

**CITY OF JOPLIN
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM**

ITEM

Council Bill 2019-143
Agreement for Sewer Service

MEETING DATE

August 5, 2019

ORIGINATING DEPT

Public Works

REVIEWED BY

Director of Public Works – David Hertzberg, Director of Finance – Leslie Haase, City Attorney – Peter C. Edwards, Interim City Manager – Daniel Pekarek

SUMMARY

This Council Bill approves an Agreement with Gary B. Young and Kimberly D. Young, for Residential Sewer Service to property located at 3931 Apricot Drive.

BACKGROUND

Gary B. Young and Kimberly D. Young own property located outside the present corporate limits of the City of Joplin and desire Joplin to treat the sewage from the property, which is their place of residence. The property is 0.9 miles from the nearest property under City jurisdiction. They have been on a septic system, but now that it has failed, they urgently desire to connect onto the City's nearby gravity sewer line. The sewer main that flows past their property line was installed around 2003 to serve 24 lots along Briaroaks Lane, which lie south and east of the Young's property. The City of Joplin has agreed to accept the sewage in exchange for payment of permit fees, connection fees and fees for the treatment and collection of the sewage. City staff have created an Agreement for Sewer Service (attached) which allows the property owner to connect to the City's sewer collection system. The Agreement stipulates user rates, that development of the property shall be to City code, that the Agreement is binding on future owners, as well as, that the City of Joplin can annex the property once it is contiguous with City limits, per State Statute requirements, and when the City desires to exercise said privilege. Approving this Agreement is consistent with the goal of the sanitary sewer department to provide sanitary sewer service to as many homes and businesses as possible.

FUNDING SOURCE

Sewer permits will be paid by the property owner.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of this agreement with Gary B. Young and Kimberly D. Young to provide residential sanitary sewer service.

ATTACHMENTS

CB 2019-143 Ordinance; Agreement for Sewer Service; Location Map

AGREEMENT FOR SEWER SERVICE

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this ____ day of _____, 2019, by and between Gary B. Young and Kimberly D. Young, husband and wife (hereinafter referred to as “Grantor”), and the City of Joplin, Missouri, a Missouri Municipal Corporation (hereinafter referred to as “Grantee”). Grantor’s mailing address is 3931 Apricot Drive, Joplin, MO 64804.

WHEREAS, Grantor owns certain real estate (hereinafter referred to as “the Property”) located outside the present corporate limits of Grantee, said real estate being described as follows:

COMMENCING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 27, RANGE 33, NEWTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 57 MINUTES WEST 412.50 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 1478.95 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, SAID POINT BEING ON THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF OLD HIGHWAY 166, THENCE SOUTH 205.0 FEET, THENCE EAST 140.0 FEET, THENCE NORTH 238.04 FEET TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF OLD HIGHWAY 166, THENCE SOUTH 76 DEGREES 43 MINUTES 01 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID HIGHWAY RIGHT-OF-WAY 143.84 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL BEING A PART OF LOT NUMBERED FOUR (4) IN ZENTNER’S SUB-DIVISION BEING A PART OF THE EAST ONE HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 27, RANGE 33, NEWTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, AND BEING SUBJECT TO ALL ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAYS AND EASEMENTS OF RECORD, EXCEPT ANY PART TAKEN OR DEEDED FOR ROAD PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Grantor desires that Grantee treat the sewage of and from the Property upon the terms, conditions, and considerations hereinafter set forth.

NOW THEREFORE, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

1. Connection to Joplin Public Sewer System. Grantor shall, at its expense, cause its sewage collection system on and from the Property to be connected to the Joplin Public Sewer System at such place or places as required by Grantee. Grantor shall, at its expense, obtain any and all necessary easements for connection of its sewage collection system to the Joplin Public Sewer System.

2. Sewage Collection System. Grantor shall, at its expense, provide a sewage collection system on and from the Property, and any Joplin Public Sewer System extension required by Grantee, all of which are to be constructed by Grantor in accordance with the following requirements:

a. Grantor shall submit the plans and specifications for its sewage collection system for review by Grantee. Grantor shall not proceed unless Grantee has approved Grantor's plans and specifications.

b. Grantor shall, at its expense, record with the county recorder of deeds, any and all easements obtained pursuant to paragraph 1. Grantor shall provide Grantee with proof of said recording.

c. Prior to any construction, Grantor must obtain a building permit from Grantee.

d. During all construction, Grantor shall comply with all conditions of its building permit, including fees and inspections. As an alternative to Grantee inspections, Grantor may use an engineering firm or engineer registered in Missouri, hereinafter referred to as "engineer," to inspect and supervise construction. Engineer shall, upon completion of construction, give approval and recommendation of acceptance of the construction by Grantor with a copy thereof to be given to Grantee. Engineer's approval must certify that all conditions of Grantor's building permit have been satisfied, including fees and inspections. Grantor shall also provide Grantee with drawings of the sewage collection system and connection to the Joplin Public Sewer System as constructed, in the standard format(s) required by Grantee at that time.

e. Grantor shall obtain all permits and inspections, and pay all fees, required under the terms of this agreement prior to connecting its sewage collection system to the Joplin Public Sewer System.

f. Upon connection of Grantor's sewage collection system to the Joplin Public Sewer System, all right, title, and interest in any sewer main lines of Grantor's sewage collection system shall belong to City without compensation to Grantor. However, Grantor shall retain all right, title, and interest in any sewer lateral lines of Grantor's sewage collection system.

3. Maintenance and Repair of the Property's Sewage Collection System. Grantor shall be responsible for maintenance and repair of any sewer lateral lines on and from the Property to any Grantee public sewer main line.

4. Discharge Requirements. Grantor must comply with the discharge requirements of the City of Joplin Code of Ordinances.

5. Rates for Service. Grantor shall be assessed fees for sewer service pursuant to the rates established by Section 118-202 of the City of Joplin Code of Ordinances.

6. Payment Schedule. Grantor shall pay Grantee for any fees assessed pursuant to paragraph 5 herein within 30 days of invoice.

7. Development of the Property. Grantor agrees that the Property is governed by the City of Joplin Code of Ordinances, including but not limited to building, electric, mechanical, plumbing, and zoning requirements. Grantor agrees that any construction or development of the Property shall conform to all requirements of said City of Joplin Code of Ordinances. Grantor agrees that any construction or development of the Property shall conform with Grantee's Standard Specifications. Grantee's employees and agents shall have the same authority on the Property as if it were located inside the present corporate limits of Grantee. Any costs or fees associated with the City of Joplin Code of Ordinances shall be charged and paid as if the Property were located inside the present corporate limits of Grantee. Any addresses at the Property shall conform to the City's standard numbering system. This paragraph 7 shall survive termination of this Agreement and shall be a covenant that runs with the land.

8. Annexation.

a. To the extent allowed by law, Grantee may annex the Property into the City of Joplin without further action of Grantor, after the Property becomes contiguous to the corporate limits of the City in accordance with Section 71.012, RSMo.

b. Grantor irrevocably appoints the City of Joplin Director of Public Works, herein "Director," as its attorney-in-fact for the sole purpose of presenting a verified petition requesting annexation of the Property to the City Council of Joplin. The Director may exercise this power of attorney at any time after the Property becomes contiguous to the corporate limits of the City.

c. If requested by the Director, Grantor shall, within such time as specified by the Director, submit a verified petition requesting annexation of the Property to the City Clerk for presentation to the City Council. The Director may request Grantor to present an annexation petition at any time after the Property becomes contiguous to the corporate limits of the City. The provisions of this paragraph shall be enforceable by specific performance.

d. Grantor agrees not to take any action to oppose any annexation initiated by the City or by any other property owners which includes the Property.

e. This paragraph 8 shall survive termination of this Agreement and shall be a covenant that runs with the land.

9. Permanent Sewer Easement. Intentionally omitted.

10. Amendments. The covenants and obligations herein contained are the full and complete terms of this agreement, and no alteration, amendments, or changes to such terms shall be binding unless first reduced to writing and executed with the same formality as this agreement.

11. Binding Effect. This agreement shall be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors, and assigns, and shall be binding in the event of the death or legal disability of the parties.

12. Compliance with Law. Grantor shall comply with all laws at all times, including the Missouri Revised Statutes and the City of Joplin Code of Ordinances.

13. Entire Agreement. This instrument embodies the whole agreement of the parties. There are no promises, terms, conditions, or obligations other than those contained herein and this agreement shall supersede all previous communications, representations, or agreements, either verbal or written, between the parties.

14. Governing Law. It is mutually understood and agreed that this agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Missouri, both as to interpretation and performance.

15. Headings. The headings hereof are intended as guides only and shall not be construed as having any legal effect.

16. Indemnification. Grantor hereby assumes all risk of, and responsibility for, and agrees to indemnify and save harmless Grantee, from and against any and all claims,

demands, suits, actions, recoveries, judgments and costs and expenses therewith made, brought or obtained on account of the loss of life or property or injury or damage to the person or property of any person or persons whomsoever, whether such person or persons be Grantee, its agents or employees, or Grantor, its agents or employees, or any third-person in any way connected with the parties hereto, which loss of life or property, or injury or damage to persons or property, shall be due to, or arise out of, result from, or be in any way connected with, this agreement.

17. Severability. The clauses of this agreement are independent and several and should any part or portion of this agreement be adjudicated to be void, this finding shall have no effect upon the remaining body of the agreement, and it shall remain in full force and effect.

18. Waiver. Grantee's rights under this agreement shall not be affected by its prior failure to require the performance by Grantor, nor shall the waiver by Grantee of a breach of any term hereof constitute a waiver of any succeeding breach of the same or any other term or constitute a waiver of the term itself. A waiver of any right or obligation hereunder must be in writing and signed by the parties to this agreement.

19. Termination. Grantee may terminate this agreement upon the failure of Grantor to comply with the terms of this agreement or any amendments thereto after sixty (60) days' notice by Grantee to Grantor.

20. Effective Date. This agreement shall be in full force and effect after passage of an appropriate ordinance by Grantee.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, this Agreement is executed this _____ day of _____, 2019.

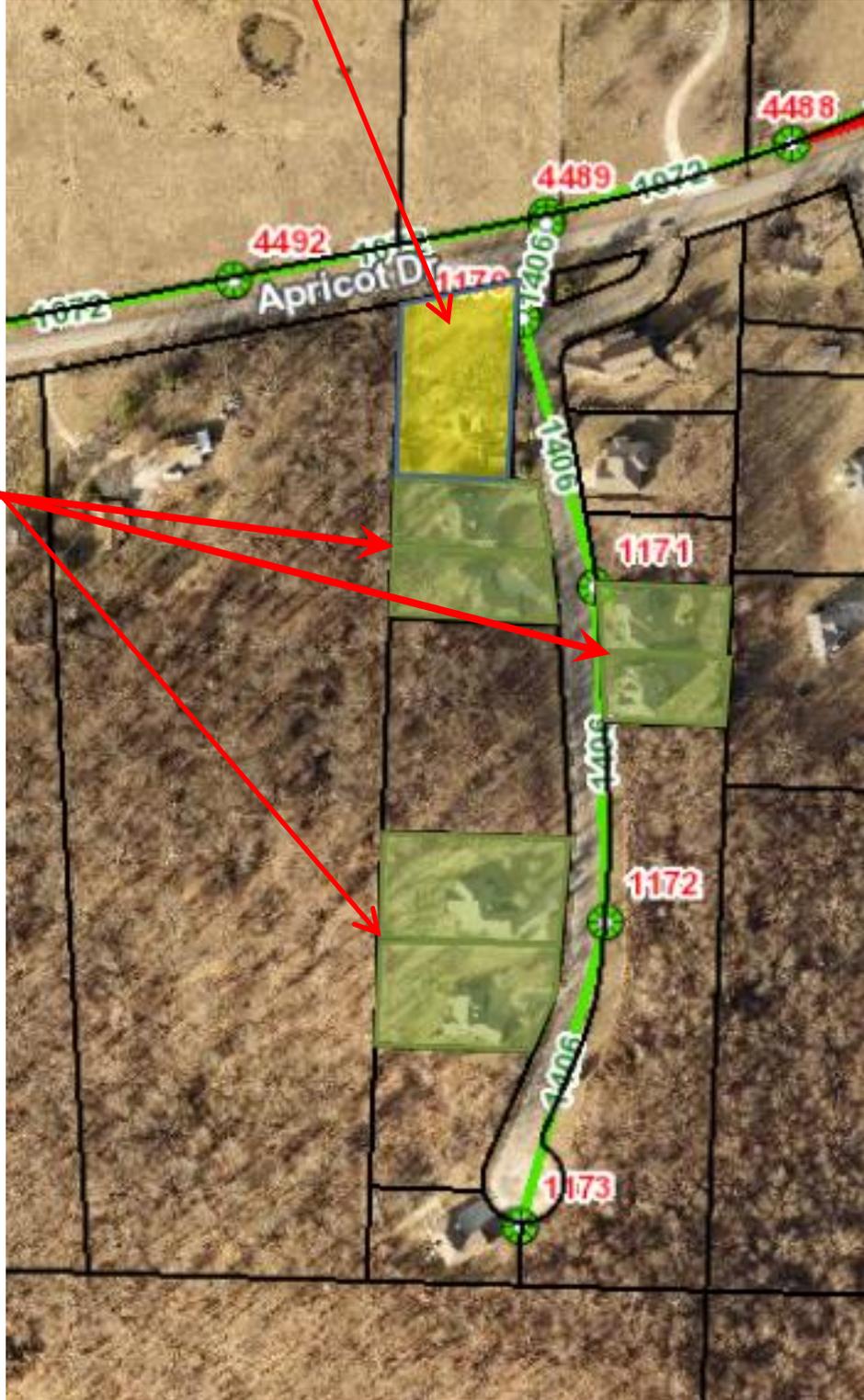
CITY OF JOPLIN

BY: Daniel Pekarek
Interim City Manager

ATTEST:

YOUNG PROPERTY AT
3931 APRICOT DRIVE

6 PROPERTIES
CURRENTLY BEING
BILLED FOR
SANITARY SSEWER
SERVICE ALONG
BRIARROAKS LANE



COUNCIL BILL NO. 2019-143

ORDINANCE NO

AN ORDINANCE approving an agreement with Gary B. Young and Kimberly D. Young to provide residential sanitary sewer to property located at 3931 Apricot Drive and authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute the same by and on behalf of the City of Joplin.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, as follows:

Section 1. That the said agreement by and between the City of Joplin and Gary B. Young and Kimberly D. Young to provide residential sanitary sewer to property located at 3931 Apricot Drive, a true and accurate copy of said agreement being attached hereto as Exhibit A; be and the same is hereby approved.

Section 2. That the City Manager of the City of Joplin, Missouri, or his designee, is hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement, or agreement in substantially similar form, by and on behalf of the City of Joplin.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Passed by the Council of the City of Joplin, Missouri, this _____ day of

_____, 2019 by a _____ vote.

ATTEST:

Gary L. Shaw, Mayor

Barbara J. Gollhofer, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter C. Edwards, City Attorney