

By Councilman Rogell:

Resolved, That the paving recommended in the foregoing communication be and is hereby declared necessary; that paving be done with the material and to the width recommended; and that the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for proposals.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

December 17, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen — Your Committee of the Whole referred to this office for investigation and report the petition of Charles M. Canvasser, et al, (No. 8485), requesting the vacation of a portion of the east-west alley north of Puritan Avenue and west of Sussex Avenue. The vacation of said alley was approved by the City Plan Commission in their communication to your Honorable Body of November 20, 1951.

We wish to advise that our investigations are completed. In reply to our inquiries all City Departments, except the Department of Public Works, and all privately owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by said vacation. Proper provisions are incorporated into the vacating resolution protecting the City's interest in the sewer located in the alley to be vacated.

In accordance with your Honorable Body's directive of November 13, 1945, J.C.C. page 2230, this department will remove the paved return at the entrance to the alley to be vacated at no cost to the petitioners.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectively submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,

Commissioner.

By Councilman Rogell:

Resolved, that all that part of east-west public alley, 20 feet wide, north of Puritan Avenue, west of Sussex Avenue, as platted in Puritan-Greenfield Subdivision of S. 1/2 of S.W. 1/4 of N.W. 1/4 of Sec. 18, T. 1 S., R. 11 E., as recorded in Liber 51 of plats, Page 8, Wayne County Records, lying north of and adjoining the north line of lots 44, 45, and 46, and south of and adjoining the south line of lot 43, all lots mentioned being the same as platted in said Puritan-Greenfield Subdivision, be and the same is hereby vacated as a public alley to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property subject to the following provisions:

1) An easement or right-of-way is hereby excepted and reserved in and over the center 4 feet of said 20 feet east-west alley, for the purpose of maintaining, repairing, replacing or removing the existing sewer located in said alley, with the right of ingress and egress at any time to and over said easement for the purposes named above.

2) No buildings nor structures of any nature whatsoever shall be built or placed upon said easement unless prior approval therefor is obtained from the City Engineer and the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

December 14, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen — Your Committee of the Whole referred to this office for investigation and report the petition of Mrs. Harold Martek requesting the vacation of the south 15 feet of Frisbee Avenue, west of Appleton Avenue. The vacation of said portion of street was approved by the City Plan Commission in their communication to your Honorable Body of November 9, 1951.

We wish to advise that our investigations are completed. In reply to our inquiries all City Departments and privately owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by said vacation.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectively submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,

Commissioner.

By Councilman Rogell:

Resolved, that the south 15 feet of Frisbee Avenue between Appleton Avenue and the alley west of Appleton Avenue, as platted in Ewer's Subdivision of a part of the west 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 4, T. 1 S., R. 10 E., as recorded in Liber 40 of plats, page 25, Wayne County Records, lying north of and adjoining the north line of lot 23 of said Ewer's Subdivision, be and the same is hereby vacated as a public street to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

December 18, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—In April, 1951, your

Honorable Body authorized the widening of Seven Mile Road from Southfield to Pierson Avenue under the Forced Paving Clause of the City Charter, the cost to be assessed to the abutting property.

This is a former County Road which was relinquished to the City by the Wayne County Road Commission for paving purposes, and which at the time of the resolution did not have sufficient right-of-way width beyond Pierson Avenue.

The County Road Commission subsequently secured the necessary right-of-way from Pierson to Westbrook, making it possible to extend the pavement widening to that point.

It is therefore recommended that your Honorable Body adopt the attached resolution to provide for this extension of the pavement.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. WARNER, Commissioner.
By Councilman Rogell:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids, and award contract for the paving of Seven Mile Road from Pierson to Westbrook Avenues (where not already paved) with one course concrete and curbs, 64 feet wide, under the Forced Paving Clause of the City Charter.

The cost of said pavement to be assessed against the abutting property as provided by the Charter and Ordinances, in proportion to the benefits derived.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

December 26, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Submitted herewith for confirmation is the contract entered into as authorized and directed by your formal proceeding dated below:

PW-1442 — Lateral Sewer 6751, in Cooley, Lahser, Vassar and Pembroke, Conant Sewer Construction Company, Authorized 10-30-51.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Smith:

Resolved, That contracts as listed in the foregoing communication be and the same are hereby confirmed.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President Pro Tem—8.

Nays—None.

Reconsideration

Councilman Smith moved to re-

consider 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 Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President Pro Tem—8.

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

December 20, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that in accordance with Article 5 of the Contract Agreement for PW-1472, Recapping Porter, 14th to Scotten, that work provided for in this Contract has been given final inspection and has been found fully completed and the Contractor, Cooke Contracting Company, has submitted an affidavit that all payrolls, material bills, and other indebtedness connected with the work has been paid.

The completed items and value thereof of this work are:

All Contract Items and Contract Changes—\$77,632.90 (Seventy seven thousand six hundred thirty two and 90/100 Dollars).

As the work provided for in this Contract has been completed, it is accepted by the Commissioner of Public Works under the terms and conditions thereof and it is recommended that it be accepted by your Honorable Body and that full payment of the above stated sum of \$77,632.90, less all previous payments as indicated in Estimate No. 2 (Final), be made by the City and accepted by the Contractor under the terms of final payment.

Respectfully submitted,

FLOYD C. MORSE,

Engr. of Tests & Inspn.

G. R. THOMPSON,

City Engineer.

CARL D. WARNER,

Commissioner.

Department of Public Works

December 21, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that in accordance with Article 6 of the Contract Agreement of the following Contracts that work provided for in said Contracts has been given final inspection and found fully performed and the Contractor has submitted an affidavit that all payrolls, material bills, and other indebtedness connected with the work have been paid: