

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT NO.)
09001, BY THE DIRECTOR OF PLANNING,)
AT THE REQUEST OF THE LINCOLN)
POLICE DEPARTMENT, PURSUANT TO)
THE 2009 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN ANNUAL)
REVIEW, TO AMEND THE 2030)
LINCOLN-LANCASTER COUNTY)
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO BETTER)
INDICATE PLANS FOR FUTURE POLICE)
FACILITIES AS PROVIDED IN)
EXHIBIT "A")

RESOLUTION NO. R-09-0047

WHEREAS, the Director of Planning, at the request of the Lincoln Police Department, pursuant to the 2009 Comprehensive Plan Annual Review, wishes to amend the 2030 Lincoln-Lancaster County Comprehensive Plan by adopting text changes to the Community Facilities, Public Safety, Law Enforcement section of the Comprehensive Plan to indicate the need for the Lincoln Police Department to provide additional facilities in Lincoln as the community grows and changes and to more clearly state that the Lincoln Police Department currently has plans for improvement projects that will provide "additional full service assembly stations and other facilities"; and

WHEREAS, the Lincoln-Lancaster County Planning Department recommends approval of said Comprehensive Plan Amendment concluding that the proposed amendments are in conformance with the 2030 Lincoln-Lancaster County Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2009, the Lincoln-Lancaster Planning Commission held a public hearing regarding said amendments; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2009, the Lincoln-Lancaster County Planning Commission agreed with the staff recommendation and voted to recommend approval of Comprehensive Plan

Amendment No. 09001; and

WHEREAS, on July 14, 2009, the Board of Commissioners of Lancaster County conducted a public hearing regarding said amendments; and

WHEREAS, on ~~June~~^{July} 14, 2009, the Board of Commissioners of Lancaster County voted to approve said amendments, as per the staff recommendation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of Lancaster County, Nebraska that the 2030 Lincoln-Lancaster County Comprehensive Plan be amended as provided in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated by this reference.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that any other references in said plan which may be affected by the above specified amendments be, and they hereby are, amended to conform to such specific amendment.

DATED this 14 day of July, 2009, at the County-City Building, Lincoln, Nebraska.

APPROVED AS TO FORM
this 14 day of
July, 2009.

Deputy County Attorney
for GARY E. LACEY
County Attorney

BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS OF LANCASTER
COUNTY, NEBRASKA




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necessary public safety to the existing city. This proposed amendment is a result of discussion between the applicant and staff.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS:

Amend the 2030 Lincoln-Lancaster County Comprehensive Plan as follows:

1. Amend page 131 to read:

LAW ENFORCEMENT

The Lincoln Police Department and Lancaster County Sheriff's Office are anticipated to remain as the sole providers of law enforcement services to the city and county during the planning period. The Sheriff's Office will continue to provide contract law enforcement support to the various incorporated towns of the county. The overall increase in population in the city and county will increase the demand for police and sheriff services in the urban, small town, and rural areas.

The opening of the "Hall of Justice and Law Enforcement Center" in the year 2000 placed both operations within a single facility. This renovated facility at 575 South 10th Street in Lincoln is an example of the cooperation exhibited by the city and county in furthering the efficient delivery of governmental services to the community. ~~Substations/reporting stations serve as satellite locations in neighborhoods to increase law enforcement visibility in areas where the need is greatest. While future expansion, relocations, or facility rehabilitation to support law enforcement efforts could occur during the 25 year planning period, none are known at this time.~~ The Lincoln Police Department will experience a need for additional full service assembly stations and other facilities located within the community. The Capital Improvement Program will be used to plan and finance projects needed to meet growing needs.

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