Engineering

Appropriation 4987

35,910

Federal Participation

Force Account and Construction

Engineering

TOTAL: \$91,320

To:

Appropriation 4987 \$91,320

Urban Project M-2000 (062)

Adopted as follows: Yeas — Council Members Browne, Cleveland, Eberhard, Henderson, Hood, Kelley, Mahaffey, Rogell, and President Levin - 9.

Nays - None.

Department of Transportation June 15, 1977

Honorable City Council:

Re: Traffic Control Devices, Installed and Discontinued.

We are submitting a list of traffic control devices, dated May 25, 1977, to your Honorable Body for approval.

The attached shows both traffic control devices which have been installed and those which have been discontinued in recent weeks. Included on this list are signs installed on May 13, 1977, prohibiting trucks over two axles from using Gunston, Hoover and Groesbeck from Gratiot to Eight Mile Road between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. Patrick T. attorney for Paragon Steel Corporation, protesting the installation of these signs. (Letter attached.) Your Honorable Body may wish to seek more information concerning this protest before confirming the installation of these controls.

Respectfully submitted, CONRAD L. MALLETT, Acting Director

By Council Member Kelley:

Resolved, That the traffic regula-ons, as listed in communication tions, as from the Department of Transportation, dated June 15, 1977, and the discontinuance of restrictions as listed therein, be and the same are hereby approved and confirmed, and further

Resolved, That any regulation or restriction in conflict with the foregoing be and the same is hereby

rescinded.

Provided, That the traffic regulations adopted pursuant to the Ordinance provisions of Sections 38-1-4 and 38-1-5 of Chapter 38, Article 1 of the Code of Detroit are properly indicated by signs, signals, markings or other devices as authorized by the Ordinance provisions of Section 2-7-33 of Chapter 2, Article 7 of the Code of Detroit, and further

Provided, The traffic regulations listed in the communication above referred to shall be kept on file by the City Clerk in his office for re-

ference and for inspection. Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Browne, sign to serve both Sindbad's and the Cleveland, Eberhard, Henderson, Hood, Roostertail and have approved the

Kelley, Mahaffey, Rogell, and President Levin - 9.

Nays - None.

Detroit Water and Sewerage Department

June 23, 1977

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 4493 (1976 -Sindbad's Restaurant, et al. Lease of Portion of Water Works Park for Erection of Directional Sign.

Sindbad's and the Roostertail Restaurants have been experiencing some business problems which can be traced to the public's difficulty in finding these two establishments. Mr. Schoenith of the Roostertail and Messrs. Blanke and VanHollebeke of Sindbad's have petitioned your Hon-orable Body and his Honor, the Mayor for assistance in finding a solution to this particular problem.

The most immediate solution seems to be the erection of a directional sign on Jefferson Avenue to guide the public to these Riverfront establishments, the only two of their kind in the City. The most logical location for such a sign is on Water Works Park property at the corner of Jefferson and Marquette Drive. Sindbad's has proposed a sign at this location. The design of the sign and the location have been approved by this Department.

On May 4, 1977, the Board of Water Commissioners tentatively approved a lease agreement to provide the location of the sign. This Lease was subsequently executed for the Board on June 15 1977. A copy of the Lease is attached. Although the Lease is with Sindbad's, provision has been made for both Sindbad's and the Rooster-tail to share the sign space. Rental under the Lease is \$120.00 per annum for five years, subject to renegotiation upon renewal.

It is respectfully requested that your Honorable Body approve and confirm this Lease to Sindbad's for the erection of a directional sign. A suggested resolution to this effect is attached.

Respectfully submitted, J. P. KANTERS, Director

By Council Member Henderson:

WHEREAS, Sindbad's Restaurant and The Roostertail have petitioned the City of Detroit for relief from problems associated with their remote location on the Detroit River and have proposed a directional sign on Water Works Park property at the corner of Jefferson Avenue and Marquette Drive as an immediate step towards relief; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Water Commissioners have executed a Lease Agreement with Sindbad's, Inc. to provide a location for a directional sign to serve both Sindbad's and the

design of such sign; Now, Therefore

RESOLVED, that the Lease Agreement, dated June 15, 1977, by and between Sindbad's, Inc., Lessee, and the City of Detroit, by and through its Board of Water Commissioners, covering the erection of a directional sign Water Works Park property, is hereby approved and confirmed; and Be It Further

RESOLVED. that the Board of Water Commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to administer the terms of the Lease Agreement and to deposit the revenues therefrom into Revenue Account 62-9000-1421, Leasing and-or Rental of Public

Buildings and-or Space. Adopted as follows:

Yeas - Council Members Browne, Cleveland, Eberhard, Henderson, Hood, Kelley, Mahaffey, Rogell, and President Levin - 9.

Nays - None.

Detroit Water and Sewerage Department

June 27, 1977

Honorable City Council:

Re: Contract with Black and Veatch of Michigan for Development of Sewage Rate Schedule, Contract #100352.

On Wednesday, May 11, 1977, at your regular formal session, your honorable body approved a contract between the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department and Black and Veatch of Michigan in the amount of \$25,-500 for the development of a new sewage rate schedule. The purpose of the new rate schedule is to permit the Detroit Water and Sewerage De-partment to implement the necessary improvements in its operation and maintenance of the Sewage Treat-ment Plant and to construct the necessary additional sewage handling facilities to come into compliance with federal and state legal requirements regarding the quality of its

Sewage Plant effluent.

In accordance with the terms of ne contract authorized by your honorable body, Black and Veatch of Michigan did submit a sewage rate study and recommendation to the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department within the thirty-day time period permitted under the contract. As a result of a meeting held Thursday, June 16, 1977, with representatives of various city agencies including the Law Department and the Finance Department, it was determined that additional work would be required in order to bring the sewage rate study into compliance with city require-ments for the issuance of revenue bonds, the proper allocation of var-ious costs between operations and between operations and maintenance and capital construction, and the inclusion of updated cost figures for various elements of the Sewage Plant construction program

Black and Veatch of Michigan have agreed to make the necessary adjustments to the sewage rate study for the purpose of giving consideration to the above items for an additional fee of not to exceed \$12,000, and a new completion date of July 1, 1977. This additional work by the contractor and the increased fee will be handled as an amendment to our existing contract with Black and Veatch of Michigan.

We respectfully request the approval of your honorable body for this modification of the contract by adoption of the attached resolution. Because of the critical time frame on which we are scheduled to implement a new rate schedule, we also respect-fully request waiver of reconsidera-

tion.

Respectfully submitted, JOHN P. KANTERS Director

Approved: H. MICHAEL SMOTHERS Director, Purchasing Division Finance Department

By Council Member Hood:

RESOLVED, that the Professional Services Contract between the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department and Black and Veatch of Michigan (Agreement #100352) for development of a new sewage rate schedule, be and is hereby amended to provide for an extension of time to July 1, 1977 for completion of work to be done under the terms of the contract and that the fee be increased by the amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Finance Director be and is hereby authorized to transfer funds and honor vouchers when presented in accordance with the foregoing communication and this resolution.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Browne, Cleveland, Eberhard, Henderson, Hood, Kelley, Mahaffey, Rogell, and President Levin - 9.

Nays - None.

Finance Department Purchasing Division June 24, 1977

Honorabie City Council:

The Purchasing Division of the Finance Department recommends Contracts with the following Firms

Persons:

52108—Site Modernization at Jef-fries Homes — Work involves new/ replacement paving and concrete work in various outside areas such as parking lots, berms, chain fences, service drive and porches. D. Macro Cement Contractors of Warren, Mi. \$213,458.00. Housing.

52223—Renew Contract as Legislative Agent for City in Lansing from July 1, 1977 to June 30, 1978. Marjorie Malarney, of Lansing, Mi. \$27,000.00

per annum. Law.