

ORDINANCE NO. 28849

An ordinance providing for the abandonment of a portion of Race Street located in City Block 833 in the City of Dallas and County of Dallas, Texas; providing for the quitclaim thereof to Westdale Properties America I, Ltd.; providing for the terms and conditions of the abandonment and quitclaim made herein; providing for barricading; providing for the indemnification of the City of Dallas against damages arising out of the abandonment herein; providing for the consideration to be paid to the City of Dallas; providing for the payment of the publication fee; providing a future effective date for this abandonment; and providing an effective date for this ordinance.

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**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Dallas, acting pursuant to law and upon the request and petition of Westdale Properties America I, Ltd., a Texas limited partnership, hereinafter referred to as **GRANTEE**, deems it advisable to abandon and quitclaim the hereinafter described tract of land to **GRANTEE**, and is of the opinion that, subject to the terms and conditions herein provided, said portion of Race Street is not needed for public use, and same should be abandoned and quitclaimed to **GRANTEE**, as hereinafter stated; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Dallas is of the opinion that the best interest and welfare of the public will be served by abandoning and quitclaiming the same to **GRANTEE** for the consideration and subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter more fully set forth; **Now, Therefore,**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:**

**SECTION 1.** That the tract of land described in Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes, be and the same is abandoned, vacated and closed insofar as the right, title and interest of the public are concerned; subject, however, to the conditions and future effective date hereinafter more fully set out.

**SECTION 2.** That for and in monetary consideration of the sum of **THIRTY-TWO THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FOUR AND NO/100 (\$32,904.00) DOLLARS** paid by **GRANTEE**, and the further consideration described in Sections 8, 9, and 10, the City of Dallas does by these presents **FOREVER QUITCLAIM** unto the said **GRANTEE**,

subject to the conditions, reservations, future effective date and exceptions hereinafter made and with the restrictions and upon the covenants below stated, all of its right, title and interest in and to the certain tract of land hereinabove described in Exhibit A. **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** all of such right, title and interest in and to the property and premises, subject aforesaid, together with all and singular the rights, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto in any manner belonging unto the said **GRANTEE** forever.

**SECTION 3.** That upon payment of the monetary consideration set forth in Section 2, **GRANTEE** accepts the terms, provisions, future effective date and conditions of this ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** That the City Controller is authorized to deposit the sum paid by **GRANTEE** pursuant to Section 2 above in the General Fund 0001, Department DEV, Balance Sheet 0519 and Department of Sustainable Development and Construction – Real Estate Division shall be reimbursed for the cost of obtaining the legal description, appraisal and other administrative costs incurred. The reimbursement proceeds shall be deposited in General Fund 0001, Department DEV, Unit 1183, Object 5011 and any remaining proceeds shall be transferred to the General Capital Reserve Fund 0625, Department BMS, Unit 8888, Revenue Source 8416.

**SECTION 5.** That the abandonment and quitclaim provided for herein are made subject to all present zoning and deed restrictions, if the latter exist, and are subject to all existing easement rights of others, if any, whether apparent or non-apparent, aerial, surface, underground or otherwise, and are further subject to the conditions contained in Exhibit B, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes.

**SECTION 6.** That the terms and conditions contained in this ordinance shall be binding upon **GRANTEE**, its successors and assigns.

**SECTION 7.** That the abandonment and quitclaim provided for herein shall extend only to the public right, title, easement and interest, and shall be construed to extend only to that interest the Governing Body of the City of Dallas may legally and lawfully abandon and vacate.

**SECTION 8.** That as a condition of this abandonment and as part of the consideration for the quitclaim to **GRANTEE** herein, **GRANTEE**, its successors and assigns, agree to indemnify, defend, release and hold whole and harmless the City of Dallas of, from and against any and all claims for damages, fines, penalties, costs or expenses to persons or property that may arise out of, or be occasioned by or from: (i) the use and occupancy of the property described in Exhibit A by **GRANTEE**, its successors and assigns; (ii) the presence, generation, spillage, discharge, release, treatment or disposition of any Hazardous Substance on or affecting the area set out in Exhibit A; (iii) all corrective actions concerning any discovered Hazardous Substances on or affecting the area described in Exhibit A, which **GRANTEE**, its successors and assigns agree to undertake and complete in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations; and (iv) the abandonment, closing, vacation and quitclaim by the City of Dallas of the area set out in Exhibit A. **GRANTEE**, its successors and assigns hereby agree to defend any and all suits, claims, or causes of action brought against the City of Dallas on account of same, and discharge any judgment or judgments that may be rendered against the City of Dallas in connection therewith. For purposes hereof, "Hazardous Substance" means the following: (a) any "hazardous substances" under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 9601 et seq., as amended; (b) any "hazardous substance" under the Texas Hazardous Substances Spill Prevention and Control Act, TEX. WATER CODE, Section 26.261 et seq., as amended; (c) petroleum or petroleum-based products (or any derivative or hazardous constituents thereof or additives thereto), including without limitation, fuel and lubricating oils; (d) any "hazardous chemicals" or "toxic chemicals" under the Occupational Safety and Health Act, 29 U.S.C. Section 651 et seq., as amended; (e) any "hazardous waste" under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 6901 et seq., as amended; and (f) any "chemical substance" under the Toxic Substance Control Act, 15 U.S.C. Section 2601 et seq., as amended. References to particular acts or codifications in this definition include all past and future amendments thereto, as well as applicable rules and regulations as now or hereafter promulgated thereunder.

**SECTION 9.** That as a condition of this abandonment and as a part of the consideration for the quitclaim made herein, **GRANTEE** shall file a final replat of the adjoining properties prior to the issuance of any building permits affecting the tract of land abandoned and quitclaimed herein. This final replat shall be recorded by **GRANTEE** in the official real property records of the county in which the abandoned area is located after its approval by the City Plan Commission of the City of Dallas.

**SECTION 10.** That as a condition of this abandonment and as a part of the consideration for the quitclaim made herein, **GRANTEE** shall, immediately upon the passage of this ordinance of this abandonment, close, barricade and/or place signs in the area described in Exhibit A in accordance with detailed plans approved by the Director of Department of Sustainable Development and Construction. **GRANTEE's** responsibility for keeping the area described in Exhibit A closed, barricaded and/or the signs in place shall continue until the street improvements and intersection returns are removed by **GRANTEE**, its successors and assigns, to the satisfaction of the Director of Department of Sustainable Development and Construction.

**SECTION 11.** That the City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to certify a copy of this ordinance for recordation in the official real property records of the county in which the abandonment area is located, which certified copy shall be delivered to the Director of Department of Sustainable Development and Construction, or designee. Upon receipt of the monetary consideration set forth in Section 2, plus the fee for the publishing of this ordinance, which **GRANTEE** shall likewise pay, and the filing of the final replat set forth in Section 9, the Director of Department of Sustainable Development and Construction, or designee: (i) shall deliver to **GRANTEE** a certified copy of this ordinance; and (ii) is authorized to and shall prepare and deliver a **QUITCLAIM DEED** with regard to the area abandoned herein, to **GRANTEE** hereunder, same to be executed by the City Manager on behalf of the City of Dallas, attested by the City Secretary and approved as to form by the City Attorney. The Director of Department of Sustainable Development and Construction, or designee, shall be the sole source for receiving certified copies of this ordinance for one year after its passage.

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**SECTION 12.** That this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so ordained.

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**  
**THOMAS P. PERKINS, JR.**  
City Attorney

**THERESA O'DONNELL**  
Director of Department of Sustainable  
Development and Construction

BY



Assistant City Attorney

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Assistant Director

Passed DEC 12 2012.

**STREET ABANDONMENT**PART OF RACE STREET  
BLOCK 833**EXHIBIT A**

CITY OF DALLAS, DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

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Being a 3,871 square feet (0.09 acre) tract of land situated in the John Grigsby Survey, Abstract No. 495 in the City of Dallas Block 833, Dallas County, Texas, and being a portion of Race Street (a called 50 foot right-of-way) dedicated by plat recorded in Volume 76, Page 212, Deed Records, Dallas County, Texas, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a 1/2 inch iron rod found in the North line of Elm Street (a variable width right-of-way), and being in the West line of said Race Street, and being the Southeast corner of a tract of land conveyed to Westdale Properties America I, Ltd. (Tract 1) by Special Warranty Deed recorded in Volume 94183, Page 0771, Deed Records, Dallas County, Texas;

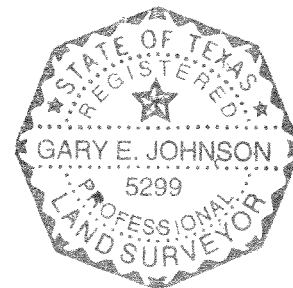
Thence North 15 degrees 05 minutes 00 seconds East, leaving the North line of said Elm Street and along the West line of said Race Street, and along the East line of said Westdale Properties America I, Ltd. (Tract 1) tract, a distance of 92.22 feet to a PK nail found at the Northeast corner of said Westdale Properties America I, Ltd. (Tract 1) tract, and being in the South line of D.A.R.T. (Dallas Area Rapid Transit)(a variable width right-of-way), recorded in Volume 88083, Page 4905, Deed Records, Dallas County, Texas;

Thence South 73 degrees 08 minutes 02 seconds East, along the South line of said D.A.R.T. tract, a distance of 50.06 feet to a 1/2 inch iron rod found at the Northwest corner of said Westdale Properties America I, Ltd. tract (Tract 2), and being in the East line of said Race Street;

Thence South 15 degrees 05 minutes 00 seconds West, leaving the South line of said D.A.R.T. right-of-way and along the East line of said Race Street, and along the West line of said Westdale Properties America I, Ltd. (Tract 2) tract, a distance of 62.49 feet to an "X" found at the Southwest corner of said Westdale Properties America I, Ltd. (Tract 2) tract, and being in the North line of said Elm Street;

Thence South 75 degrees 42 minutes 06 seconds West, along the North line of said Elm Street, and along the South line of said Race Street, a distance of 57.43 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing 3,871 square feet or 0.09 acres of land.

REVIEWED BY  
JC 8-10-12  
SPR # 2424

**LEGEND:**

CM	CONTROLLING MONUMENT
IRF	IRON ROD FOUND
PK FND.	PK NAIL FOUND
D.R.D.C.T	DEED RECORDS, DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS
SQ.FT	SQUARE FEET
R.O.W.	RIGHT-OF-WAY

*Gary E. Johnson*  
Gary E. Johnson, R.P.L.S.# 5299

BEARINGS ARE BASED ON THE WEST LINE OF RACE STREET PER SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 94183, PAGE 0771, D.R.D.C.T (S15°05'00"W)



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**EXHIBIT B****ADDITIONAL ABANDONMENT PROVISIONS**

That as a condition hereof, this abandonment is subject to any utilities or communication facilities, including without limitation water and wastewater lines, gas lines, and storm sewers, ("Facilities") presently located within the abandoned area described in Exhibit "A", owned and/or operated by the City of Dallas or any utility or communications company, public or private, ("Utility") and to the rights of any Utility for the use of the abandoned area for its Facilities. It is the intent of the foregoing to confirm and maintain and there is hereby reserved and excepted unto the City of Dallas, and not abandoned or conveyed hereunder, an easement (to which this abandonment is made expressly subject) over, upon, under, through, in, and across the abandoned area for each Utility for its respective Facilities located therein at the time of this abandonment, together with the right to make any subsequent alterations, additions, expansions, upgrades or modifications to such Facilities as may, from time to time be deemed necessary or convenient by the Utility owning and/or operating same. No buildings, structures (above or below ground) or trees shall be constructed or placed within the abandoned area without written consent of each affected Utility. Each Utility shall have the full right to remove and keep removed all or part of any buildings, fences, trees, or other improvements or growths which in any way may endanger or interfere with the construction, maintenance or efficiency of its respective Facilities lying within the abandoned area and shall at all times have the full right of ingress and egress to or from and upon the abandoned area for the purposes of reconstructing, removing, relocating, inspecting, patrolling, maintaining, expanding, upgrading, and/or adding to all or part of its Facilities without the necessity at any time of procuring the permission of anyone. The easement reserved hereunder and the conditions and restrictions to which this abandonment is subject shall remain for the benefit of the applicable Utility and/or operators of the Facilities until said Facilities are removed and relocated from the abandoned area. The relocation, removal or adjustment of any or all such Facilities, if made necessary by GRANTEE'S (whether one or more natural persons or legal entities) use of the abandonment area, shall be at the expense of GRANTEE herein, or GRANTEE'S successors and assigns. Should GRANTEE'S relocation or removal of the Facilities require the obtaining of new easements, the acquisition of same shall be at the expense of GRANTEE, GRANTEE'S successors and assigns. If any of the Facilities (or relocations thereof) are allowed to remain on any part of the abandoned area, the easements and buildings restrictions provided herein shall remain thereon. Upon removal or relocation of all of the Facilities, any easements reserved or created herein relating to such removed or relocated Facilities shall terminate, and any building restrictions herein created shall cease.