

August 31

Total Funds Required \$25,550.00, Account No. 911-2190-1425.

PW-648—Amount of Bid \$23,745.70, Total Funds Required \$24,300.00, Account No. 911-2190-1426.

PW-651—Amount of Bid \$7,739.50, Total Funds Required \$7,900.00, Account No. 911-2190-1427.

PW-652—Amount of Bid \$10,905.90, Total Funds Required \$11,175.00, Account No. 911-2190-1428.

It is further recommended that the Controller be authorized and directed to set up the necessary accounts to cover the cost of these contracts and the cost of advertising, inspection, and contingencies.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS C. HANSON,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Garlick:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with the bidder as listed above; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to honor vouchers when presented and to charge them against the accounts named in the foregoing communication, the vouchers to include the cost of advertising, inspection, and contingency items, as well as the contract costs; and be it further

Resolved, That from cash not immediately required for capital improvement appropriations, there be loaned to the special assessment revolving fund the total amount of the above approved contracts, such loan to be repaid from special assessments levied against the benefitted district or property or from the proceeds of Special Assessment Bonds payable from such special assessments.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Edgecomb, Garlick, Kronk, Smith and the President—5.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

August 24, 1948.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—We are returning herewith petition of Gloria Dei Church (No. 7597) and now known as Cross of Glory Evangelical Lutheran Church, requesting the vacation of a surplus portion of Kelly Road between State Fair Avenue and Rossini Drive, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a monument marking the southeast corner of Lot 42 of John Lambrecht's Golfhurst Subdivision of part of northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ Fractional Section 6, T. 1S, R. 13 E, City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 61 of Plats, Page 29, Wayne County rec-

ords; thence N. 30 degrees 03'E 268.27 feet along the east line of Lots 42 to 54, both inclusive, of said subdivision to a monument marking the northeast corner of said Lot 54; thence S. 59 degrees, 58' 30" E. 27.66 feet along the southerly line of Rossini Drive 60 feet wide as now established and produced easterly; thence S. 26 degrees, 21' 10" W. 244.18 feet along and westerly line of Kelly Road as hereby established; thence N. 89 degrees, 29' 50" W. 49.89 feet along the north line of State Fair Avenue 76 feet wide as now established and produced easterly.

The vacation of this portion of Kelly Road was approved by the Board of Wayne County Road Commissioners on May 13, 1948, and by the City Plan Commission in their communication to your Honorable Body of July 1, 1948, and the petition was then referred to this office by your Committee of the Whole for investigation and report.

We wish to advise that all of our investigations have been completed.

On August 23, 1948, the petitioner deposited with the City Treasurer the sum of \$3,000.00, Receipt No. 19021, credited to the Department of Water Supply, Code No. 601-9300-0-6290-908, said amount being the estimated cost of relocating the water main in said portion of Kelly Road to be vacated.

All other City departments and private utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the vacation of said strip of street or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioners regarding their installations therein.

In view of the above, we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS C. HANSON,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Kronk:

Resolved, That all that part of Kelly Road between State Fair Avenue and Rossini Drive, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a monument marking the southeast corner of Lot 42 of John Lambrecht's Golfhurst Subdivision of part of northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ Fractional Section 6, T. 1S, R. 13 E, City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 61 of Plats, Page 29, Wayne County records; thence N. 30 degrees, 03' E. 268.27 feet along the east line of lots 42 to 54, both inclusive, of said subdivision to a monument marking the northeast corner of said Lot 54; thence S. 59 degrees, 58' 30" E. 27.66 feet along the southerly line of Rossini Drive 60 feet wide as now established and produced easterly; thence S. 26 degrees, 21' 10" W. 244.18 feet along the westerly line of Kelly Road as here-

by established; thence N. 89 degrees, 29'50" W. 49.89 feet along the north line of State Fair Avenue, 76 feet wide as now established and produced easterly. Be and the same is hereby vacated as a public road to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Edgecomb, Garklick, Kronk, Smith and the President—5.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

August 30, 1948

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—We are returning herewith several petitions requesting the forced construction of sidewalks on various streets.

Petition No. 1610—William V. Stack.

Petition No. 2047—Samit Building Co.

Petition No. 2049—Shelby Builders Inc.

Petition No. 2681—Lincoln Construction Co.

Petition No. 2685—Samit Building Co.

Petition No. 2817—Coster-Kitti Construction Co.

Lot 311, East side Grandmont between Diversey and Tireman, side on Diversey.

Lot 27, South side Joy Road between Ashton and Rosemont, side on Rosemont Ave.

Lot 26, South side Joy Road between Rosemont and Penrod, side on Rosemont Ave.

Lots 207, 214 and 215, East side of Rosemont between Van Buren and Joy Road.

Lots 232, 233 and 237, West side of Rosemont between Van Buren and Constance.

Lot 98, East side of Stout between Wadsworth and Capitol, side on Capitol.

* Lot 50, South side of Tireman between Grandmont and Abington, side on Grandmont.

Lot 51, South side of Tireman between Grandmont and Woodmont, side on Grandmont.

Lots 51, 53, 56, 57 and 58, East side of Artesian between Tireman and Belton, 51 front and side on Belton.

In compliance with Ordinance 107-D, we have checked tax records in the City Treasurer's Office to ascertain if any general taxes or special assessments are delinquent in the proposed sidewalk districts, and report all taxes paid.

As these are original sidewalks and can only be ordered constructed by formal resolution as a forced account under the provisions of Chapter 264, of the compiled Ordinances of 1945,

we recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM L. HENDRICK,
Secretary.

By Councilman Kronk:

The Common Council of the City of Detroit deems it necessary to construct or reconstruct artificial stone, cement or concrete sidewalks, crosswalks, or driveways, upon the descriptions of property heretofore described in the above set forth denunciations, therefore,

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and is hereby instructed to serve notices upon the owners or agents of the property heretofore described, to reconstruct artificial stone, cement or concrete sidewalks, crosswalks, or driveways, and in default thereof by them the Department of Public Works proceed to construct or reconstruct such sidewalks, crosswalks or driveways.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Edgecomb, Garklick, Kronk, Smith and the President—5.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

August 24, 1948.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—The Volunteers of America have requested the privilege of dumping refuse, without charge, at a dump maintained by the City of Detroit on 13½ Mile Road. Your Honorable Body has referred the matter to this department for a report.

There are four agencies which presumably work for the under-privileged, and who have refuse which is deposited at our dumps. These are as follows:

The Good Will Industries
Salvation Army
Good Neighbors
The Volunteers of America

The City of Detroit charges the Good Will Industries, the Salvation Army and the Good Neighbors for the privilege of dumping. The Good Neighbors paid nothing for this privilege prior to the recent investigation of their organization, but they are now paying the standard rate. The Volunteers of America have paid nothing but recently have been informed that payment was expected following the same notification to the Good Neighbors. The amount of rubbish dumped in any case is very small.

The Welfare Department has informed me that the work of the petitioner, the Volunteers of America, produces some relief in our welfare load; considerably more than the other agencies mentioned. According-