# COUNCIL ACTION FORM

# **SUBJECT:** ACCEPTANCE OF ROW DEDICATION AT 1712 E LINCOLN WAY

# BACKGROUND:

In February 2017, a site plan, plat of survey, and acquisition plat were approved for 1712 East Lincoln Way (Attachment A). At the time of approval, there was not a Quit Claim Deed (Attachment C) included with the submittal for the approximately 29' x 199' foot area of the property that was approved to be dedicated as right-of-way (Attachment B). The dedication was a requirement of approval of the expansion of the building. Apart from recording fees, this proposed acquisition will be at no cost to the City.

# **ALTERNATIVES:**

- 1. Accept the acquisition of right-of-way at 1712 E Lincoln Way
- 2. Do not accept the acquisition of right-of-way at 1712 E Lincoln Way

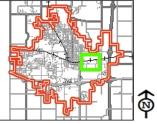
### **CITY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Lincoln Way used to be US Highway 30 under jurisdiction of Iowa DOT until it was transferred to the City in the 1960's. It was common practice of Iowa DOT at that time to have the road in an easement with the property owner having ownership to the middle of the highway. This acquisition portion of the previous action in February 2017 was not complete and able to be transferred to the City, since there was not a Quit Claim Deed.

Therefore, it is the recommendation of the City Manager that the City Council adopt Alternative No. 1, as noted above.

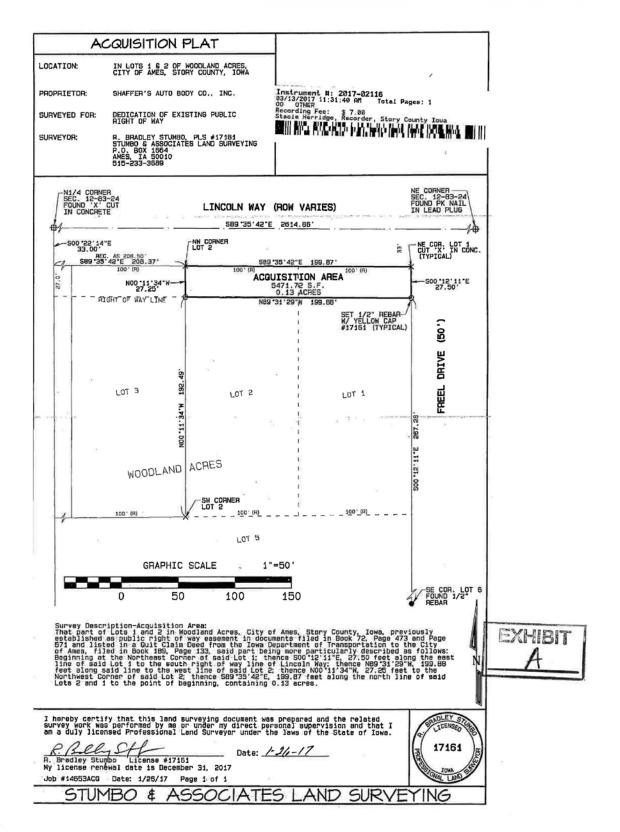
# ATTACHMENT A: LOCATION MAP





Location Map 1712 E Lincoln Way

#### **ATTACHMENT B: ACQUISITION PLAT**



### ATTACHMENT C: QUIT CLAIM DEED

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#### **Quit Claim Deed - Dedication**

KNOW ALL PERSONS: The Grantor, SHAFFER'S AUTOBODY CO., INC., an Iowa Corporation, for valuable consideration, does hereby quit-claim and convey unto the Grantee, the <u>City of</u> <u>Ames. Iowa</u>, an Iowa municipal corporation, all right, title, interest, estate, claim, and demand in the Real Property described as follows:

[See attached Exhibit 'A' for legal description].

The Grantor dedicates to the City of Ames all land described on said Acquisition Plat attached hereto for right of way purposes.

Dated Apri \_, 2019.

SHAFFER'S AUTOBODY CO., INC.

By Samuel H. Shaffer, President

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF STORY, SS.: This instrument was acknowledged before me on fer as president of Shaffer's Autobody Co., Inc.

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