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Item 75

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE VACATING APPROXIMATELY 126,437 SQUARE FEET (2.9026 ACRES) OF RIGHT-OF-WAY, BEING THAT CERTAIN VARIABLE WIDTH RIGHT-OF-WAY FORMERLY KNOWN AS HERGOTZ LANE, TRAVERSING NORTHWEST FROM DALTON LANE, REQUIRING DOG'S HEAD LAND JV, LTD. TO DEDICATE AN EASEMENT FOR A NEW RECLAIMED WATERLINE AND RIGHT-OF-WAY THAT EQUALS OR EXCEEDS THE VALUE OF THE VACATED INTERESTS, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO CONVEY THE RIGHT-OF-WAY TO DOG'S HEAD LAND JV, LTD.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

PART 1. FINDINGS.

- (A) The approximately 126,437 square feet (2.9026 acres) of developed right-of-way known as "Hergotz Lane" is located within Reinvestment Zone Number Twenty-One, City of Austin ("Zone No. 21") that City Council created under Chapter 311 of the Texas Tax Code on July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2026.
- (B) The proposed vacation of right-of-way will further the project plan for Zone No. 21 by supporting the creation of a new public roadway network within the zone with the dedication of new right-of-way.
- (C) Dog's Head Land JV, Ltd. is working with Travis County to obtain the fee simple of the proposed vacated right-of-way.
- (D) The creation of new public roadway network will significantly enhance the value of the taxable real property in Zone No. 21 and will be of general benefit to the City.

**PART 2.** Council approves the vacation of approximately 126,437 square feet (2.9026 acres) of developed right-of-way, being a portion of the variable-width street right-of-way formerly known as "Hergotz Lane" and originally granted in fee simple to Travis County, and later annexed into the City on May 21, 2026, said 126,437 square feet being more particularly described in **Exhibit "A"**, which is attached and incorporated as part of this ordinance, and abutting the parcel owner Dog's Head Land JV, Ltd., a Texas limited liability company, and located at 8700 Hergotz Road.

**PART 3.** As a condition of the right-of-way vacation, Dog's Head Land JV, Ltd. must dedicate a new easement for a reclaimed water line with a maximum width of 60 feet and a total area that will not exceed more than 126, 437 square feet within the approximately 2,614 acres of land located in Travis County, known as "Dog's Head Property" contained in the area described in **Exhibit "B"**. If Dog's Head Land JV, Ltd., or successor or assign, fails to

dedicate a new easement for a reclaimed water line within 3 years of the Effective Date of this ordinance, then the City can withhold future development approval of a site plan within Dog's Head Property until easement is dedicated.

**PART 4.** The appraised value of the interests in the land being vacated is \$189,655.50. Dog's Head Land JV, Ltd. must offset the appraised value by dedicating new right-of-way within Dog's Head Property that equals or exceeds the appraised value. The property to be dedicated as right-of-way must be property that would not otherwise be required to be dedicated to the City as part of City development approval. Additionally, the appraised value of the new future new easement required under Part 3 may be used to offset the appraised value of the vacated right-of-way. Council authorizes the City Manager to enter into a separate agreement with Dog's Head Land JV, Ltd. that addresses the timing and location of the future right-of-way dedication.

**PART 5.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

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Mayor

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City Attorney

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Erika Brady  
City Clerk