

Plats

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Seldon & Johnson, Inc. (4406), for approval of plat of Rugby Blvd. Sub. No. 1. Said plat having been approved by the City Plan Commission and City Engineer, your committee recommends that the petition be granted, and offers the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED C. CASTATOR,
 Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That "Plat of Rugby Boulevard Subdivision No. 1 of part of the S. E. ¼, Sec. 12, T. 1 S., R. 10 E., Detroit, Wayne County, Mich." be and the same is hereby approved, and the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to sign and approve said plat.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Cody, Comstock, Dorais, Rcgell Sweeny, Van An'warp. and the President—8.

Nays—None.

Special Assessments

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Kenneth V. Bradley, et al (4609), for cancellation of assessment on Lot 110, Melrose Blvd. Sub., for paving Winthrop Ave. After consultation with the Corporation Counsel, and careful consideration of the matter, your committee recommends that the petition be denied.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED C. CASTATOR,
 Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Vacation of Tyrone Ave. and Alleys

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole was referred petition of Salem Lutheran Church (4179), for the vacation of Tyrone Ave. between Moross Road and Canyon Ave. and alleys in the block bounded by Tyrone, Moross Road, Chester and Canyon 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,
FRED C. CASTATOR,
 Chairman.

By Councilman Castator:

Resolved, That all of Tyrone Avenue, 30 feet wide, between Chester Ave. and Moross Road, and all of

public alleys 20 feet wide in block bounded by Chester Avenue, Moross Road, and Tyrone Avenue, and more particularly described as all of Tyrone Avenue, 30 feet wide, as platted in Tyrone Manor Subdivision of part of lot 32 and that part of Widow's Dower lying northerly of said lot of partition plat of Magloire Moross Estate of part of P. C. 123, as recorded in Liber 59, Page 84 of Plats of Wayne County Records and lying between the northerly line of Canyon Avenue, 66 feet wide as hereinafter established, and the southerly line of Moross Road, 204 feet wide as widened and as now established;

Also, all of public alleys, 20 feet wide, as platted in Tyrone Manor Subn. heretofore mentioned and lying between the easterly line of Tyrone Avenue above described and herein vacated, and a line, said line being the easterly line of lot 7 of above mentioned subdivision extended northerly;

Also, all of public alleys, 20 feet wide, as platted in Yorkshire Woods Subn. No. 5, of lot 31 and part of lot 30 and that part of Widow's Dower lying northerly of said lots of partition plat of Magloire Moross Estate of part of P. C. 123. Gratiot Twp., as recorded in Liber 48, Page 79 of Plats of Wayne County Records, and lying easterly of a line, said line being the westerly line of lot 1060, extended northerly, of last mentioned subn., between Chester Avenue, 86 feet wide and Moross Road, 204 feet wide, as widened and as now established:

Be and the same are hereby vacated as public street and alleys to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property,

Provided, owners in fee deed to the City of Detroit the southerly 33 feet of the easterly 155.75 feet, more or less, of lot 32 of the subn. of the estate of M. Moross, Private Claim 123, said land lying between the westerly line, extended southerly, of Tyrone Avenue, 30 feet wide, herein vacated, and the easterly line, extended southerly, to Canyon Avenue of lot 7 of Victor Look's Subn. of part of lot 32 and that part of Widow's Dower lying northerly of said lot of partition of Magloire Moross Estate of part of P. C. 123, City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 61, Page 86 of Plats of Wayne County Records, to be used for street purposes and to be known as Canyon Avenue, and further,

Provided, petitioners reimburse the owners to the extent of the value of any utilities now installed in said street and alleys which it may be necessary to abandon due to the closing of the same or bear the en-

the expense of relocating or rerouting any public utilities now installed in said street and alleys which it may be necessary to relocate or reroute due to the closing of the same, and further.

Resolved. That upon compliance with the above provisos the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to issue a Quit Claim deed to Salem Lutheran Church, a Michigan Corporation, as owners in fee of the adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Cody, Comstock, Dorais, Rogell, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—8.
Nays—None.

MONDAY, APRIL 16

Chairman Van Antwerp submitted the following reports of Committee of the Whole for above date, and recommended their adoption:

Scavenger Property

To the Honorable, The Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred petitions of Chas. L. Kendrick (4457), Lupton-Sherk Co. (4456), and John Rascona (4340), requesting release for sale by the State Land Office Board of certain property on E. Jefferson between Ripelle and Rivard, W. Elizabeth and Fourth St., and on Brady between Russell and Rivard Sts. After consultation with the City Plan Commission, and careful consideration of same, your committee recommends that the petitions be denied.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE I. VAN ANTWERP,

Chairman.

Accepted and adopted.

Finance

To the Honorable, The Common Council:

Gentlemen—To your Committee of the Whole were referred the following communications from city departments requesting the transfer of funds, approving of contracts, vouchers, etc. After consultation with the City Controller, and careful consideration of the requests, your committee recommends that same be approved, in accordance with the accompanying resolutions.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE I. VAN ANTWERP,

Chairman.

Controller

April 11, 1945.

To the Honorable, The Common Council:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Honorable Common Council held April 3, 1945, a resolution was adopt-

ed authorizing the purchase of \$648,000 U. S. Treasury Discount Bills for the Water Board Interest Fund.

In accordance with that resolution purchase has been made as of April 6, 1945 as follows:

\$189,000 U. S. Treasury Discount Bills, due May 10, 1945 at \$99.96669444 \$188,937.52. New York Bank charge, \$1.50; teletype charge, \$.90; total, \$188,939.92.

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\$93,000 U. S. Treasury Discount Bills due May 24, 1945 at \$99.9533333, \$92,956.60; teletype charge, \$.90; total, \$92,957.50.

Yield .35.

\$366,000 U. S. Treasury Discount Bills due June 7, 1945 at \$99.9397222, \$365,779.28; New York Bank charge, \$1.50; teletype charge, \$.90; total, \$365,781.78. Grand total \$647,679.20.

Yield .35.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES G. OAKMAN,

Controller.

By Councilman Van Antwerp:

Resolved, That purchase of U. S. Treasury Discount Bills for the Water Board Interest Fund, as outlined in the foregoing communication, be and the same is hereby confirmed.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Castator, Cody, Comstock, Dorais, Rogell, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—8.

Nays—None.

Corporation Counsel

April 4, 1945.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—In the 1944-45 budget your Honorable Body appropriated the sum of \$4,000.00 in Account 25AAA-1 — Contractual Services — White Star Line Property; \$11,000.00 in Account 25J Materials and Services; and \$500.00 in Account 25W—Advertising. Funds in the above-mentioned accounts are now exhausted and additional appropriations will be necessary to defray expenses for the balance of the fiscal year.

The Contractual Services Account for the White Star Line Property has been depleted because it has been necessary to maintain heat for the Navy Club seven days a week; consequently, boiler operators were paid double time for the seventh day, since the adoption of the new ordinance August 17, 1944. Increase in expenditures in the Materials and Services Account was due to repairs made on a number of foreclosed properties retained for future public use, which amounted to more than anticipated in order to comply with building code regulations. In the Advertising Account more real estate signs had to be ordered due to the large number of vacant lots being