

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA, ILLINOIS  
HELD MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2015 IN THE COUNCIL ROOM OF CITY HALL**

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**I. Opening**

Mayor Hutchinson opened the public hearing at 6:53 P.M. The following Aldermen were:

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| Ebersohl | Present | Huch     | Present |
| Agne     | Present | Reis     | Present |
| Niemietz | Present | Holtkamp | Present |
| Roessler | Present | Martens  | Present |

Administrative Staff present:

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| City Clerk Wes Hoeffken                                   | City Administrator James Morani     |
| City Attorney J. D. Brandmeyer                            | Building Inspector Justin Osterhage |
| Plan Commissioner Gene Bergmann                           | Accounting Manager Linda Sharp      |
| Chief of Police Joe Edwards                               | City Engineer Chris Smith           |
| Director of Community and Economic Development Paul Ellis |                                     |

**II. Purpose**

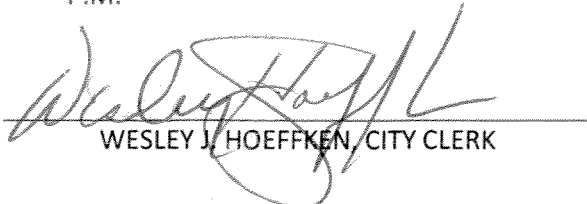
Mayor Hutchinson explained the public hearing was scheduled to hear comments, input, and discussion on the proposed ordinance vacating a portion of right of way that runs through land owned by Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church of Columbia, Monroe County, Illinois, in the City of Columbia, Illinois.

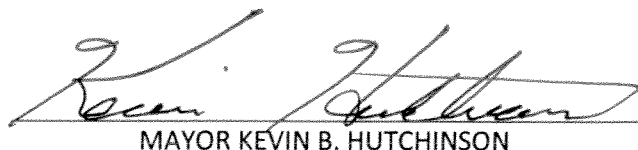
**III. Public Comments**

Mayor Hutchinson inquired if there were any comments from the public. There were none.  
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**IV. Close of Public Hearing**

There being no more questions or comments, Mayor Hutchinson closed the public hearing at 6:55 P.M.

  
WESLEY J. HOEFFKEN, CITY CLERK

  
MAYOR KEVIN B. HUTCHINSON