

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-32

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLAGSTAFF,
CHANGING THE NAME OF AGASSIZ STREET TO WC RILES; PROVIDING
FOR SEVERABILITY, AUTHORITY FOR CLERICAL CORRECTIONS, AND
ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, the existing name of Agassiz Street has strong racist connotations and is considered by some to be offensive; and

WHEREAS, the City of Flagstaff is vested with control over its streets, its street names and addressing thereof.

ENACTMENTS:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLAGSTAFF AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: That the name of Agassiz Street be changed to W.C. Riles.

SECTION 2: That the street name change take effect upon the adoption of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. Repeal of Conflicting Ordinances

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of the code adopted herein are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. Severability

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance or any part of the code adopted herein by reference is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

SECTION 5. Clerical Corrections

The City Clerk is hereby authorized to correct clerical and grammatical errors, if any, related to this ordinance, and to make formatting changes appropriate for purposes of clarity, form, or consistency with the Flagstaff City Code.

SECTION 6. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be effective thirty (30) days following adoption by the City Council.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Flagstaff this 1st day of December, 2020.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY