

\$43,000 for this affair. Atlanta's expenses exceeded \$55,000.

The Host Chief is responsible for securing a name entertainer for the I.A.C.P. Annual Banquet. St. Louis spent approximately \$28,700 to secure Pat Boone. Atlanta spent approximately \$22,000 to secure Boots Randolph.

The Host Chief is responsible for supplying welcoming registration bags containing pens, notebooks, tourist information and other assorted items. St. Louis spent \$11,300 and Atlanta spent \$15,000 for these items.

In addition to the above, other convention related expenses such as full time free transportation service to all I.A.C.P. activities; providing tours and activities for wives of attending delegates; hosting VIP's and dignitaries at social functions, etc., all are incumbent upon this Department.

Obviously such funding is not available in the Department's Budget, nor would this be an appropriate expenditure of City revenues. Past I.A.C.P. Host Cities have all informed Citizen Fund Raising Committees to raise the required Convention-related expenses. Police Commissioner Richard Kughn has graciously consented to chair the Detroit Fund Raising Committee. Executives of the Campbell-Ewald Advertising Agency are coordinating a luncheon meeting of prospective corporate, business and community donors to be held on Monday, February 21, 1983 at the Westin Hotel.

In order to secure the commitment of these donors towards making substantial contributions, it is imperative that all donations be tax-exempt. The Department is working in close cooperation with the Finance and Budget Departments to ensure that proper procedures are established for receipt, disbursement and final accounting of all donations received. The Department has also requested the assistance of the Finance Department in formulating the mechanism for proper tax-exemption of all funds received.

In summary, the City of Detroit successfully bid in 1977 to host the 1983 I.A.C.P. Convention to be held on October 1-6, 1983. Certain financial responsibilities were an inherent part of accepting the bid. A Citizens Fund Raising Committee has been established to assist the Department in raising those funds necessary from private sources.

Therefore, I respectfully request that your Honorable Body authorize the establishment of a separate account into which these donated funds will be deposited for the required expenditures outlined herein which will be made by

and at the discretion of the local Host Committee.

This I.A.C.P. Convention is of major importance to the continued growth of our City as a leading convention center. The anticipated 2-3 million dollars in revenues are significant. Of even greater importance however will be the positive effect of having the police chiefs from every city and state in this country experience first hand the true image of Detroit and personally convey that image back to their respective jurisdictions.

I cannot overstate the importance of this matter. Accordingly my office and staff will be immediately available to provide any additional information you might require.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM L. HART
Chief of Police

Approved:

WALTER I. STECHER
Budget Director
BELLA MARSHALL
Finance Director

By Council Member Ravitz:

Resolved, That the Detroit Police Department be and is hereby authorized to graciously accept gifts from the I.A.C.P. Citizens Fund Raising Committee and other sources to defray costs to be incurred by the local host committee for the 1983 I.A.C.P. convention; and be it further

Resolved, That the Finance Director be and is hereby authorized to establish appropriations up to the amount of the gifts, and establish an imprest cash account administered by the Host Committee at its discretion, in accordance with the foregoing communication and this resolution.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Eberhard, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz and President Pro Tem Hood — 7.

Nays — None.

Department of Public Works

February 15, 1983

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 1021. Merit Auto Parts and Salvage, et al. Request to temporarily close Dwyer Avenue north of East McNichols.

We are returning herewith Petition No. 1021 of Merit Auto Parts and Salvage, et al requesting that Dwyer Avenue between the alley north of McNichols and the Con Rail right-of-way northerly thereof, and the east half of the 16 feet wide alley west of Dwyer.

The temporary closing was approved by the Community and Economic Development Department.

All City departments and privately owned utilities have reported that they have no objections to the proposed closing as long as the resolution grants them rights of ingress and egress to their facilities.

An appropriate resolution is attached for consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,
LOUIS W. KLEI
City Engineer

Approved:
JAMES W. WATTS
Director

By Council Member Kelley:

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to issue permits to Merit Auto Parts and Salvage, et al to close Dwyer Avenue 51 feet wide, between the north line of the 16 feet wide east-west alley first north of East McNichols and the Con Rail right-of-way northerly thereof; and to close the east-half of the east-west alley second north of East McNichols, said alley having been platted as the southerly 16 feet of Lot 141 both inclusive of "Berman and Friedman's North Detroit Subdivision" of the S.W. ¼ of Section 9, T. 1S., R. 12E., Hamtramck Township, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 35, Page 17, Plats, Wayne County records; on a temporary basis for a period of five (5) years to expire on March 1, 1988;

Provided, petitioner furnishes an agreement, in form approved by the Law Department, saving and protecting the City of Detroit harmless from any and all claims, damages or expenses that may arise by reason of the issuance of said permit, and providing for the faithful performance by the grantee of the terms hereof, and files same with the Finance Department, and further

Provided, That said permit shall be issued only after a certified copy of this resolution has been duly recorded in the office of the Wayne County Register of Deeds by and at the permittee's expense, and further

Provided, The grantee shall acquire no implied or other privileges not expressly stated herein; and further

Provided, That no building or other structure is constructed in said street and alley; that petitioner shall observe the rules of the Department of Public Works, and further subject to the following provisions:

The City of Detroit remains all rights and interests in the area herein temporarily closed;

The City and all utility companies retain their rights to establish, maintain, and service any utilities in said area of

temporarily closed street and alley,

Provided, That at the expiration of said permit, all obstructions therein shall be removed at the expense of the grantee, and the public property affected shall be restored to a condition satisfactory to the City Engineering Division, by and at the permittee's expense, and further

Provided, This resolution is revocable at the will, whim, or caprice of the City Council, and further that grantee acquires no implied or other privileges hereunder, not expressly stated herein.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Eberhard, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz, and President Pro Tem. Hood — 7.

Nays — None.

Department of Public Works

February 11, 1983

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 787, M.R.W. Land Company. Request to temporarily close the easterly half of the east-west alley south of Gratiot between Baldwin and Seyburn Avenues.

We are returning herewith Petition No. 787 of the M.R.W. Land Company requesting the conversion of the above described alley to a public utility easement. Subsequently, the petitioner has requested that his petition be changed to a request to close the alley on a temporary basis.

The temporary closing was approved by the Community and Economic Development Department.

All City departments and privately owned utility companies have reported that they have no objections to the proposed closing as long as the resolution grants them right of ingress and egress to their facilities.

An appropriate resolution is attached for consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,
LOUIS W. KLEI
City Engineer

Approved:
JAMES W. WATTS, Director
Department of Public Works
By Council Member Kelley:

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to issue permits to the M.R.W. Land Company to close the easterly half of the east-west alley, 20 feet wide, south of Gratiot, between Baldwin and Seyburn abutting the rear line of Lots 3 to 10 and the northwesterly line of Lots 58 and 59 all inclusive of Potter's Subdivision as recorded in Liber 16, Page 90, Plats, Wayne