RESOLUTION NO. 96-005

INITIATING A STREET VACATION PROCEDURE FOR A PORTION OF THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF EAST 16TH STREET ADJACENT TO PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 2525 EAST 16TH STREET, 2610 EAST 16TH STREET, AND 2618 EAST 16TH STREET

WHEREAS, the City initially received a request to initiate a street vacation for a portion consisting of the north 30 feet of East 16th Street, which is adjacent to a vacant parcel located at 2525 East 16th Street; and

WHEREAS, upon further inspection of the site, City staff is recommending the vacation proceedings be expanded to include the 60 foot right-of-way of East 16th Street which begins at the western boundary line of property described at Assessor's Map No. 1N 13 11AA, Tax Lot 800, and continues in easterly direction a distance of 340 feet, for the reason that the topography of East 16th Street makes it unlikely that East 16th Street will ever be improved and extended to meet Morton Street;

WHEREAS, Street Vacation No. 24-96 has been described to the City Council after having been reviewed by the City Utilities, Police, and Planning Departments, and by the Wasco Rural Fire District and the Northern Wasco County PUD; and

WHEREAS, there have been no objections raised by the listed departments or agencies; and

WHEREAS, street vacations are governed by ORS 271.080 through 271.230; and

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WHEREAS, under ORS 271.130, the City Council may initiate the vacation process by providing notice (ORS 271.110) of public hearing and posting of notice no less than 14 days prior to the hearing; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the public for the City to initiate the requested street vacation; an

WHEREAS, in addition to the statutory requirements, notice of the hearing should be sent to appropriate property owners that might be directly impacted by the proposed street vacation; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Street Vacation Initiated. Street Vacation No. 24-96, which is further described on the map attached as Exhibit "A", is hereby initiated.

Section 2. Officers to Act. The City Planning Department is directed to post and publish notice for the street vacation initiated in Section 1, according to the provisions of ORS 271.110.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 22ND DAY OF JANUARY, 1996.

Voting Yes, Councilmembers:	Van Cleave, Koch, Briggs, Davis
Voting No, Councilmembers:	Hill
Absent, Councilmembers: _	None
Abstaining, Councilmembers:	None

AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 22ND DAY OF JANUARY, 1996.

David R. Beckley, Mayor

Attest:

Julie Krueger, CMC, City Clerk

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