

**By Councilman Beck:**

Whereas, It appears from foregoing 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 have 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.

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

Nays—None.

**Reconsideration**

Councilman Connor 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, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, Youngblood, and President Miriani—9.

Nays—None.

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

The regular order was resumed.

**Department of Public Works**

September 4, 1953.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—We are returning herewith the petition of Practical Home Builders, Inc., et al (No. 1638), requesting the vacation of a portion of the 12 foot public easement south of Seven Mile Road, between Winston and Fenton Avenues. The vacation of said easement was approved by the City Plan Commission in its communication to your Honorable Body of August 17, 1953. The petition was then 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 8, 1953, the petitioners deposited into the City Treasury the sum of \$350.00. Receipt No. 17923 credited to Public Lighting Commission Fund Code No. 990-9423, said amount being the estimated cost of relocating P.L.C. wires necessitated by the vacation of the easements.

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 easements or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioners regarding their installations therein.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully submitted,  
CARL D. WARNER,  
Commissioner.

**By Councilman Beck:**

Resolved, That all that part of public easements, 12 feet wide, in the block south of Seven Mile Road, between Winston and Fenton Avenues, as platted in Benjamin F. Mortenson's Grand Pointe Subdivision as recorded in Liber 36 of plats, on page 71, Wayne County Records, lying in the rear of lots 62 to 67, both inclusive, and in the rear of the north 20 feet of lots 61 and 68, of last mentioned subdivision, be and the same are hereby vacated as public easements.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays—None.

**Department of Public Works**

September 4, 1953.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that in accordance with Article 6 of the Contract Agreement for Contract PW-2030, Pavement Recapping of Beaubien from Bethune to Adams, that work provided for in this Contract has been given final inspection and has been found fully completed and the Contractor, Detroit Asphalt Paving 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 \$135,064.32. (One hundred thirty five thousand sixty four and 32/100 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 \$135,064.32, 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.

FLOYD C. MORSE,  
Engineer of Tests and Inspection.  
M. F. WAGNITZ,  
Asst. City Engineer.  
GLEN C. RICHARDS,  
Acting Commissioner.