

1st Reading
April 4 2017

ORDINANCE NO. 2017 - 13

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ELIMINATION OF AN AT-GRADE CROSSING; REPEALING ALL PRIOR ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, it is within the authority of City of Phenix City to voluntarily eliminate at-grade crossings within the municipal street system; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined reasonably necessary in the interest of public safety to eliminate the at-grade crossing on 10th Avenue between South Railroad Street and North Railroad Street, DOT Number 718 989K; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the enhancement of public safety resulting from such elimination of the at-grade crossing will outweigh any inconvenience to the reasonable passage of public traffic or emergency vehicle traffic; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City Phenix City, Alabama, that it is hereby ordained by authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby directs the elimination of the at-grade crossing, on 10th Avenue between South Railroad Street and North Railroad Street, DOT Number 718 989K, railroad milepost P 292.65.

Section 2. A copy of this ordinance shall be served on Norfolk Southern Corporation.

Section 3. Norfolk Southern Corporation shall at its expense physically remove the at-grade crossing from the tracks and beyond the ends of the crossies on each side and erect an approved barricade, and the City may remove the approaches to the crossing.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of May, 2017.

Eddie W. Lowe
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MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:

Walter G. Hodica
CITY CLERK