuant to ARS #11-1134 A 3

SUBJECT TO: Existing taxes, assessments, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights of way and easements of record.

And the GRANTOR binds itself and its successors to warrant the title against its acts and none other, subject to the matters above set forth.

Dated 3-19-07

William DeWees

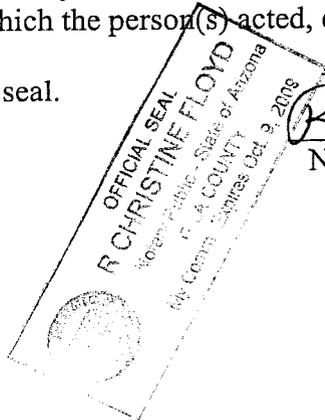
STATE OF ARIZONA)
County of Gila)

On 3-19-07, before me, undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared William DEWEES, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to be that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies) and that by his/her/their signatures(s) on the instrument the person(s) or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My Commission Expires:

Oct. 9, 2009



R. Christine Floyd
Notary Public

EXHIBIT "A"

The West 16 feet of the following:

That portion of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 9, Township 10 North, Range 10 East, of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, Gila County, Arizona, described as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Section 9;
THENCE West, along the North line of said Section, 620.20 feet to the Northeast corner of the property described in instrument recorded in Docket 10, page 305 records of Gila County, Arizona;
THENCE South, along the East line of said property, 85.00 feet to the Southeast corner thereof, said point being the True Point of Beginning;
THENCE West 288.00 feet to the Southwest corner of the property described in instrument recorded in Docket 61, page 454, records of Gila County, Arizona;
THENCE South, 85.00 feet to the Northwest corner of the property described in instrument recorded in Docket 9, page 316, records of Gila County, Arizona;
THENCE East 190.00 feet to the Northeast corner of the property described in instrument recorded in Docket 46, page 244, records of Gila County, Arizona;
THENCE South, along the East line of said property, 140.00 feet, to the Southeast corner thereof;
THENCE East 100.00 feet to a point which lies 500.00 feet West of the Gila County Highway Department lot;
THENCE North 225.00 feet to the True Point of Beginning.