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Legislation Text

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BACKGROUND: One parcel currently held in the Land Bank has been approved for disposition. In order to complete the transfer, authorization is needed for the Director of the Department of Development to execute any and all agreements and deeds for conveyance of the real property. This legislation authorizes transfer of one parcel located at 1200 E Rich Street (010-023818) to Rolonda R. Warren, who will maintain the vacant parcel as a side yard expansion under the Mow to Own Program. The parcel will be transferred by deed recorded in the Official Records of the Franklin County Recorder's Office.

FISCAL IMPACT: No funding is required for this legislation. The City may first recover reimbursement of any and all expenses incurred on account of the acquisition, administration, management, maintenance and disposition of such land and such other expenses of the program as the City may apportion to such land from the sale proceeds.

EMERGENCY JUSTIFICATION: Emergency action is requested to expedite the transfer in order to reduce Land Bank maintenance costs.

To authorize the Director of the Department of Development to execute any and all necessary agreements and deeds for conveyance of title of one parcel of real property (1200 E Rich St.) held in the Land Bank pursuant to the Land Reutilization Program; and to declare an emergency.

WHEREAS, by Ordinance 1325-98, Council adopted and elected to use the Revised Code Chapter 5722, Land Reutilization Program, to facilitate effective reutilization of nonproductive land acquired through a sale pursuant to a foreclosure proceeding initiated by the Franklin County Treasurer, or through a sale of forfeited lands by the Franklin County Auditor, or through a conveyance in lieu of foreclosure to foster either return of such land to tax revenue generating status or its devotion to public use, or any other land acquired as part of the land reutilization program; and

WHEREAS, a proposal for the sale of the property which was acquired pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 5722.03 or 5722.06 meets the Land Reutilization Program's Disposition Policies and Guiding Principles and has been approved by the Land Redevelopment Office Administrator; and

WHEREAS, in conformity with Ohio Revised Code Section 5722.07, the property will be sold at not less than fair market value, defined as the appraised value of the nonproductive land made with reference to any redevelopment and reutilization restrictions as may be imposed by the electing subdivision as a condition of sale or as may otherwise be applicable to such; therefore, competitive bidding is not required; and

WHEREAS, in order to complete the transfer of such property to the purchaser, authority is needed for the Director of the Department of Development to execute any and all necessary agreements and deeds of conveyance for the real property; and

WHEREAS, an emergency exists in the usual daily operation of the Department of Development, Land Redevelopment Office in that it is immediately necessary to convey title of said parcel of real estate to expedite the transfer in order to reduce Land Bank maintenance costs, all for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, property, safety and

welfare; and **now therefore**,

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

SECTION 1. That the Director of the Department of Development is hereby authorized to execute any and all necessary agreements and deeds to convey title to the following parcel of real estate to Rolonda R. Warren:

PARCEL NUMBER: 010-023818
ADDRESS: 1200 E Rich St., Columbus, Ohio 43205
PRICE: \$1,215.00, minus credits granted by the City under the Mow to Own Program, plus a \$150.00 processing fee
USE: Side yard expansion

Situated in the State of Ohio, County of Franklin and in the City of Columbus:

Being part of Lots 21 and 20 of R.R. Stewart's Addition, as the same is numbered and delineated upon the recorded plat thereof, of record in Plat Book 2, page 275, Franklin County Recorder's Office, Leah F. Salis and Samuel I. Kanter as shown of record in Official Record Volume 32397 H-18 and being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at an iron pin set at the Southwest corner of said Lot 21, also being on the North line of East Rich Street (50 feet wide);

Thence, along part of the South line of said Lot 21, the North line of said East Rich Street, South 89 deg. 59' East, 23.00 feet to an iron pin set and being the true point of beginning:

Thence, across said Lot 21, North 01 Deg. 06' East, 144.84 feet to an iron pin set on the North line of said Lot 21, the South line of a 16' wide alley;

Thence, along part of the North line of said Lots 21 and 20, South 90 deg. 00' East, 23.00 feet to an iron pin set at a point being 1.00 feet East of the Northeast corner of said Lot 21, the Northwest corner of said Lot 20;

Thence, across said Lot 20, being parallel and 1.00 feet East of the West line of said Lot 20, South 01 deg. 06' West, 144.84 feet to an iron pin set on the South line of said Lot 20, the North line of said East Rich Street; Thence, along part of the South line of said Lots 20 and 21, the North line of East Rich Street, North 89 deg. 59' West, 23.00 feet to the place of beginning containing 3331 square feet. All iron pins set are 30' x 1' O.D. with orange plastic caps inscribed "P.S. #6579". Basis of bearings is the North line of East Rich Street assumed North 89 degrees 59 minutes West. The foregoing description was prepared from an actual field survey by Myers Surveying Company in April, 1997. Joseph P. Myers, P.S. #7361.

SECTION 2. For the property stated in Section 1, that the City will credit the Buyer at the time of transfer for the value of maintenance and/or improvements made by the Buyer under the Mow to Own Program as specified in the Memorandum of Understanding.

SECTION 3. For the property stated in Section 1, that the Director of Development is hereby authorized to execute any agreement, deed restriction, or mortgage to ensure compliance with Land Bank Program rules and the submitted application and to release such restriction or mortgage upon compliance.

SECTION 4. That for good cause shown, the provisions of City Code Chapter 329 relating to the sale of city-owned realty are hereby waived.

SECTION 5. That Council hereby finds that the selection process utilized in this matter is in accordance with the Land Bank Disposition Process created pursuant to the City's Land Reutilization Program and hereby approves the same.

SECTION 6. That for the reasons stated in the preamble hereto, which is hereby made a part hereof, this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, or ten days after passage if the Mayor neither approves nor vetoes the same.