

Street Committee Minutes

Honorable Council
City of Newark, Ohio
May 8, 2018

There was a meeting of the Street Committee in Council Chambers on Monday May 7, 2018 after Finance Committee with these members present:

Sean Fennell	Jeff Rath
Dee Hall	Mark Labutis
Jeremy Blake	Jonathan Lang
Doug Marmie	

We wish to report:

1. **Ordinance No. 18-15** vacating a ten (10) foot wide alley as shown on the plat of the Avalon Allotment, as recorded in plat book 3, page 82 of the Licking County plat records, said alley running west from Showman Avenue, located south of Cherry Valley Road was considered.

Brian Morehead- we had a petition from a property owner on the south side of the alley and he obtained the signatures from the property owners on the north side of the alley so everyone adjacent has signed the petition. The property owner on the south wishes to build a new home at that location and her having her portion of the alley would be beneficial to her setback which is the reason for the request. Police and Fire Department reviewed and had no concerns for vacating the alley. Just as a point of reference the alley on the back which would be the west side that runs north and south of the properties that front on Showman was vacated previously back in the 1970's. Vacating the subject portion alley will not create a dead ending alley there.

Mr. Rath- is that just the vacant lot or does it include the lot further south where there is a structure at now? Is it the same owner?

Brian Morehead- the same owner owns many of these lots down through here south of the alley.

Motion by Mr. Rath to send to full Council, second by Mr. Lang

Motion passed by a vote of 7-0.

Sean Fennell, Chair