ORDINANCE NO. <u>19-012</u>

AN ORDINANCE VACATING STREET

WHEREAS, there exists a platted North-South street between a subdivision of the East one-half of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section 31 of Monmouth Township and the W.B. Jennings Subdivision and Block Two (2) of Morgan's Subdivision to the City of Monmouth, Warren County, Illinois, otherwise known as the 600 Block of South B Street, which street runs North and South from the north line of West 6th Avenue on the south and to south line of the BNSF railroad right of way to the north. Attached hereto is a vacation plat which shows the platted street to be vacated; and

WHEREAS, the continued paving and maintenance of said street would cause a financial burden to the municipality without any beneficial returns to the public; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined by not less than three-fourths (3/4) majority that said street should be vacated.

BE IT, THEREFORE, ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MONMOUTH, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1:

It is in the best interest of the City of Monmouth that following street be vacated:

North-South Street between a subdivision of the East one-half of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section 31 of Monmouth Township and the W.B. Jennings Subdivision and Block Two (2) of Morgan's Subdivision to the City of Monmouth, Warren County, Illinois, otherwise known as the 600 Block of South B Street

Section 2:

The City of Monmouth shall retain an easement over the entire portion of said platted street, as vacated, for the purpose of installing, maintaining, operating, repairing, or replacing, by itself or by any licensee or grantee from the City, any poles, wires, pipes, conduits, sewer mains, water mains, or other facility or equipment for the maintenance and operation of any utility now located in the street or streets intersecting with the alleyway vacated by this ordinance and, further, the right to use said vacated street as a means of access to surrounding properties by emergency vehicles of the City, its licensees or grantees, or any other government entity.

Section 3:

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its due publication in pamphlet form, passage and approval thereof.

PASSED this day of June, A.D., 2019. APPROVED this day of June, A.D., 2019.	
ATTESTED:	MAYOR
ATTESTED.	
CITY CLERK	
Ayes:	
Nays:	
Absent or not voting:	