cated on the west side of Mt. Elliott between Mack and Pulford Streets. On October 3, 1956, when the funds were posted for the payment of the award; and

Whereas, Act No. 24 of the Public Acts of 1947 provides that the unit of government that is the petitioner in the condemnation proceeding, pay the taxes and special assessments on property that is acquired after the date the assessment roll is required to be completed and before the tax is due and payable; and

Whereas, Section 35, Chapter IV, Title VI of the Charter of the City of Detroit authorized the adoption of a resolution to provide for the payment by the City of general taxes on a prorata basis upon properties acquired during the fiscal year of acquisition;

Now, Therefore, Be It

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to deduct from the payment of said award, all taxes and special assessments levied upon the property actherein, including State, quired County and taxes levied by the City of Detroit, except that taxes levied by the City of Detroit for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1956 and ending June 30, 1957, shall be deducted for that proportion represented by that part of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1956 and ending October 3, 1956: And Be It Further

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the City Treasurer for that proportion of the taxes levied by the City of Detroit upon the properties involved in said proceedings, represented by the remaining portion of the fiscal year from October 4, 1956 to June 30, 1957; and in the event that the property owners have paid the City Taxes for said portion of the year, the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to refund the same to the property owners, excluding therefrom any interest that may have been paid by the taxpayer upon said current tax; And Be It Further

Resolved, That the Board of Assessors furnish the City Treasurer with a statement showing the last assessed valuation of the condemned property after possession date; And Be It Fur-

Resolved, That the Real Estate Bureau, Corporation Counsel's Office, ascertain the amount of taxes due and payable and furnish same to the Controller; And Be It Further

Resolved, That the Controller be and is hereby authorized to draw his warrant in favor of the proper tax collector for said taxes, when due and payable.

Approved:

PAUL T. DWYER, Corp. Counsel. Adopted as follows: Yeas-Councilmen Connor, Lincoln,

Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, Wise, Youngblood, and President Miriani—8. Nays—None.

> Corporation Counsel October 9, 1956.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to inform your Honorable Body that on October 9. 1956 Orders were entered in the Wayne Circuit Court by Hon. Thomas J. Murphy, Circuit Judge, in the following cases, vacating public alleys:

Wayne Circuit Court Number 287,-821, Petition 8053, Coplin, Newport, Wade and Maiden Avenues.

Wayne Circuit Court Number 287,-822, Petition 8454, Morang, Rex, Saratoga and Eastwood Aves.

The Orders provide that public easements for public utility purposes be retained in the lands formerly

comprising the alleys.

We submit herewith a resolution directing the City Clerk to record the attached true copies of the Orders with the Wayne County Register of Deeds.

> Respectfully submitted, ALFRED SAWAYA, Asst. Corp. Counsel.

By Councilman Youngblood:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to record the Orders vacating public alleys in the office of the Wayne County Register of Deeds, within 30 days from the date hereof, in accordance with the foregoing communication from the Corporation Counsel. Approved:

PAUL T. DWYER, Corp. Counsel. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Connor, Lincoln, Rogell, Smith, Van Antwerp, Wise, Youngblood, and President Miriani—8. Rogell, Nays-None.

> Corporation Counsel October 9, 1956.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—A report is herewith submitted in reference to the following:

Case No. 2275, in the Recorder's Court, entitled: In the matter of widening of Artesian Avenue, south of Davison Avenue to the Pere Marquette Railroad right of way and the opening and widening of Glendale Avenue between Artesian Avenue and Southfield Road, where not already opened and widened, as streets and highways.

The jury returned a verdict of no necessity on October 1, 1956.

Respectfully submitted, FRANK J. WENDT, Assistant Corporation Counsel. Approved:

PAUL T. DWYER,

Corporation Counsel. Received and Placed on File.