

**AN ORDINANCE TO CLOSE A PORTION OF LIBERTY STREET**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Wilmington is vested with the authority to close, vacate, remove, exchange, accept and dedicate streets by the provisions of the Wilmington City Charter, Sections 1-101, 2-306, 5-400 and 8-204 and Wilmington City Code, Sections 2-621 and 42-11; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of Public Works and the Planning Department have recommended the portion of Liberty Street depicted in Exhibit “A” attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference be closed pursuant to the procedures set forth in City Code Section 42-11; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Planning Commission has recommended approval of the closure of that portion of Liberty Street depicted in Exhibit ‘A’, and pursuant to Planning Commission Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_, attached hereto as Exhibit ‘B’ and incorporated herein by reference, approved such closure at the City Planning Commission's regular meeting on March 15, 2016.

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON HEREBY ORDAINS:**

**SECTION 1.** That the part of Liberty Street, as described and depicted in Exhibit ‘A’ attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, shall be closed by the Department of Public Works in accordance with City Code Section 42-11.

**SECTION 2.** At such time as this Ordinance shall become effective, the City of Wilmington, through the Departments of Public Works shall take any action necessary to effectuate the closing of the portion of Liberty Street, depicted in Exhibit “A” attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

**SECTION 3.** This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its date of passage by the City Council and approval by the Mayor.

First Reading .....April 7, 2016  
Second Reading.....April 7, 2016  
Third Reading .....

Passed by City Council,

\_\_\_\_\_  
President of City Council

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

Approved this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

Approved as to form this  
\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

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Assistant City Solicitor

SYNOPSIS: This Ordinance authorizes the closure of a part of Liberty Street as described and depicted on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and as recommended by the City Planning Department by its resolution \_\_\_\_\_ at its regular meeting held on March 15, 2016.