



Legislation Details (With Text)

**File #:** 17-0094      **Version:** 3      **Name:** Excavation and cuts  
**Type:** Ordinance      **Status:** Third Reading  
**File created:** 2/28/2017      **In control:** Call for Special Meeting  
**On agenda:** 4/20/2017      **Final action:** 4/20/2017  
**Title:** Ordinance replacing § 16-200 of the Crossville Municipal Code regarding excavation and cut fees in public right-of-way  
**Sponsors:** City Clerk, Engineering Department, W/S Maintenance, Street Department, Planning Department  
**Indexes:**  
**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 16-200 2nd revision, 2. USPS guidelines, 3. 16-200 current ordinance, 4. 16-200 revised, 5. Columns behind ROW #1, 6. Damaged mailbox on ROW #1, 7. Mailbox behind ROW #1, 8. Mailbox behind ROW #1b, 9. Mailbox on ROW #2, 10. Mailbox set back from white line, 11. Mailbox and column behind curb, 12. Mailbox and column set back from white line #3, 13. Mailbox set back from white line #2, 14. Mailbox on ROW #3, 15. Column and mailbox set back from ROW #4, 16. Mailbox behind ROW #1b, 17. Mailbox on ROW #4b, 18. Mailbox set back from white line #3a

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
4/20/2017	3	Call for Special Meeting	adopted on third reading	Pass
4/11/2017	3	City Council	approved on second reading	Pass
3/21/2017	3	Call for Special Meeting	tabled	Pass
3/14/2017	2	City Council	approved on first reading	Pass
3/7/2017	1	Work Session	presented	

Ordinance replacing § 16-200 of the Crossville Municipal Code regarding excavation and cut fees in public right-of-way

**SUMMARY:**

The current ordinance on excavations and cuts has not been reviewed and revised in over 30 years. A team consisting of Tim Begley, Kevin Music, Kevin Dean, Billy Martin, Lee Lawson, and Sally Oglesby has been working on totally rewriting this ordinance to reflect current and future projects and issues. The ordinance has been reviewed by the City Attorney for form and legality. As discussed at the meeting on March 14, the ordinance has been revised regarding masonry columns and mailboxes to require them to be 3 1/2' off the hard surface. The guidelines from the USPS for installation of a mailbox are attached.

Regarding current improvements on the right-of-way such as masonry columns and mailboxes, the City will generally do its best to return the area to its original condition. However, some improvements will not be able to be completely restored. Each issue will be a case-by-case decision dependent on the work to be done. Generally, in the case of new waterlines or sewer lines, a bore will be done under the improvement to avoid removal.

The team recommends adoption of the new revised ordinance.

**BUDGET ACCOUNT:**

**NECESSARY COUNCIL ACTION:** Pass ordinance replacing § 16-200 of the Crossville Municipal Code.