# CITY OF HIGH POINT AGENDA ITEM



#### Title: Acquisiton of 1529 Eastchester Dr. – 174/311 Eastchester Interchange Project

**From:** JoAnne Carlyle, City Attorney

Meeting Date: Monday, July 20, 2020

Public Hearing: No

Advertising Date: NA Advertised By: NA

Attachments: Maps

### **PURPOSE:**

Request for City Council approval to purchase a 0.234 acre parcel of land and house, which is occupied, located at 1529 Eastchester Drive, Parcel No. 184299 ("Property") needed for the I-74/311 Eastchester Interchange Project ("Project"), and the conveyance of a 0.132 portion of the Property needed by an adjoining neighbor for driveway access to a side street.

### **BACKGROUND:**

As part of the Project, the City proposed that York Ave. and Ambassador Ct. at Eastchester be aligned into a signalized intersection. NCDOT is responsible for the costs of the design and construction and the City is responsible for the puchase the right of way needed for the Project.

The value of the Property and the required replacement housing payment is \$125,900. After negotiation with the property owner the City has settled for \$135,900.

A 0.132 acre portion of the Property is needed by the adjoining property owner for a driveway due to the loss of access to Eastchester Drive. The market value of that portion needed for the driveway encumbrance is \$1,850.

### **BUDGET IMPACT:**

\$135,900 from the special project transportation account

## **RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:**

Staff recommends approval of the purchase of 1529 Eastchester Dr. needed for the I-74/311 Eastchester Interchange Project and conveyance of the 0.132 acre portion of the Property to the adjoining property owner needed for driveway access to side street.





