

Resolved, That the Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to honor vouchers when presented, said vouchers to cover the cost of advertising, inspection and minor contingencies as well as the contract cost, and charge such cost to Account No. 925-2390-923.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Garlick, Kronk, Oakman, Rogell, Smith, and Van Antwerp—7.  
Nays—None.

#### Department of Public Works

December 1, 1952.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—In response to published advertisements, bids were received on November 25, 1952, for the two following Relief Sewers:

PW-2095—Relief Sewer in Davison Avenue from Justine Avenue to Ryan Avenue.

PW-2098—Relief Sewer in Northfield Avenue from alley south of Martindale Avenue to alley south of Spokane Avenue and in Linsdale Avenue from Northfield Avenue to Colfax Avenue.

Sixteen bids were received on Contract PW-2095 and seventeen bids on PW-2098, all as listed on the attached tabulations.

The low bid submitted on each contract is regular in all respects and in accordance with the contract requirements. The low bidder in each case was Merucci Brothers. It is recommended that the contracts be awarded to Merucci Brothers. The total funds required include the cost of advertising, inspection and minor contingencies, as well as the contract price.

PW-2095—Price \$24,036.55, Total Funds Required \$25,240.00.

PW-2098—Price \$50,363.45, Total Funds Required \$52,880.00.

Funds are available in Account No. 925-2390-923.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,  
Commissioner.

By Councilman Van Antwerp:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contracts with Merucci Brothers for Contract PW-2095 in the amount of \$24,036.55, and Contract PW-2098 in the amount of \$50,363.45, in accordance with the foregoing communication; and be it further

Resolved, That the Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to honor vouchers when presented, said vouchers to include the cost of advertising, inspection and minor contingencies as well as the contract costs and charge same to Account No. 925-2390-923.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Garlick,

Kronk, Oakman, Rogell, Smith, and Van Antwerp—7.

Nays—None.

#### Department of Public Works

December 1, 1952.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee of the Whole referred to this office for investigation and report the recommendation of the City Plan Commission relative to the vacation of Elmira and Orangelawn Avenues, between Freeland Avenue and the alley west of Freeland Avenue within the limits of a greenbelt area.

Our investigations are completed and they disclose that several city departments and privately owned utility companies are affected by the vacation of the streets. As the area is to be merely used for greenbelt purposes, it is unnecessary to relocate the existing installations in the street and therefore, a right-of-way is reserved for the departments affected for the continued maintenance of their facilities.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,  
Commissioner.

By Councilman Van Antwerp:

Resolved, That all of Orangelawn Avenue, 60 feet wide, west of Freeland Avenue, as platted in Churchill Park Subdivision as recorded in Liber 50, Page 52, of plats, Wayne County Records, lying south of and adjoining the south line of lot 378 and north of and adjoining the north line of Lot 377 of last mentioned subdivision; also, all of Elmira Avenue, 60 feet wide, west of Freeland Avenue, as platted in Churchill Park Subdivision as recorded in Liber 50, Page 52 of plats, Wayne County Records, lying north of and adjoining the north line of lot 397 and south of and adjoining the south line of lot 398 of last mentioned subdivision; be and the same are hereby vacated as public streets to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property subject to the following provisions:

a) An easement or right-of-way is hereby reserved in and over the vacated streets for the maintenance of all utilities presently located in the streets herein vacated.

b) No buildings or other permanent structures shall be constructed over the street unless prior permission therefor is obtained from the City Engineer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Garlick, Kronk, Oakman, Rogell, Smith, and Van Antwerp—7.

Nays—None.

#### Department of Public Works

December 1, 1952.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—In compliance with