

self, his heirs and assigns waives claims for any damage to the garage and agrees to pay the costs incurred in its removal, if its removal becomes necessary, and to restore the property affected to a condition satisfactory to the Department of Public Works at the owner's expense; and further,

3) This resolution is revocable at the will, whim and caprice of the Common Council, and the grantees by the acceptance of this permission, waive any right to claim damages or compensation for any buildings constructed and maintained hereunder, or for the removal of the same, and they acquire no implied nor any other privileges not expressly stated herein.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

April 29, 1953.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—We are returning herewith the petition of the Department of Parks and Recreation requesting the vacation of Algonac Avenue and the alley east of Algonac Avenue, north of Manning Avenue, within the limits of a recreational site. The vacation of said street and 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. In reply to our inquiries, all City departments and privately owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by said vacations.

The vacation of the street and alley will allow the development of the park property as one unit. We therefore recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Youngblood:

Resolved, That all of Algonac Avenue, 50 feet wide, north of Manning Avenue, as platted in Sidzina and Jakub Subdivision as recorded in Liber 59, Page 25 of Plats, Wayne County Records, lying east of and adjoining the east line of lots 1 to 6, both inclusive, and west of and adjoining the west line of lots 23 to 28, both inclusive, of last mentioned subdivision also, all of the north-south public alley, 18 feet wide, north of Manning Avenue, between Algonac and Bland Avenues, as platted in Sidzina and Jakub Subdivision as recorded in Liber 59, Page 25 of Plats, Wayne County Records, lying east of and adjoining the east line of lots 23 to 28, both inclusive, and west of and adjoining the west line of lots 29 to 34, both inclusive, of last mentioned

subdivision; be and the same are hereby vacated as a public street and alley to become part and parcel of the adjoining property.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works

May 2, 1953.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—In response to published advertisements, bids were received on April 21, 1953, for Paving Concrete Sidewalks and Driveways, Group SW-53-1 and on April 28, 1953, for Group SW-53-2. A tabulation of the bids received on each of the contracts in each of the groups is attached hereto.

For Contract PW-2301, District AW and for Contract PW-2302, District BW in Group SW-53-2, only one bid was received. The unit price submitted by the single bidder is considerably higher than the corresponding unit prices in other districts, and would result in a charge to the property owner considered as excessive. It is therefore recommended that the single bid received on each of these contracts be rejected and the work readvertised.

It is recommended that the balance of the contracts be awarded to the contractors as listed below:

Group 53-1—

To: Colwell Construction Co., PW-2017, District EE, Price \$66,666.60, Total Funds \$70,000.00.

To: J. J. Barney, PW-2018, District CW, Price \$35,525.00, Total Funds \$37,300.00; PW-2019, District DW, Price \$46,592.00, Total Funds \$48,925.00; PW-2021, District KW, Price \$87,392.00, Total Funds \$91,750.00.

To: Fort Wayne Coal & Const. Co., PW-2020, District HW, Price \$45,829.00, Total Funds \$48,125.00.

Group 53-2—

To: Colwell Construction Co., PW-2022, District AE, Price \$33,321.00, Total Funds \$34,975.00; PW-2023, District BE, Price \$33,924.00, Total Funds \$35,625.00; PW-2024, District CE, Price \$24,032.00, Total Funds \$25,225.00; PW-2025, District DE, Price \$17,254.00, Total Funds \$18,125.00.

To: Brighton and Wing, PW-2303, District EW, Price \$27,121.00, Total Funds \$28,475.00.

To: Edwin W. Filzek Cement Contractor, PW-2304, District FW, Price \$23,244.00, Total Funds \$24,400.00; PW-2305, District GW, Price \$28,809.00, Total Funds \$30,250.00.

The total funds required include the cost of advertising, inspection and minor contingencies as well as the contract costs. Funds are available in Account No. 918-2143-303.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. WARNER,
Commissioner.