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GRANT OF PERPETUAL EASEMENT

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This Indenture is made this \(\frac{51}{2} \) day of \(\frac{AVCUST}{2} \), 1992, by and between Perry N. Lawson and Minion J. Lawson, husband and wife (hereinafter "Grantor(s)") and the Civil City of South Bend, Indiana (hereinafter "Grantee").

For and in consideration of the Grantee's agreement to reconstruct and improve a segment of Bowman Creek located on or adjacent to Grantor(s) real estate, Grantor(s) hereby grant(s) and convey(s) to Grantee a perpetual easement at the location hereinafter set forth for the reconstruction, reinforcement, widening, improvement, operation and maintenance of Bowman Creek, together with the right of ingress to and egress from said easement for the purpose of reconstructing, improving, repairing and maintaining said Bowman Creek and other facilities incident thereto, in, upon, over and under the following described real estate in the City of South Bend, St. Joseph County, State of Indiana, more particularly described as follows:

A part of lot 218 as shown on the plat of Bowman's 6th Addition to the City of South Bend, Indiana recorded July 24, 1902 in Plat Book 8, page 89 in the Office of the Recorder of St. Joseph County, Indiana, described as follows:

A strip of land 42.00 feet in length, north and south, taken off of and from the entire north end of said lot 218.

Key No. 187040(1592)

The easement rights granted herein shall pertain to the air, surface, and subsurface rights and interests of the Grantor(s), for the use and benefit of the Grantee, to the nature and extent that the Grantee may desire or need said air, surface and subsurface rights and interests to reasonably accomplish and carry out the general purpose of this conveyance as the same has hereinabove been expressed. The easement hereby granted is for the benefit of the City of South Bend and expressly includes the right and privilege at reasonable time to clean and remove from said easement timber, brush, debris, structures or other obstructions interfering with the operation of Bowman Creek and the free flow of storm water; provided, however, that Grantor(s) may retain the existing garage in its present location, which is partially on the area of permanent easement granted herein, until and unless future widening of Bowman Creek requires the removal of the structure.

Grantee shall have the right of ingress or egress over Grantor's real estate adjoining said easement when necessary to install, construct, operate, maintain, adjust, replace, repair, alter, remove, or modernize the Bowman Creek improvements.

Grantee will restore the area disturbed by its work to a condition as good or better than the original condition consistent with the improvements to be made to Bowman Creek.

Grantor(s) reserve(s) the right to use the surface area of the easement provided that such use does not disrupt or disturb the improvements made by the Grantee. Grantor(s) shall not erect any structure on the easement area or allow any object to be placed thereon that would retard the free flow of storm water; provided, however, that Grantor(s) shall be permitted to construct a wood deck which extends no more than five (5) feet over the easement area so long as the deck supports are not fixed to the easement area.

The easement granted herein and its associated benefits and obligations, shall constitute covenants running with the real estate, and shall be binding upon the Grantor(s) and be an obligation thereof of every person or entity now or hereafter having any fee, leasehold, or other interest in all or any part of the said real estate.

This indenture shall bind and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

Grantor(s) hereby release(s) any and all claims from whatsoever cause, incidental to the exercise of any rights herein granted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Grantor(s) has/have executed this Grant of Perpetual Easement on the date shown in the acknowledgment set forth herein.

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BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS SANDRA M. PARMERLEE, Clerk

GRANTOR(S)

Porry N. Jawson

Minion J. Lawson

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF ST. JOSEPH

SS:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Perry N. Lawson and Minion J. Lawson, husband and wife, personally known by me to be the Grantor(s) in the above Grant of Perpetual Easement, and acknowledged the execution of the same as their voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this ST day of AUGUST,

1992.

SANDRA M. PARMERUEL

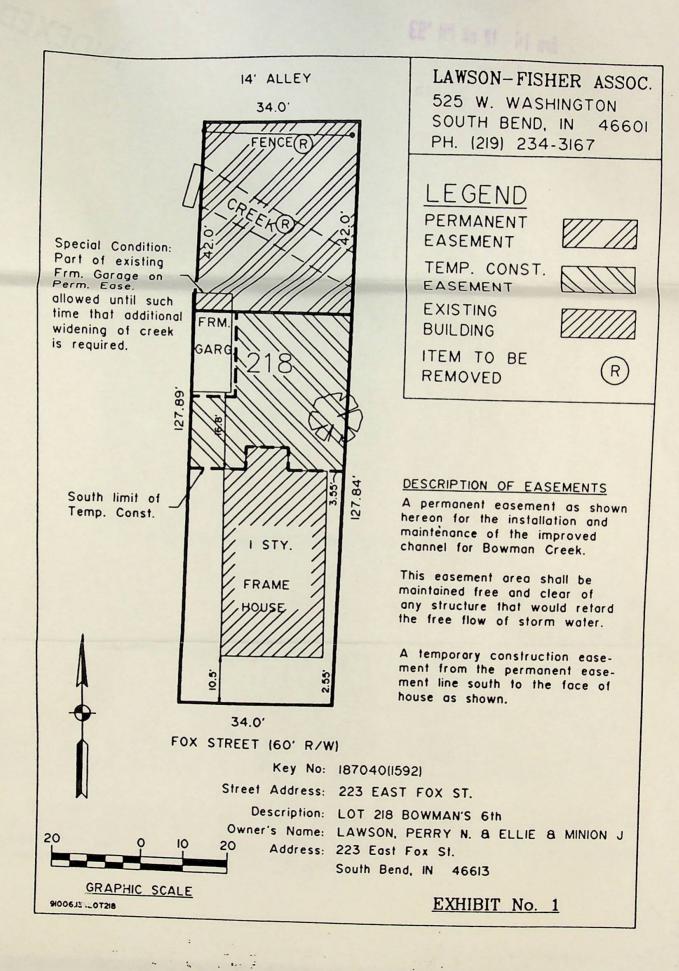
(Printed Signature)

RESIDENT OF ST. TOSEPH CO.

My Commission Expires:

This instrument was prepared by Mary Hall Mueller, Assistant City Attorney, 1400 County-City Building, South Bend, IN 46601.

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