ORDINANCE NO. 496

AN ORDINANCE ANNULLING, VACATING AND DISCONTINUING A PORTION OF MILL STREET IN THE ORIGINAL TOWN, NOW CITY OF WATHENA, DONIPHAN COUNTY, KANSAS.

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the City of Wathena, Kansas, has deemed it necessary and expedient to annul, discontinue and legally vacate the hereinafter described portion of street and public way in the Original Town, now City of Wathena, Doniphan County, Kansas;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Governing Body of the City of Wathena:

SECTION 1. The following described part of Mill Street in the Original Town, now City of Wathena, Doniphan County, Kansas, to wit:

> That part of Mill Street lying North of Block 14 and South of the Southerly right of way of U.S. Highway 36, RESERVING, HOWEVER, unto the City of Wathena, Doniphan county, Kansas, a Municipal Corporation, its successors and assigns, a 20 feet easement and right of way to construct, lay. maintain, operate, repair, replace, change and remove pipelines for the transportation of natural gas and/or water and/or sewage together with such valves, fittings, meters and similar appurtenances as may be necessary or convenient to the operation of said lines and the right to build, maintain, operate, repair, replace and remove electric power lines with all incidental equipment, upon and over, under and through, the following described real estate, to wit: The center line shall follow the location of an existing water line as laid,

is hereby annulled, discontinued and legally vacated.

SECTION 2. Immediately after this Ordinance shall become effective, the City Clerk of the City of Wathena, Kansas, shall file a copy hereof, which has been duly certified by her as a true and correct copy, in the office of the County Clerk of Doniphan County, Kansas, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Doniphan County, Kansas, as is required by the provisions of K.S.A. 50-427. Ordinance No. 496 Page 2

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SECTION 3. This Ordinance and the annulment, discontinuance and legal vacation of the above described portions of street and public way in the Original Town, now City of Wathena, shall be effective from and after publication of this Ordinance in The Wathena Times, official city newspaper.

PASSED by the Council and APPROVED by the Mayor on the 2nd day of September, 1997.

Fred L. Allen, Mayor

ATTEST: uland City Clerk