

FACT SHEET**CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA****TITLE**

An ordinance establishing the name of an unnamed roadway and otherwise provide with respect thereto.

DATE

September 13, 2024

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT

Department of Public Works

COUNCIL DISTRICT

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SPONSOR**PURPOSE**

To give an unnamed roadway the name “Riverpark Way.”

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

In 1998, a land swap transpired to realign the roadway into Hamel’s Amusement Park, located along E. 70th Street. The roadway was never given a name or a sign. The only occupied property along the current roadway is Riverpark Church. The church has requested the name change for them to receive mail at the new address. The Traffic Engineer has reviewed the request and finds no issue with it.

TIMETABLE

Introduction: September 24, 2024

Final Passage: October 8, 2024

ATTACHMENTS

Exhibit

SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

None

FINANCES

NA

SOURCE OF FUNDS

NA

ALTERNATIVES

(1) Adopt the ordinance as submitted, or (2) Amend the ordinance, or (3) Reject the ordinance.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the ordinance.

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY:

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Public Works

ORDINANCE NO. _____ OF 2024

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE NAME OF AN
UNNAMED ROADWAY AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE
WITH RESPECT THERETO.**

BY COUNCILMEMBER:

WHEREAS, the roadway was part of Ord. 32 of 1998 and was a land swap to realign the roadway into Hamels Amusement Park that was located along E. 70th St.

WHEREAS, this roadway has never been named, never had any addresses, nor had a sign been erected with a name.

WHEREAS, the only occupied property along the current roadway is a church to which the road dead ends.

WHEREAS, the church has requested this roadway be named in order for them to receive mail at the new address.

WHEREAS, the Traffic Engineer requests the city to name this roadway.

WHEREAS, the accordance with the requirements of Section 78-451 of the Code of Ordinances, this street will not be named for any person nor is the property located in a historical district.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 78-451 of the Code of Ordinances, the City Council has final authority for naming public property.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, legal, and regular session convened, that this unnamed roadway located in Section 37, T17N, R13W, be and the same is hereby named Riverpark Way, as shown and indicated on the exhibit attached hereto and made a part hereof.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that to comply with LA R.S. 18:201, a certified copy of this ordinance shall be provided to the Registrar of Voters for Caddo Parish.

BE IF FURTHER ORDAINED that a certified copy of this ordinance shall be filed and recorded in the official records of the District Court of Caddo Parish.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or applications and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

City Attorney's Office