

Department of Public Works
September 28, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that in accordance with Article 5 of the Contract Agreement for Group 1R-1951 District No. 25, Paving Concrete Sidewalks and Driveways, that work provided for in this Contract has been given final inspection and has been found fully completed and the Contractor, Colwell Construction 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 (Four thousand four hundred forty two and 22/100 Dollars), \$4,442.22.

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 \$4,442.22 as indicated in Estimate No. 1 (Final), be made at this time with the understanding that such payment is made by the City and accepted by the Contractor under the terms of final payment.

FLOYD C. MORSE,
Engineer of Tests and Inspection.
G. R. THOMPSON,
City Engineer.
CARL D. WARNER,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Connor:

Whereas, It appears from communications from the Dept. of Public Works that the contracts therein listed have been duly completed; and

Whereas, The Completion of said work has been found to be in accordance with the contracts and specifications for the same, and has been accepted by the Commissioner of Public Works; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contracts listed in the foregoing communications be and the same are hereby accepted.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Oakman, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President—9.

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 Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Oakman, Rogell,

Smith, Van Antwerp, and the President—9.

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

September 27, 1951.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—We are returning herewith the petition of the First Reformed Church of Detroit, petition No. 5627, requesting the vacation of the east-west alley west of Queen Avenue, between Eastburn Avenue and Bringard Drive. The vacation of said alley was approved by the City Plan Commission and the petition was referred to this office by your Committee of the Whole for investigation and report.

We wish to advise that our investigations are completed.

As per our directive, on September 26, 1951, the petitioners deposited with the Permit Division of the Department of Public Works, the sum of \$520, Receipt 29014, said amount being the estimated cost of constructing a sewer manhole in Queen Avenue at the east end of the alley to be vacated.

In reply to our inquiries, all other City Departments and privately owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the vacation of said alley or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioners regarding their installations therein.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN C. RICHARDS,
Acting Commissioner.

By Councilman Connor:

Resolved, That all of the east-west public alley, 18 feet wide, west of Queen Avenue, between Eastburn Avenue and Bringard Drive, as platted in Drennan and Seldon's Regent Park Subdivision No. 1 of part of the N.E. ¼ of Sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., and part of the N.W. ¼ of Sec. 6, T. 1 S., R. 13 E., as recorded in Liber 55 of plats, Page 88, Wayne County Records, lying south of and adjoining the south line of Lots 817, 818, 819 and 820 and north of and adjoining the north line of lots 827 to 832, both inclusive, of last mentioned subdivision, said alley lying between the west line, extended northerly, of Lot 827 and the west line of Queen Avenue, be and the same is hereby vacated as a public alley to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Councilmen Beck, Connor, Garlick, Kronk, Oakman, Rogell,