

**ORDINANCE NO. 2002-09**

**AN ORDINANCE ABANDONING AND VACATING  
 EDD STREET, FROM YELLOWJACKET LANE TO CEDAR STREET,  
 AND WALKER STREET, FROM EDD STREET TO YELLOWJACKET LANE;  
 DIRECTING THE CLERK TO RECORD A COPY OF THE ORDINANCE  
 IN THE REAL ESTATE RECORDS OF VAN BUREN COUNTY;  
 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, the Clinton School District has petitioned the City of Clinton, Arkansas, to abandon Edd Street, from Yellowjacket Lane to Cedar Street, and to abandon Walker Street, from Edd Street to Yellowjacket Lane; and

**WHEREAS**, the Clinton School District owns all of the property abutting and adjoining the streets to be abandoned; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Clinton has conducted a public hearing to consider whether or not abandonment of said streets is in the public's interest; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has determined that said abandonment is in the public's interest and benefits the Clinton School District.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLINTON, ARKANSAS, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. Edd Street, from Yellowjacket Lane to Cedar Street, and Walker Street from Edd Street to Yellowjacket Lane, are hereby abandoned and vacated and title to said streets is hereby vested in the Clinton School District subject to any existing easements for water, sewer, telephone, electric, gas or other utilities which are currently filed as of record.
2. The City Clerk is directed to file a certified copy of this Ordinance in the real estate records of Van Buren County, Arkansas, at the County Clerk's office.
3. The need to effectively regulate traffic and parking on the school district property

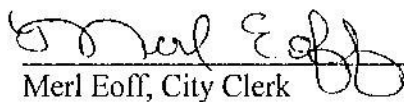
during school hours and during extracurricular activities at the school district is imperative, therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its date of passage.

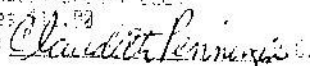
**PASSED:** November 14, 2002.

**APPROVED:**


  
James Beavers, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
Merl Eoff, City Clerk

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**APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:**

  
Brad A. Cazort, City Attorney