

CITY OF VINELAND

ORDINANCE NO. 2020- 40

**ORDINANCE AMENDING THE OFFICIAL MAP OF STREETS OF THE CITY OF VINELAND TO CHANGE THE DEDICATED STREET NAME OF “MAGNOLIA ROAD” BETWEEN SOUTH SEVENTH STREET AND SOUTH EAST AVENUE TO “NEW MAGNOLIA ROAD”.**

**WHEREAS**, in 1932 a public street was created running between South Seventh Street and South East Avenue and dedicated as “Magnolia Road”; and

**WHEREAS**, a dedicated street known as Magnolia Road has also existed between Lincoln Avenue, and Main Road and therefore the street created in 1932 was unofficially named “New Magnolia Road” and has been known as such for many years, including signage identifying it as “New Magnolia Road”; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Engineer has determined that the use of the official name of “Magnolia Road” for both dedicated streets will cause confusion and he has received complaints regarding parcel deliveries due to the two streets having the same name; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Engineer has recommended that City Council consider renaming the street between South Seventh Street and South East Avenue as “New Magnolia Road”; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chiefs of Fire, EMS, and Police concur that properly identifying the two streets with different names will serve public safety; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40:67-1 permits the governing body of every Municipality to make, amend, and enforce ordinances, and create maps to show the location and width of each street with the ability to change or amend the map from time to time; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Vineland has an official map of the streets of the City of Vineland and City Council finds it in the best interest to amend the said map to change the dedicated street name of “Magnolia Road” between South Seventh Street and South East Avenue to “New Magnolia Road.”

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Vineland that the official map of streets of the City of Vineland shall be amended to change the dedicated street name of Magnolia Road between South Seventh Street and South East Avenue to New Magnolia Road.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all signage shall be appropriately changed to properly identify the said street as New Magnolia Road.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that should any portion of this Ordinance be deemed unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, that portion so determined to be unenforceable, shall be void and the balance hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that should any Ordinance or portion thereof be inconsistent herewith, such Ordinance or portion thereof shall be void to the extent of such inconsistencies.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon adoption and publication according to law.

Passed first reading:

Passed final reading:

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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City Clerk