

**Lee County Board Of County Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary**

Blue Sheet No. 20050376

1. ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE: Conduct a Public Hearing to adopt a Resolution on Petition to Vacate a 12-foot wide Drainage and Public Utility Easement located at 1243 Sentinela Blvd., Lehigh Acres. (Case No. VAC2005-00002).

2. WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES: To build a single-family residence on the combined lots. **The vacation of this easement will not alter existing drainage and utility conditions and the easement is not necessary to accommodate any future drainage and utility requirements.**

3. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION: Approve

4. Departmental Category:
COMMISSION DISTRICT #: 5

5:00 #1

5. Meeting Date: *04-12-2005*

6. Agenda:
 Consent
 Administrative
 Appeals
 Public
 Walk-On

7. Requirement/Purpose: (specify)
 Statute F.S. Ch. 177
 Ordinance
 Admin. Code 13-1
 Other

8. Request Initiated:
 Commissioner _____
 Department Community Development
 Division Development Services
 By: *M. Gibbs*
 Peter J. Eckenrode, Director

9. Background:

The Board of County Commissioners has adopted a Resolution to set a Public Hearing for **5:00 PM on the 12th day of April, 2005**. The completed petition to vacate, VAC2005-00002 was submitted by Willie Hugh Strickland, Jr. and Dora Strickland.

LOCATION: The site is located at **1243 Sentinela Blvd., Lehigh Acres, Florida** and its strap number is 01-45-27-04-00021.0200. Petition No. VAC2005-00002 proposes to vacate a 12-foot wide Drainage and Public Utility Easements centered on the common line between Lots 20 and 21, both in Block 21, Unit 4, Section 1, Township 45 South, Range 27 East, a subdivision of Lehigh Acres, as recorded in Plat Book 15, Page 173 of the Public Records of Lee County, Florida; **LESS and EXCEPT** the easterly six feet and westerly six feet thereof.

Documentation pertaining to this Petition to Vacate is available for viewing at the Office of Lee Cares.

There are no objections to this Petition to Vacate. Staff recommends the scheduling of the Public Hearing.

Attached to this Blue sheet is the Petition to Vacate, Resolution to set Public Hearing, Notice of Public Hearing and Exhibits.

10. Review for Scheduling:

Department Director	Purchasing or Contracts	Human Resources	Other	County Attorney	Budget Services			County Manager/P.W. Director
<i>M. Gibbs</i>				<i>[Signature]</i>	Analyst <i>[Signature]</i> 3/22/05	Risk <i>[Signature]</i> 3/22/05	Grants <i>[Signature]</i> 3/22/05	Mgr. <i>[Signature]</i> 3/22/05
								<i>[Signature]</i> 3-23-05

11. Commission Action:

- Approved
- Deferred
- Denied
- Other

Rec. by CoAtty
 Date: *3/18/05*
 Time: *1:10*

Forwarded To:
[Signature]
 3/23/05 3pm
 03.DOC

RECEIVED BY
 COUNTY ADMIN: *TP*
 3-21-05 *MP*
 4:45
 COUNTY ADMIN
 FORWARDED TO: *PA*
 3/23/05
 5pm

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:

Department of Community Development
Development Services Division
1500 Monroe Street
Fort Myers Florida 33901

RESOLUTION NO. _____ FOR PETITION TO VACATE

Case Number: VAC2005-00002

WHEREAS, Petitioners **Willie Hugh Strickland, Jr. and Dora Strickland** in accordance with Florida Statute (F.S.) Chapter 177 and Lee County Administrative Code (LCAC) 13-1, filed a Petition to Vacate the public's interest in the easement, plat or portion of a plat legally described in the attached Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida held a Public Hearing on this Petition to Vacate on the 12th day of April 2005 at 5 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, a legally sufficient Affidavit of Publication regarding the Notice of Public Hearing on this Petition to Vacate was entered into the minutes of the County Commission Meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Petitioner(s) has fee simple title ownership to the underlying land sought to be vacated; and

WHEREAS, the Petitioner(s) has provided proof that all applicable state and county taxes have been paid; and

WHEREAS, Petitioner(s) did provide notice to all affected property owners concerning the intent of the Petition to Vacate in accordance with LCAC 13-1; and

WHEREAS, the letters of review and recommendation provided by the various governmental and utility entities indicate that granting the Petition to Vacate will not affect the ownership or right of convenient access of persons owning other parts of the subdivision.

NOW therefore be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners as follows:

1. Petition to Vacate No. VAC2005-00002 is hereby granted.
2. The public's interest in the easement, plat or portion of a plat legally described in Exhibit "A" and graphically depicted in the sketch attached as Exhibit "B" is hereby vacated.
3. This Resolution will become effective upon recording of a fully executed copy in the public records of Lee County, Florida.

This Resolution passed by voice and entered into the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, this _____ .

ATTEST:
CHARLIE GREEN, CLERK

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Deputy Clerk Signature

Chairman Signature

Please Print Name

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SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

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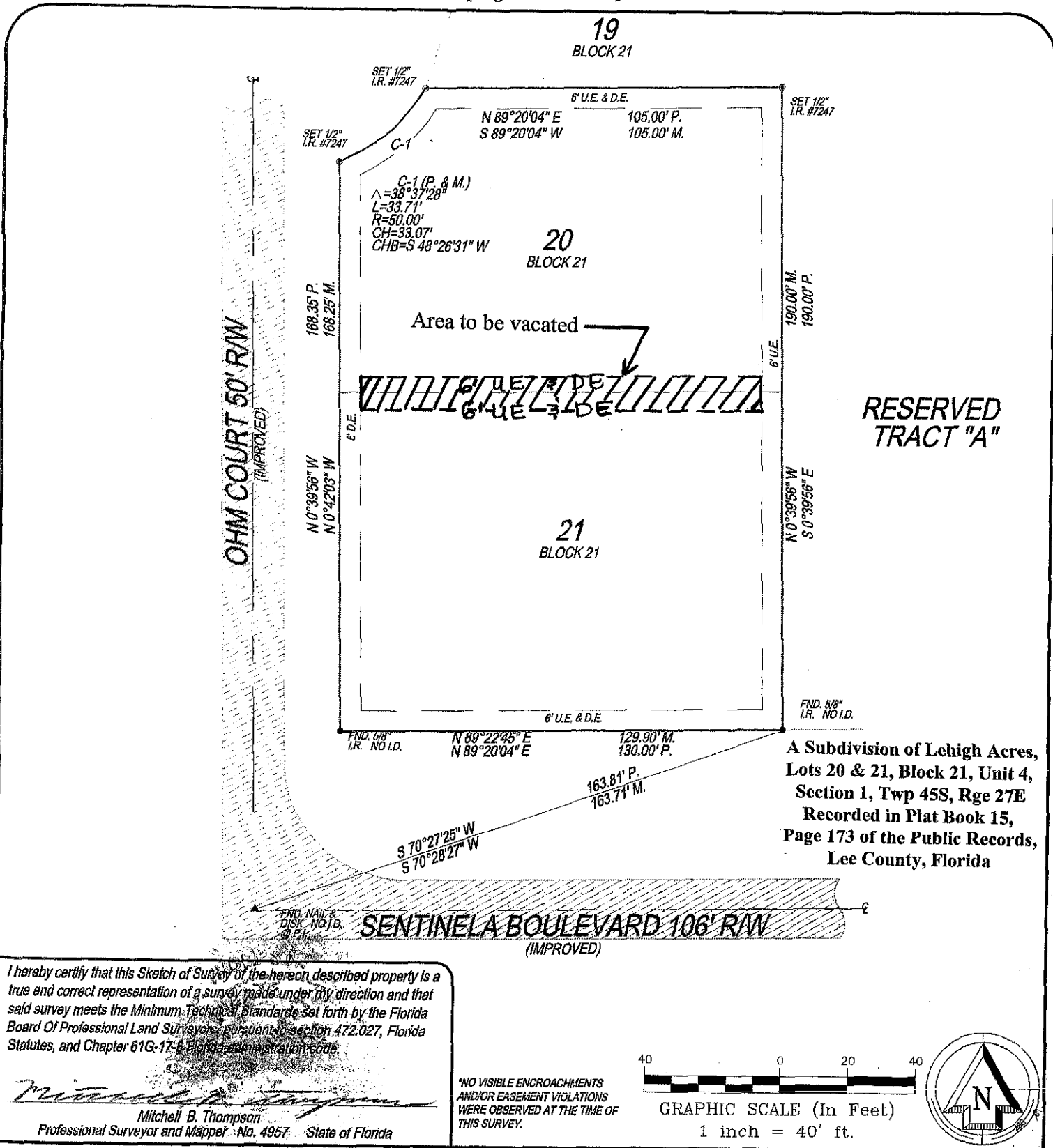
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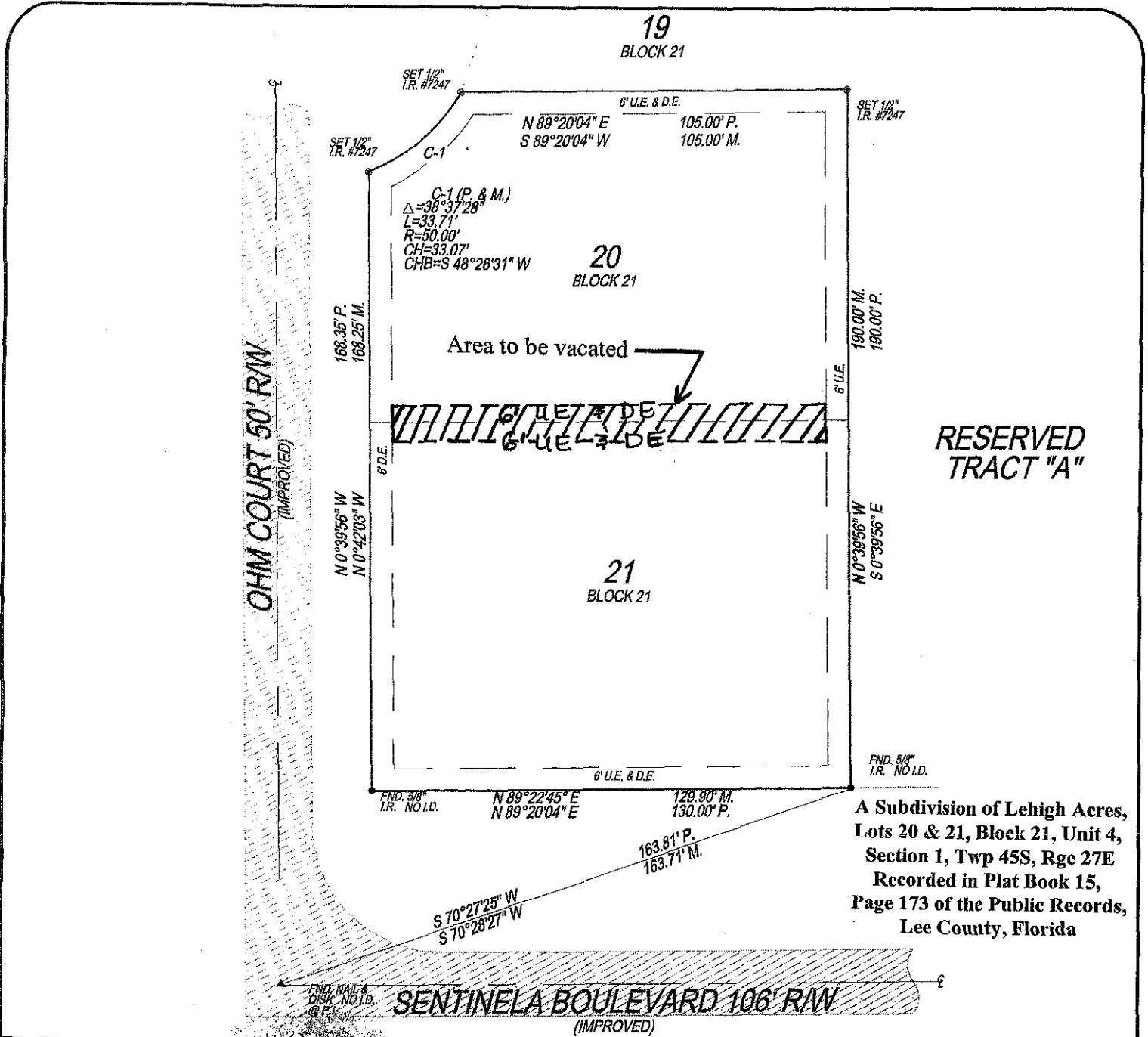
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A Subdivision of Lehigh Acres,
 Lots 20 & 21, Block 21, Unit 4,
 Section 1, Twp 45S, Rge 27E
 Recorded in Plat Book 15,
 Page 173 of the Public Records,
 Lee County, Florida

I hereby certify that this Sketch of Survey of the hereon described property is a true and correct representation of a survey made under my direction and that said survey meets the Minimum Technical Standards set forth by the Florida Board of Professional Land Surveyors pursuant to section 472.027, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 61G-17-6 Florida Administrative Code.

Mitchell B. Thompson
 Mitchell B. Thompson
 Professional Surveyor and Mapper - No. 4957 - State of Florida

*NO VISIBLE ENCROACHMENTS
 AND/OR EASEMENT VIOLATIONS
 WERE OBSERVED AT THE TIME OF
 THIS SURVEY.

