

man (7362), for approval of plats. Same having been approved by the City Plan Commission and City Engineer, resolution approving said plats is attached.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY S. SWEENY,
Chairman.

By Councilman Sweeny:

Resolved, That "Plat of Adolf Ros-
sel Sub. of lots 13 and 14 of George
H. Prentis Sub. of part of the rear
concession of P.C. 122 City of Detroit,
Wayne County, Michigan", and

"Plat of Joseph Holtzman Sub. of
part of P. C. 404, City of Detroit,
Wayne County, Michigan",

be and the same are hereby ap-
proved, and the Commissioner of
Public Works be and he is hereby
directed to sign and approve said
plats.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dorais, Garlick,
LoJge, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the
President—6.

Nays—None.

Zoning Ordinance

To the Honorable, the Common
Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of
the Whole were referred petitions
of Ben Fingeroot (7579), change zon-
ing from R2 to B2, east side Sher-
wood between Strong and Harper,
Frank J. Jankowski, et al (7583),
change zoning from R2 to ML, west
side French Road between Mc-
Nichols and Mt. Olivet, and J. J.
Jankowski (7321), change zoning
from R2 to ML, south side McNichols
Road between French Rd. and Van
Dyke. After consultation with the
City Plan Commission and careful
consideration of the matters, your
committee recommends that same be
denied.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY S. SWEENY,
Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Vacation of Alley

To the Honorable, the Common
Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of
the Whole was referred petition of
Standard Steel Treating Co. (6528),
for the vacation of an alley at the
southwest corner of Lovett and Tor-
rey aves. After consultation with the
City Plan Commission, and careful
consideration of the matter, your
committee recommends that the
petition be granted in accordance
with the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY SWEENY,
Chairman.

By Councilman Sweeny:

Resolved, that all that part of
north and south public alley in block
bounded by 28th Street, Lovett, Mich-

igan Avenues and Torrey Street more
particularly described as all of said
north and south public alley, 20 feet
wide lying west of and adjoining the
westerly line of Lots 12, 13 and 14 of
Plat of Scotten & Lovetts' Subdivision
of that part of Private Claim 583
North of Michigan Avenue, lying be-
tween the center of Michigan and
Torrey Avenues and the center of
Lovett Avenue and the west line of
said Private Claim 583, Springwells,
Wayne County, Michigan, T. 2 S. R.
11 E., as recorded in Liber 9, Page 6
of Plats of Wayne County Records.

Be and the same is hereby vacated
to become part and parcel of ad-
joining property.

Provided, Stephen Safko and An-
drew Safko as owners in fee deed to
the City of Detroit a triangular por-
tion of Lot 3 of Plat of People's Sub-
division of part of Private Claim 583
Springwells, Wayne County, Michigan,
T. 2 S. R. 11 E., as recorded in Liber
4, Page 28 of Plats of Wayne County
Records more particularly described
as Beginning at a point, said point
being the extreme southwest corner
of said Lot 3; thence along the west-
erly line of said Lot North 28 degrees
West 7.24 feet to a point; thence
along a line South 89 degrees 32 min-
utes East 15.66 feet to a point in
the southerly line of said Lot; thence
along said southerly line South 62 de-
grees west 13.89 feet to the point of
beginning.

To be used for alley purposes, and
further

Provided, petitioners deposit with
the Permit Division of the Depart-
ment of Public Works, the sum of
\$356.03 to reimburse the city for the
original cost of paving Torrey Street
at intersection of alley herein va-
cated, said sum to apply on the cost
of removing the return, rebuilding
curbing and sidewalk at said inter-
section, and further

Provided, petitioners pay into the
City Treasury the sum of \$115.00, said
sum being the estimated cost of re-
moving Public Lighting Commission
equipment from alley herein vacated,
said sum to be credited to P.L.C. Ac-
count No. 9, and further

Provided; 1. That by reason of the
vacation of the above described alley,
the City of Detroit does not waive
any rights in the lateral sewer lo-
cated therein and shall at all times
have the right to enter upon the
premises, if found necessary, on ac-
count of said sewer to repair same.
2. A manhole is to be constructed at
petitioners expense, at the southerly
end of alley herein vacated. 3. If a
building is to be constructed over
said sewer, the same is to be replaced
with 18 inch cast iron pipe under
such building. Plans of which are to
be submitted to the City Engineer
and to the Department of Buildings
and Safety Engineering for approval.

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4. All the work to be done under City's supervision and inspection, and further

Provided, petitioners reimburse the owners to the extent of the value of any utilities now installed in said alley which it may be necessary to abandon due to the closing of said alley or bear 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 upon compliance with the above provisos the City Controller be and is hereby directed to issue Quit Claim Deed to Stephen Safko and Andrew Safko, co-partners doing business as Standard Steel Treating Company, as owners in fee of adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:
Yeas—Councilmen Dorais, Garlick, Lodge, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—6.
Nays—None.

RESOLUTIONS

By Councilman Dorais:

Resolved, that James M. Berry, 5219 Nottingham Ave., be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Wayne County Board of Supervisors to succeed Peter J. Drexelius, deceased.

Adopted as follows:
Yeas—Councilmen Dorais, Garlick, Lodge, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—6.
Nays—None.

By Councilman Sweeny:

Whereas, under date of February 11, 1941 (J. C. C., p. 306) a resolution was adopted authorizing and directing the City Controller to bid at the so-called "Scavenger Sale" for certain parcels of real estate to be used by the City for public purposes; and

Whereas, said resolution has been amended from time to time, and made reference to certain exhibits containing a list of descriptions of properties for which a bid was to be entered; and

Whereas, one of the parcels for which the Controller was given authority to bid was included at the request of the Parks and Recreation Commission, to be used for a recreational center; and

Whereas, because of a large tax accumulation on this parcel, it would appear to be inequitable for the City to enter a bid for the full amount of the delinquent taxes, as this would create a situation which would compel the owner of the property to either lose the same or to bid an excessive sum because of previous valuations placed on the property which have now been corrected; and

Whereas, the owner of this parcel

has requested that the same be omitted from the list of properties for which a bid is to be entered by the Controller; and

Whereas, the Parks and Recreation Commission has withdrawn its request to bid upon said property.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the property located at Lahser Road and Seven Mile Road, described as:

North Seven Mile Road—S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of except North 129.82 ft. of West 638 ft. and except South 625 ft. of West 297 feet and except South 147 ft. of East 110 ft., lying north of and adjoining Seven Mile Road East of and adjoining Lahser Road, Section 3, T. 1 S., R. 10 E.

be stricken from the list of properties for which the Controller is to enter a bid.

Approved as to form:

JOHN H. WITHERSPOON,
Acting Corporation Counsel.

Adopted as follows:
Yeas—Councilmen Dorais, Garlick, Lodge, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—6.
Nays—None.

And the Council then adjourned until 11:00 A. M. Thursday, July 17, 1941.

JOHN W. SMITH,
President.

THOMAS D. LEADBETTER,
City Clerk.

CHARTER AMENDMENT No. 18

(File in container and make notation after Sec. 4(a) on page 166 City Charter.)

A bill to amend Chapter IV, Title VI of the Charter of the City of Detroit adopted by the people of the City of Detroit on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1918 and filed on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1918.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN AND THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF DETROIT ENACT:

Section 4-B. Whenever the last day for the payment of taxes or assessments without addition of interest falls on a Sunday or a legal holiday, said taxes or assessments may be paid on the next succeeding business day without additional interest.

(Adopted November 5, 1940. In effect November 15, 1940.)