

POLICY TO PRESERVE BRICK STREETS ALONG SIXTH & EIGHTH STREETS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the City Commission recognizes that property owners along Sixth and Eighth Streets, between Union Street and Division Street, are dedicated to historical preservation of their homes and their neighborhood, and

WHEREAS, the brick streets now existing in Sixth and Eighth Streets, between Union Street and Division Street, are an important part of the history of those neighborhoods, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission wishes to insure that these brick streets will be preserved and maintained in their present state,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Commission adopts a policy committing to preserve and maintain its brick streets along Sixth and Eighth Streets, between Union Street and Division Streets, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all maintenance and repair necessary to these streets will be done in a manner which restores the brick surface as close as practical to its original condition, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City staff be directed to research the history of brick paving on Sixth and Eighth Streets and return to the City Commission at a future date with a proposal for erection of a suitable plaque or other type historic marker.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the City will make a good faith effort to restore to brick those sections of Sixth and Eighth Streets, between Union Street and Division Street, which have been previously repaired with non-brick materials, as time and resources permit.

Adopted this 19<sup>th</sup> Day of May, 1986,  
by the Traverse City City Commission  
on the following vote:

Yes 7 No 0

Certified by James F. Tompkins, Jr.  
James F. Tompkins, Jr.  
City Clerk *J.F.T.*