1ST OF EACH YEAR.

The license clerk shall place a number upon the license issued to each distributor. Every device so licensed shall contain in a conspicuous place thereon a suitable and permanent identification mark of a minimum size of two inches by three and one-half inches or a maximum size of three inches by four inches, bearing the name (including assumed name or corporate name, if registered), and address and license number of the current year of the distributor thereof.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this ordinance full force and effect.

Approved as to form:

ROBERT REESE,

Corporation Counsel. Read twice by title, ordered printed and laid on the table.

> Corporation Counsel March 3, 1965.

Honorable Common Council: Gentlemen—Attached hereto please find resolution of necessity and public improvement in reference to the Acquisition of Additional Land for Police Department and Other Municipal Public Purposes (Fourth Precinct) located at the northeast corner of Fort and Green Streets as requested by your Honorable Body on July 24, 1964, J.C.C. pages 662-63.

Respectfully submitted, G. L. CARLSON, Real Estate Supervisor. By Councilman Van Antwerp:

WHEREAS, The Common Council did by resolution on July 21, 1964 (J.C.C. pages 662-63) approve the acquisition of Additional Land for Police Department and other Municipal Public Purposes (Fourth Precinct), located at the northeast corner of Fort and Green Streets; Now, Therefore Be It

Resolved, That it is hereby declared necessary by the Common Council of the City of Detroit to make the following described improvement in said City, and that the same is for the use and benefit of the public, viz: Acquisition of Additional Land for Police Department and other Municipal Public Purposes (Fourth Precinct), located at the northeast corner of Fort and Green Streets, and that they deem it necessary to take private property for the purpose of making such improvement, which said property is situated in said City of Detroit, and described as follows:

Lots 6, 7, 8 and the south part of Lot 9 measuring the South 0.44 feet on the west line and measuring the on the west line and measuring the South 5.00 feet on the east line of said Lot 9, all of N. S. Irwin's Subdivision of Out Lot 3 of Scotten and Lovett's Subdivision of Part of Private Claims 267 and 270, Town 2 South, Range 11 East, Springwells Counsel.

Approved:

ROBERT REESE,

Corporation Counsel.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Brickley, Connor,
Poindexter, Ravitz, Rogell, Van Ant-

Township, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 22, Page 10 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

And Be It Further Resolved, That

the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to institute the necessary proceeding on behalf of the City of Detroit in the Recorder's Court of the City of Detroit to carry out the object of this resolution in regard to taking private property by said City. Approved:

ROBERT REESE. Corporation Counsel. Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Brickley, Connor. Poindexter, Ravitz, Rogell, Van Antwerp, Wierzbicki and President Carey

Nays-None.

Corporation Counsel March 5, 1965.

Honorable Common Council: Gentlemen-This is to advise your Honorable Body that Circuit Court Orders were entered vacating the

alleys in the following cases:
Wayne Cir. Ct. No. 37429—Location: Beaconsfield, Nottingham, Courville and Whittier-Common Council Petition No. 6845.

Wayne Cir. Ct. No. 37439—Location: Thatcher, Freeland, Curtis and Ardmore Avenues-Common Council Petition No. 8061.

Wayne Cir. Ct. No. 38479—Location: Strathmoor, Mark Twain, Cambridge and Vassar—Common Council Petition No. 7870.

Wayne Cir. Ct. No. 38480—Location: Lahser, Burgess, Santa Clara, and Bennett Avenues—Common Council Petition No. 8058.

The Orders, among other things, provide that public easements for public utility purposes shall be retained in the land comprising the alleys; and, further, that the Clerk of the Court forward a certified copy to the Auditor General of the State to the Auditor General of the State of Michigan.

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

Respectfully submitted, RAYMOND F. STACHURA, Asst. Corporation Counsel.

By Councilman Wierzbicki:

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

Nays-None.

Corporation Counsel March 4, 1965. Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen-The City of Detroit assessed to George Schofield & Asso-Inc., 9515 Detroit Cleveland, Ohio, 1961 personal property taxes in the amount of \$415.88, exclusive of accrued interest. Following taxpayer's refusal to pay the amount due, the City's tax claim was referred for collection to the law firm of Grossman, Familo, Cavitch & Kempf on the following basis: $25\,\%$

of the amount collected without suit; 33 1/3% of the amount collected

after suit.

After the usual demands for payment were ignored, our attorneys instituted suit in the Municipal Court of Cleveland, Ohio. Defendant filed an answer therein denying liability for the subject taxes. After the case was at issue for some time, during which depositions from local witnesses were taken at a cost of \$96.20 to the City, defendant submitted to our attorneys an offer of \$301.91, plus the actual court costs advanced by the City in the amount of \$25.00, in full settlement of the subject taxes. amount submitted represents two-thirds of the principal taxes assessed. Because of the issues raised in the case, our attorneys recommend

acceptance of the offer submitted.

In view of our attorney's recommendation, and inasmuch as the pending action is against a resident of Ohio, we believe it would be to the best interest of the City to ac-cept the offer submitted. Accordingly, with the concurrence of the City Treasurer, acceptance of the subject offer is recommended. It is further recommended that our attorneys be allowed to deduct the sum of \$100.64 from the offer of \$301.91 as their fee for handling the collection of the

City's tax claim.

Checks totaling \$226.27 are being held by this office pending Your Honorable Body's review of the offer submitted. The foregoing amount includes a refund of \$25.00 of the costs previously advanced by the City for instituting the pending law suit.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH MAISANO, Asst. Corporation Counsel.

Approved:

ROBERT REESE, Corporation Counsel. FRANK B. WOODFORD, Deputy City Treasurer.

By Councilman Wierzbicki:

In accordance with the foregoing

communication,

It Is Hereby Resolved that the offer of \$326.91 submitted in full settlement of the 1961 personal property taxes assessed to George Scho-

werp, Wierzbicki and President Carey field & Associates, Inc., 9515 Detroit Street, Cleveland, Ohio, be and the

same is hereby accepted.

It is Further Resolved that the law firm of Grossman, Familo, Cavitch & Kempf be allowed to deduct from the offer submitted to them the amount of \$100.64 as their fee for handling the collection of the City's tax claim.

It Is Further Resolved that the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to apply the sum \$226.27 first in payment of the \$25.00 court costs advanced for instituting suit, and the balance on account of the subject 1961 personal property taxes. Any balance remaining unpaid after such application be and the same is hereby cancelled.

Approved: ROBERT REESE,

Corporation Counsel. Adopted as follows:

Yeas--Councilmen Brickley, Connor, Poindexter, Ravitz, Rogell, Van Antwerp, Wierzbicki and President Carey –8

Nays-None.

Arts Commission February 3, 1965.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—In a letter written to your Honorable Body from the Arts Commission, on January 21, 1965, there was listed in error a gift received at the Arts Commission meeting of October 7, 1964, which actually should not have been included among the gifts presented to the City by the Founders Society. The item listed in error was an Artmobile Trailer & 1964 Dodge Tractor, which was presented to the Founders Society by the Chrys-ler Corporation. This Artmobile is used to transport traveling exhibi-tions of paintings from the Detroit Institute of Arts to cities and towns all over the State of Michigan. The Founders Society underwrites the annual cost of maintenance and upkeep for the Artmobile and Tractor as well as the salary for the driver and the insurance for the Artmobile contents, the Artmobile and Tractor. This cost comes to around \$25,000 a year and there is no provision in the City budget for this payment.

May we therefore ask approval of your Honorable Body to the removal of the Artmobile Trailer & 1964 Dodge Tractor from the gifts presented by the Founders Society Soc the City and permit the Founders Society to keep this equipment, which is used for the benefit of the Detroit Institute of Arts, as Founders Society

property.

Respectfully submitted, WILLIAM A. BOSTICK, Secretary.

Approved: G. J. SAAM, Deputy Controller. By Councilman Van Antwerp: That Resolved, the Artmobile