

By Councilman Bradley:

Resolved, That the Department of Police be and is hereby authorized and directed to abolish the taxicab stand on the east side of Woodward avenue, adjoining the First National Bank building.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Walters and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

**Temporary Buildings**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of the Detroit Lumber Co. (1165), to maintain a temporary real estate office at 10918 Grand River Avenue for office purposes. After consultation with the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering, and consideration of the matter, your committee recommends that permission be granted to continue the use of the building until the expiration of the permit, December 30, 1928. We therefore offer the following resolution

Respectfully submitted,  
W. P. BRADLEY,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Bradley:

Resolved, That the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue a permit to the Detroit Lumber Company to maintain temporary building at 10918 Grand River Avenue for office purposes until December 30, 1928, under the same terms and provisions of resolution granting the use of this building as a real estate office.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Walters and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

**Vacation of Alley**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Swift & Co. (1117), relative to the vacation of portion of alley in the block bounded by Gratiot Avenue, Adelaide Street and Dequindre Street and requesting that a change be made in the description due to an error in the original plat, also that the grade separation provisions be made more specific as to the property affected. After consultation with the City Engineer, your committee recommends

that the request be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. P. BRADLEY,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Bradley:

Resolved, That resolution adopted November 15, 1927 (J. C. C. p. 3221), vacating a portion of the alley in block bounded by Gratiot Avenue, Dequindre and Adelaide Streets be and the same is hereby rescinded for the purpose of correction.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Walters and the President—9.  
Nays—None.

By Councilman Bradley:

Resolved, That "all that part of public alley, 20 ft. wide, lying north of Gratiot ave. and east of Dequindre st., described as follows: beginning at the northwesterly corner of lot 1, block 13, of the Plat of the Subdivision of blocks 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, Witherell Farm as recorded in Liber 34, page 3 of Deeds of Wayne County Records; thence along the northerly line of lots 1 and 2, block 13 of said subdivision N. 46 deg. 56 min. E. 70.81 ft. to the northeasterly corner of said lot 2; thence along the easterly line of said lot 2 extended northwesterly N. 56 deg. 47 min. W. 10.30 ft. to a point in the center line of alley herein described; thence along said line N. 46 deg. 56 min. E. 6.84 ft. to a point on the easterly line extended southerly of the westerly 25 ft. of lot 7, block 13, of last mentioned subdivision; thence along said line N. 26 deg. W. 10.47 ft. to a point on the southerly line of said lot 7; thence along the southerly line of lots 7 and 8, block 13 of last mentioned subdivision S. 46 deg. 56 min. W. 72.07 ft. to a point on the easterly line of Dequindre st., as now established; thence along said line S. 26 deg. E. 20.92 ft. to the place of beginning," be and the same is hereby vacated to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property.

Provided, Petitioner files with the City Clerk within 30 days from the date of the adoption of this resolution an agreement in writing waiving all grade separation damages which may accrue to them affecting vacated alley and "Lots 1 and 2 and the westerly 40 ft. of lot 3, and lot 8 and the westerly 25 ft. of lot 7, of last mentioned subdivision," and further

Provided, Petitioner bears the entire expense of relocating or rerouting any public utilities now installed in said alleys which it may be necessary to remove, due to the closing of same, and further



Provided, That by reason of the vacation of the above described alley the City of Detroit does not waive any rights in the lateral sewer located in alley aforesaid and shall at all times have the right to enter upon the premises if found necessary on account of said sewer to repair same, and provided further that petitioner shall not build over the above described alley without first securing the approval of the City Engineer and the Board of Health, and further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby directed to execute quit claim deed covering the property herein vacated.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Walters and the President—9.

Nays—None.

**Vacation of Strips of Land**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petitions of John F. Schneider (9379), and John Gleason (1178), to purchase strips of land at Vernor Highway and Michigan ave. and Vernor Highway and Sixth st., respectively. After consultation with the City Plan Commission, your committee recommends that further consideration of the matters be indefinitely postponed.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. P. BRADLEY,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Vacation of Strip of Land**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Simon Arduino, et al (1175), for the vacation of a strip of land in block bounded by Harper, May, Peter Hunt and McClellan avenues. After consultation with the City Plan Commission and the Corporation Counsel, and careful consideration of the request, your committee recommends that same be denied.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. P. BRADLEY,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Widening Alley**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of John Hobasian, et al (10096), for the widening of alley north of McGraw

ave. between Homedale and Addison avenues. After consultation with the City Plan Commission, and inasmuch as the majority of the interested property owners object to paying for this improvement, your committee recommends that further consideration of the matter be indefinitely postponed.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. P. BRADLEY,  
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

**Finance**

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred the following communications from various departments requesting the transfer of funds, approval of contracts, vouchers, etc. After consultation with the City Controller and the interested department heads, and consideration of the requests, your committee recommends that same be granted in accordance with the accompanying resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. P. BRADLEY,  
Chairman.

**Controller**

March 27th, 1928.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Honorable Body is requested to authorize the cancellation of \$12,000.00 in authorized and unissued bonds approved for the construction of a heating plant in connection with the new Art Museum as this project has been abandoned.

Respectfully submitted,  
P. L. MONTEITH,  
Controller.

By Councilman Bradley:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cancel \$12,000.00 in authorized and unissued bonds for the construction of a heating plant in connection with the new Art Museum.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield, Walters and the President—9.

Nays—None.

**City Treasurer**

March 28, 1928.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter and resolutions of your Honorable Body, I have advertised and sold the following