

Brothers, Incorporated, of New York City, N. Y.

Copy of this agreement is herewith attached, which is self-explanatory.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. MILLEN,  
Director.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Be it Resolved that the contract entered into by the Detroit Zoological Park Commission with the firm of Hagenbeck Brothers, Incorporated, of New York City, be and is hereby confirmed, provided that this contract shall continue in effect only at the pleasure of said Commission and may be cancelled or rescinded by the Detroit Zoological Park Commission without cause shown, in its sole discretion, and in no event shall it continue in effect for a period of longer than one year from the date hereof.

Be It Further Resolved, that the City Controller be and is hereby directed to honor the vouchers submitted by the Detroit Zoological Park Commission in payment to said firm of Hagenbeck Brothers, Incorporated, as is set forth in the above mentioned contract.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None

House of Correction

March 21, 1929

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—The funds in Appropriation 4-D Laundry Supplies have been depleted, and in order to carry on the activities in our Laundry for the balance of the Fiscal Year, we respectfully request that you transfer the sum of \$1,200.00 from Account 8-R Replacement of Garage and Heating Plant, in which there is an unexpended balance, to Account 4-DD Additional Laundry Supplies.

Kindly direct the Controller to make this transfer at an early date and oblige.

Respectfully yours,  
EDW. DENNISTON,  
Superintendent.

Approved as to funds.  
P. L. MONTEITH,  
City Controller.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$1,200 from account 8-R Replacement of Garages and Heating Plant in the House of Correction Fund to account 4-DD Additional Laundry Supplies in the same fund.

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 the Detroit Edison Co. (7539), protesting against the grade separation waiver provisions in resolution vacating a portion of the alley in the block bounded by Vernor Highway, Bellevue, Kercheval and Beaufait streets. After consultation with the Commissioner of Public Works, and further consideration of the matter, your committee recommends that petitioner be required to file a grade separation waiver covering the vacated alley only, and we therefore offer the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
ARTHUR E. DINGEMAN,  
Chairman.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That resolution adopted March 12, 1929 ( J. C. C., p. 616), vacating a portion of the alley in the block bounded by Vernor Highway, Bellevue, Kercheval and Beaufait streets on petition of the Detroit Edison Company (5261), be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield and Walters—8.

Nays—None.

The president was excused from voting.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That "the east 1/2 of 20 ft. public alley, adjoining the westerly line of lots 32 and 33 of Dupont's Subdivision of the north 1/2 of lot 21, Meldrum Farm, and lots 81, 82, 83 and 34, Subdivision of lot 5, also part of lot 4, Beaufait Farm, as recorded in Liber 3, page 49 of Plats of Wayne County Records," 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 any and all claims for damages which may accrue to alley herein vacated by reason of the separation of grades, and further

Provided, Petitioners agree to pay into the City Treasury whatever expense may have been incurred by the



City in the matter of paving, curbing, crosswalks, sidewalks, etc., within the lines of street and alley herein vacated as may be certified by the City Engineer, and further

Provided, Petitioner reimburses the owners to the extent of the value of any utilities now installed in said alleys, which it may be necessary to abandon, due to the closing of same, or bears the entire expense of relocating or rerouting any public utilities now installed in said alley, which it may be necessary to relocate or reroute due to the closing of same, and further

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

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Callahan, Castator, Dingeman, Ewald, Kronk, Littlefield and Walters—8.

Nays—None.

The president was excused from voting.

### RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved that the Department of Public Works be and is herewith requested to consider the advisability of paving all of the public alley in the block bounded by Charlevoix, Mack, Marlborough and Philip Avenues, under the forced paving clause of the City Charter.

Adopted.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That the Department of Street Railways be and is hereby requested to pave between the car tracks on Woodward avenue between the Six Mile Road and the Eight Mile Road during the coming construction season.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, that the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to consider the advisability of paving T alley in block bounded by 12th, Woodrow Wilson, Waverly and Davison Avenues, under the forced paving clause of the city charter.

Adopted.

By Councilman Castator:

Whereas, It has been the custom of the City of Detroit for a number of years to suspend business on Good Friday between the hours of 12 noon and 3:00 p. m. in order that all who desire may attend religious services, therefore be it

Resolved, That our business and manufacturing concerns be requested to continue this custom and that as far as possible all business be discontinued on Good Friday, March 29th, 1929, between the hours of 12 noon and 3 p. m. in order that such employees and officials in commercial, manufacturing and other concerns as desire, may have the opportunity to attend religious services which have been arranged to take place during those hours in practically all of the churches and in many of the theatres of the city, and be it further

Resolved, That the various city offices be closed on Good Friday, March 29th, 1929, from 12 noon for the remainder of the day, and that all employees of the city desiring to attend church services on that day be permitted to do so without any reduction of wages.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to consider the advisability of paving Stansbury avenue from Grand River to Schoolcraft aves. under the forced paving clause of the city charter.

Adopted.

By Councilman Dingeman:

Resolved, That the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue permits as follows:

Michael Girard (owner in fee of the premises herein referred to), for the construction of a one-story building 15 ft. by 24 ft. by 14 ft. high upon the premises known as the north side of Gratiot between State Fair and Rossini Drive, being lot 52 of Mohican Heights Sub.

Frank E. Logan (owner in fee of the premises herein referred to) (renewal) for the construction of a one-story building 16 ft. by 32 ft. by 10 ft. high upon the premises known as 12580 Grand River Ave. between Meyers and Pinehurst, being lots 17-18 of Moore & Veale sub.

Outer Drive Corporation (owner in fee of the premises herein referred to)