

# Memo

**TO:** Common Council

**FROM:** Nikki Elsen, Deputy City Clerk

**DATE:** November 16, 2017

**RE:** 17-1671. AN ORDINANCE to amend Sec. 46-23(a)(4) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of La Crosse deleting reference to specific properties served with water under an Annexation and Water Connection Agreement.

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**Informational memo as to the purpose of this ordinance.**

In reviewing Sec. 46-23(a)(4) of the Municipal Code, we discovered no real purpose for listing the properties individually that are/once were served with water by way of an Annexation and Water Connection Agreement.

The four properties currently listed have annexed and are now part of the corporate limits (Sec. 46-23(a)(1)). There are several other properties once served with water both before and after those listed that have since annexed.

Listing the properties individually by address and legal description requires unnecessary maintenance; adding when a property is served with water pre-annex and removing once annexed and become part of the corporate limits.

For that reason, it was discussed and determined superfluous to list the properties individually and the purpose of this ordinance is merely a "housekeeping" amendment.