

October 11

District number 66, amount of bid \$830.10, total funds required \$1,125. It is recommended that the Controller be authorized and directed to set up the necessary accounts to cover these contracts and the cost of advertising, inspection, overhead, and minor contingencies as well as the contract costs.

Respectfully submitted,
CARL D. WARNER,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Oakman:
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts with the above listed bidders in the amounts stated; and he it further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to honor vouchers when presented and to charge them against Sidewalk Revolving Fund Account No. 918-62-63, the vouchers to include the cost of advertising, inspection, overhead, and contingency items as well as the contract costs.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Edgecomb, Garlick, Kronk, Miriani, Oakman, and Smith—6.
Nays—None.

Reconsideration

Councilman Oakman moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted.

Councilman Garlick moved to suspend Rule 23 for the purpose of indefinitely postponing the motion to reconsider, which motion prevailed as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Edgecomb, Garlick, Kronk, Miriani, Oakman, and Smith—6.

Nays—None.

Councilman Kronk then moved that the motion to reconsider be indefinitely postponed, which motion prevailed.

The regular order was resumed.

Department of Public Works

October 6, 1949

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Petition of Dean L. Cullum, et al (6941), requesting the vacation of the alley north of Orangelawn and west of Westwood, subject to an easement, was referred to this Department by your Committee of the Whole for investigation and report, and is returned herewith.

The vacation of this alley was previously approved and recommended by the City Plan Commission in their communication to your Honorable Body of September 16, 1949.

We wish to advise that all of our investigations have been completed. In reply to our inquiries, all City

departments and private utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the proposed change, or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioners regarding their installations therein.

The vacation of this alley, subject to an easement, conforms with Common Council resolution of November 13, 1945, J.C.C., Page 2230.

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

Respectfully submitted,
CARL D. WARNER,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Oakman:

Resolved, That all that part of east-west alley, 18 feet wide, north of Orangelawn Avenue and west of Westwood Avenue, which alley was deeded to the City of Detroit and which deed was accepted by the Common Council on August 11, 1925, J.C.C., Page 2218-19, and which alley is in fact the north 18 feet of lot 73 of J. C. Lashley's West Chicago Boulevard and Evergreen Subdivision of the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 35, T. 1 S., R. 10 E., Redford Township, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 52 of plats, Page 80, Wayne County Records;

Be and the same is hereby vacated as a public alley to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property;

Provided, The City of Detroit hereby reserves for itself and for the use of the public an easement or right of way over the center 6-feet of said vacated public alley, hereinabove described, for the purpose of installing, maintaining, repairing, removing or replacing any sewer, conduit, telephone, telegraph, electric light, or other poles or things usually placed or installed in a public alley in the City of Detroit, with the right of ingress or egress at any time to and over said easement for the purposes above set forth;

And Further Provided, That the owners of lots abutting on said vacated alley, their heirs and assigns, shall not build or construct any buildings or structure of any nature whatsoever (except necessary line fences) upon said easement or any part thereof, so that said easement shall be forever of easy access for the purposes named above;

And Further Provided, Said easement shall be used for the same purposes for which public alleys are generally used in the City of Detroit, excepting that same shall not be opened for the passage of vehicles therein.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Edgecomb, Garlick, Kronk, Miriani, Oakman, and Smith—6.

Nays—None.