

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Dorais, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—8.

Nays—None.

Vacation of Alley

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of B. A. Murback et al (6003), for the vacation of the east and west alley in the block bounded by Vernor Highway, Fourth, Fifth and Henry Sts. After consultation with the City Plan Commission, and careful consideration of the request, your committee recommends that same be granted in accordance with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
EUGENE I. VAN ANTWERP,
Chairman.

By Councilman Van Antwerp:

Resolved, that all of east and west public alley, 17 feet wide lying in block bounded by Fifth Street, Fourth Avenue, Vernor Highway and Henry Street more particularly described as the southerly 8.5 feet of said east and west public alley lying north of and adjoining the northerly line of Lots 7 and 8 Block 66 of Plat of Sub'n. of the Jones Farm South of Grand River Road as recorded in Liber 1, Page 184 of Plats of Wayne County Records.

Also the northerly 8.5 feet of said east and west public alley lying south of and adjoining the southerly line of Lots 9 and 10 Block 66 of last mentioned Subdivision.

Be and the same are hereby vacated to become parts and parcels of the adjoining property.

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

Provided, Petitioners pay to the City Treasurer the sum of \$39.70, to reimburse the City for the cost of paving the alley intersection at the alley herein vacated, said sum to be credited to General Road Fund Revenue, and further

Resolved, that upon compliance with the above provisos, the City Controller be and is hereby directed to issue Quit Claim Deeds to the First National Bank, Detroit, a U. S. Banking Corporation and to Benjamin A. Murback and Marguerite Murback,

his wife, as owners in fee of adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Dorais, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—8.

Nays—None.

By Councilman Van Antwerp:

Whereas, May 30th and July 4th fall on Thursday this year, and

Whereas, the granting of leaves of absence to city employes on Friday, May 31st or July 5th would permit them to have a long week-end, therefore be it

Resolved, that the City Departments be and they are hereby requested, so far as possible, to arrange a schedule whereby each employe will be given a leave of absence on May 31st or July 5th.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Dorais, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—8.

Nays—None.

RESOLUTIONS

By Councilman Hamilton:

Resolved, That the City Plan Commission and Corporation Counsel be and they are hereby instructed to prepare zoning ordinances complying with the provisions of the proposed general zoning ordinance, to cover the property on Parker ave. between Jefferson and Lafayette aves, and all streets east of Parker ave. to and including Burns ave., between Jefferson and Mack aves., and the property between Jefferson ave. and the Detroit River from Piper to Philip aves. inclusive, and further

Resolved, That the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering be and it is hereby authorized and directed not to issue any building permits for these districts which do not conform to the provisions of the proposed general zoning ordinance.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dingeman, Dorais, Ewald, Garlick, Hamilton, Lodge, Van Antwerp, and the President—8.

Nays—None.

By Councilman Lodge:

Whereas, the Detroit Free Press, celebrated on May 5, the 109th year of its existence; and,

Whereas, this historic institution of journalism has been on guard to preserve and to protect the best interests of our community—even before Michigan was entered in to the Union as a state; and,

Whereas, the time has now come when Edward D. Stair, who has