

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE VACATING A 10'-FOOT PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT  
LOCATED AT 14207 DESIERTO BONITO ST. IN A PORTION OF LOT 59,  
BLOCK 20, RANCHO DESIERTO BELLO UNIT 12A, TOWN OF HORIZON  
CITY, EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

**WHEREAS,** the property owner has requested vacation of a 10'-foot public utility easement located at 14207 Desierto Bonito St. in a Portion of Lot 59, Block 20, Rancho Desierto Bello Unit 12A, Town of Horizon City, El Paso County, Texas;

**WHEREAS,** City staff has confirmed that the easement is not currently used for public utility purposes;

**WHEREAS,** City staff has communicated with El Paso Electric Company, Texas Gas Service, HRMUD, El Paso Natural Gas – Kinder Morgan, Spectrum and AT&T and confirmed that none of the utilities object to vacating the easement;

**WHEREAS,** after public hearing, the Town of Horizon City Planning and Zoning Commission has recommended the vacation of a 10'-foot public utility easement with the following conditions:

1. The 10' restrictive easement to remain in place.
2. The carport shall not be used for any commercial uses.

**WHEREAS,** the City Council finds that the vacation of said public utility easement is in the public interest of the Town of Horizon City, El Paso County, Texas.

**WHEREAS,** the City Council finds that it is necessary and proper for the good government, peace and order of the Town of Horizon City to adopt this ordinance.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HORIZON CITY, TEXAS, THAT:**

**1. ENACTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITY VACATION**

A 10'-foot public utility easement located at 14207 Desierto Bonito St. in a Portion of Lot 59, Block 20, Rancho Desierto Bello Unit 12A, Town of Horizon City, El Paso County, Texas, further described by metes and bounds attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated by reference herein, is hereby vacated and the Mayor is hereby authorized to sign an instrument releasing all of the rights to use the area for utilities but reserving the 10' restrictive easement and prohibiting use of the the site for commercial purposes      **FINDINGS OF FACT**

This ordinance was duly enacted with all requisites and formalities incident thereto the enactment of ordinance, and such is evidenced by the signatures below; and further that the

foregoing recitals are incorporated into this ordinance by reference as findings of fact as if expressly set forth herein.

## **2. REPEALER**

All ordinances, resolutions, or parts thereof, that are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the effect of such conflict, and the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain controlling as to the matters regulated herein.

## **4. SEVERABILITY**

Should any of the clauses, sentences, paragraphs, sections or parts of this ordinance be deemed invalid, unconstitutional, or unenforceable by a court of law or administrative agency with jurisdiction over the matter, such action shall not be construed to affect any other valid portion of this Ordinance.

## **5. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Ordinance shall be effective upon passage.

## **6. PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING**

It is officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026, by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_ (ayes) to \_\_\_\_\_ (nays) to \_\_\_\_\_ (abstentions) of the City Council of Horizon City, Texas.

**TOWN OF HORIZON CITY**

by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Andres Renteria, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Elvia Schuller, TRMC, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

Sylvia Borunda Firth, City Attorney

|                |            |
|----------------|------------|
| First Reading  | 09/08/2026 |
| Second Reading | 10/13/2026 |

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## EXHIBIT A

### METES AND BOUNDS

#### *10' Utility Easement and Restrictive Access Easement*

*Lot 59, Block 20, Rancho Desierto Bello Unit 12A, Town of Horizon City, El Paso County, Texas*

**Job No. S.2660**

Date: May 15, 2026

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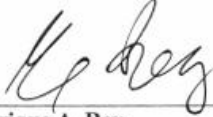
**BEGINNING** at a point at the northwesterly corner of said Lot 59, Block 20, said point also being the intersection of the northerly line and the westerly line of said Lot 59, said point being the **POINT OF BEGINNING** of the herein described tract;

**THENCE** N 89° 56' 35" E, along the northerly line of said Lot 59, a distance of 10.00 feet to a point;

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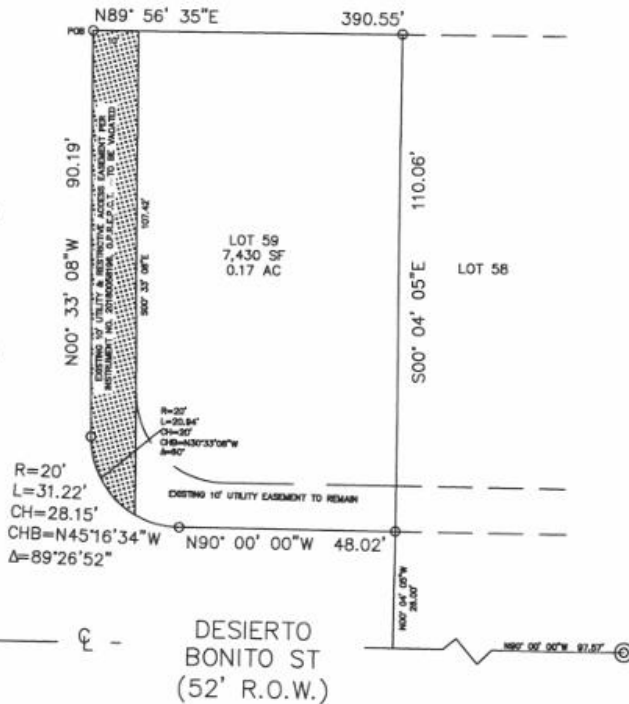
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**THENCE** N 00° 33' 08" W, along the westerly line of said Lot 59, a distance of 90.19 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**. Said tract containing **1,024 square feet (0.0235 acres)**, more or less.

  
**Enrique A. Rey**  
Registered Professional Land Surveyor  
Texas No. 3505



UPTONIA DRIVE  
(50' R.O.W.)



LEGEND:

- SET REBAR
- ⊙ CITY MONUMENT

PLAT OF SURVEY BEING  
LOT 59, BLOCK 20, RANCHO DESIERT BELLO UNIT 12A,  
TOWN OF HORIZON CITY, EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS,  
RECORDED IN FILE NO. 20180058196  
EL PASO COUNTY RECORDS.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING BOUNDARY  
AND IMPROVEMENT SURVEY WAS MADE ON THE  
GROUND BY ME OR UNDER MY SUPERVISION AND IS  
TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE  
BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

NOTE:

THIS PROPERTY LIES IN ZONE X, AS DESIGNATED BY  
THE F.E.M.A. FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP, COMMUNITY  
PANAL NO. 48021C0250B, DATED, SEPTEMBER 4, 1991 EL  
PASO COUNTY, TEXAS

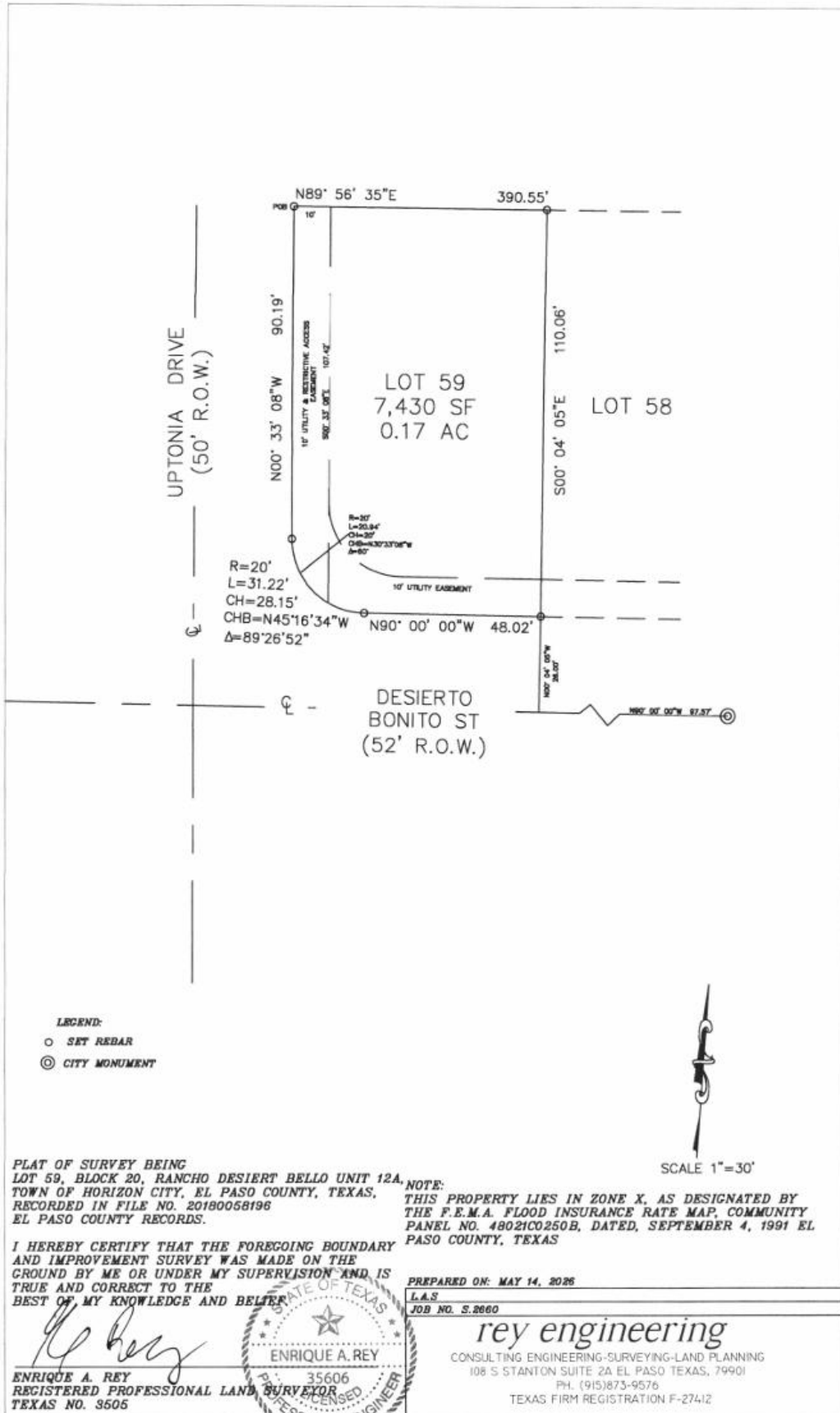
PREPARED ON: MAY 14, 2026

L.A.S.  
JOB NO. S.2660

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REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR  
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**TOWN OF HORIZON CITY**  
**Planning and Zoning Commission Staff Report**

**Case No.:** SDV26-0001  
**Application Type:** Easement Vacation  
**P&Z Hearing Date:** July 20, 2026  
**Staff Contact:** David Ruiz, Planner  
915-852-1046 ext.404; druiz@horizoncity.org  
**Address/Location:** 14207 Desierto Bonito  
**Property ID No.:** R22000002005900  
**Legal Description:** A portion of a 10' Utility Easement of Lot 59, Block 20, Rancho Desierto Bello Unit 12A, Town of Horizon City, El Paso County, Texas.  
**Existing Use:** R-9  
**Owner:** Juan Ramos  
**Applicant/Rep.:** Juan Ramos  
**Nearest Park:** RDB Park  
**Nearest School:** Ricardo Estrada Middle School

| SURROUNDING PROPERTIES: |                            |             |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
|                         | Zoning                     | Land Use    |
| N                       | M-1                        | Industrial  |
| E                       | R-9                        | Residential |
| S                       | R-9                        | Residential |
| W                       | No Zoning (El Paso County) | Vacant      |
| LAND USE AND ZONING:    |                            |             |
|                         | Existing                   | Proposed    |
| Land Use                | Residential                | Residential |
| Zoning                  | R-9                        | R-9         |

**Application Description:**

On the **Vacation** application request (**Case No. SDV26-0001**), to vacate a portion of a 10' Utility Easement of Lot 59, Block 20, Rancho Desierto Bello Unit 12A, Town of Horizon City, El Paso County, Texas.

**Notice:**

In accordance with Horizon City Code of Ordinance, Chapter 1 General Provisions, Article 1.08 Vacation of Public Easement or Right-of-Way, Section 1.08.003 Procedure; Notice of Public Hearings (b) (2) Public Easement Vacation, notice of the planning and zoning commission and the city council hearing shall not be required personally to abutting property owners when the application is for vacation of a public easement. Any responses received by staff will be presented to the Commission at the meeting.

*P&Z: Easement Vacation*

*July 20, 2026*

**Staff Recommendation:**

Staff recommends approval with the following conditions:

1. The 10' restrictive easement to remain in place.
2. The carport shall not be used for any commercial uses.

**HRMUD**

No objections

**El Paso Electric**

We do not have any issue with the vacation of easement. EPEC does not have any existing lines along the West boundary of the lot.

**Texas Gas Service**

In reference to the vacation of easement at 14207 Desierto Bonito St., Texas Gas does not currently have any comments. The vacation will not interfere or otherwise compromise our existing main on this street.

**El Paso Natural Gas – Kinder Morgan**

This project area is clear of El Paso Natural Gas a company of Kinder Morgan Pipelines and Facilities.

**Spectrum**

No comments

**AT&T**

No comments



Attachment 1: Aerial Map

**Planning & Zoning  
Vacation of Easement  
Case No. SDV26-0001**



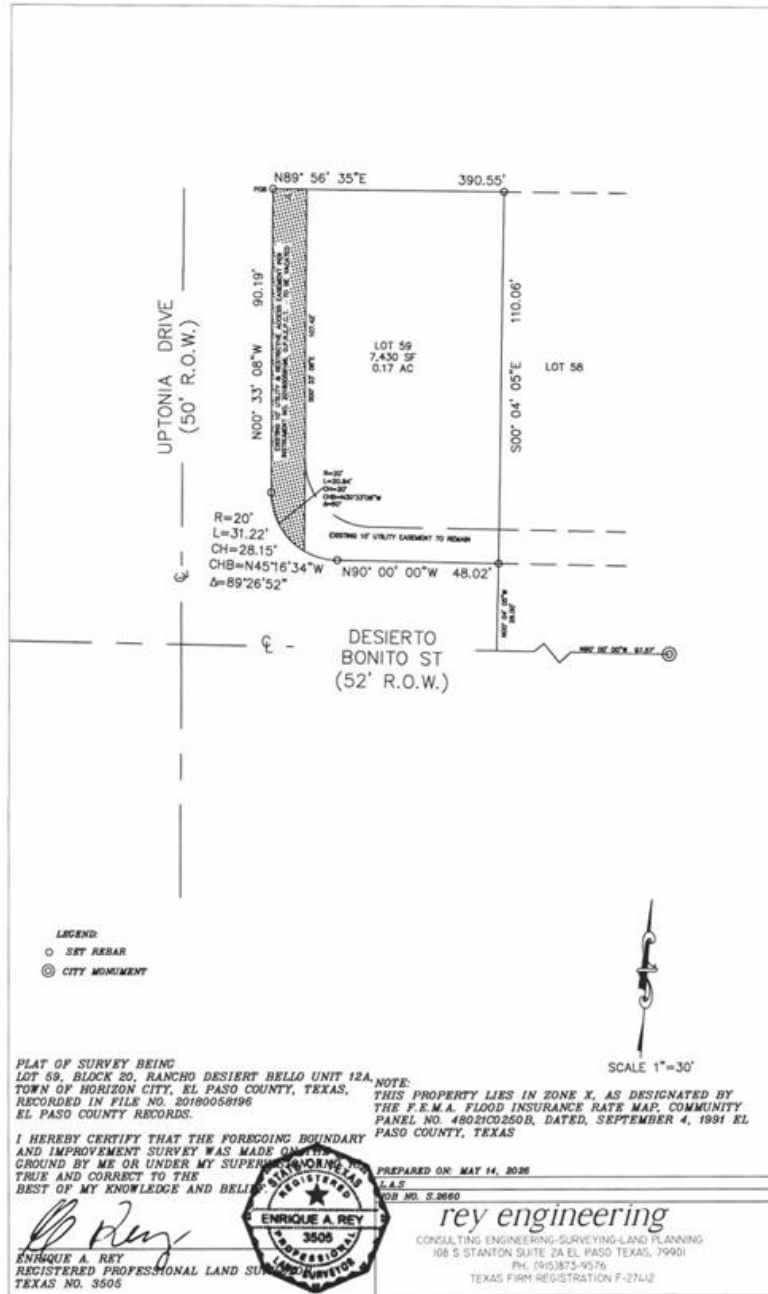
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Attachment 2: Zoning Map



**Attachment 3: Survey & M&B**



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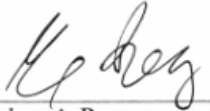
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*July 20, 2026*

**Attachment 4: Application**



Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

**VACATION OF PUBLIC EASEMENTS & RIGHTS-OF-WAY  
APPLICATION**

Date: 04/25/2026

1. APPLICANT'S NAME Juan P. Ramos  
ADDRESS 14207 Desierto Bonito ZIP CODE 79928 TELEPHONE 915 208 5033
2. PROPERTY OWNER Juan P. Ramos  
ADDRESS 14207 Desierto Bonito ZIP CODE 79928 TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_
3. Request is hereby made to vacate the following: (check one) Street ☐ Alley ☐ Easement ☒ Other ☐  
Street Name / Location: Desierto Bonito  
Subdivision Name: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Reason for vacation request: Structure / Parking
5. Surface Improvements located in subject property to be vacated:  
None ☐ Paving ☐ Curb & Gutter ☐ Power Lines/Poles ☐ Fences/Walls ☐ Structures ☒ Other ☐
6. Underground Improvements located in the existing rights-of-way:  
None ☒ Telephone ☐ Electric ☐ Gas ☐ Water ☐ Sewer ☐ Storm Drain ☐ Other ☐
7. Future use of the vacated right-of-way:  
Yards ☐ Parking ☒ Expand Building Area ☐ Replat with abutting Land ☐ Other ☐
8. Related applications which are pending (give name or file number): Zoning ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ Board of Adjustment ☐ \_\_\_\_\_  
Subdivision ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ Building Permits ☒ \_\_\_\_\_ Other ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
9. Signatures: All owners of properties which abut the property to be vacated must appear below with an adequate legal description of the properties they own (use additional paper if necessary).

| Signature            | Legal Description | Telephone |
|----------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| <u>Juan P. Ramos</u> | _____             | _____     |
| _____                | _____             | _____     |

The undersigned Owner/Applicant/Agent understands that the processing of this Application will be handled in accordance with the procedure for Requesting Vacations and that no action on processing will be taken without payment of the non-refundable processing fee. It is further understood that acceptance of this application and fee in no way obligates the Town of Horizon City to grant the Vacation.

The undersigned acknowledges that he or she is authorized to do so, and upon the Town's request will provide evidence satisfactory to the Town's confirming these representations.

The granting of a vacation request shall not be construed to be a waiver of or an approval of any violation of any of the provisions of any applicable ordinances.

OWNER / APPLICANT SIGNATURE: Juan P. Ramos REPRESENTATIVE: \_\_\_\_\_

Easement Fee: \$1500.00  
Right-of-Way Fee: \$1500.00

Note: Applicant is responsible for all expenses incurred by the City in connection with this request, including but not limited to attorney's fees, engineering fees, appraisals, and publication. Charges will be invoiced separately. Applicant's initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Please see reverse side for a list of items required when submitting the Vacation application.

NOTE: SUBMITTAL OF AN APPLICATION DOES NOT CONSTITUTE ACCEPTANCE FOR PROCESSING UNTIL THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT REVIEWS THE APPLICATION FOR ACCURACY AND COMPLETENESS.

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