

dent Carey—9.
Nays—None.

Department of Public Works
June 3, 1965.

Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—The paving petitions listed below, which were referred to this office for report, are majority petitions upon which no prepayment has been made.

It is, therefore, recommended that your Honorable Body invoke the waiver clause in the Special Assessment Ordinance, eliminating the 25% prepayment and tax history.

It is, therefore, recommended that this street and this alley be paved with one course concrete, in accordance with the attached resolution.

Street:

Petition No. 10719, Chippewa: 390 Ft. W. of Berg Road to Berg Road, Width 26 feet.

Alley:

Petition No. 10781, NS Edsel, Electric, Francis, Visger, Width 16 feet.

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN C. RICHARDS,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Rogell:

Resolved, That the paving recommended in the foregoing communication be and is hereby declared a necessity, and that pursuant to Section 21-10-9 of the Compiled Ordinances of 1964, an emergency exists affecting the peace, health and safety of the people of the City, and further that the paving be constructed with the material and to the width recommended; and that the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for doing the work.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Brickley, Connor, Poindexter, Ravitz, Rogell, Van Antwerp, Wierzbicki and President Carey—9.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works
June 3, 1965.

Honorable Common Council:
Gentlemen—We are returning herewith the petition of the Board of Education, No. 9340, requesting the vacation of the alleys in the block bounded by Fourteenth Street, La-Belle Avenue, Twelfth Street and Ford Avenue. The vacation of said alleys was approved by the City Plan Commission and 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, the petitioner issued a purchase order, No. 091858 in the amount of \$2,300.00, in favor of the Public Lighting Commission, Lighting Division, to cover the costs of rerouting an overhead power line

from the alleys to be vacated.

The petitioner also issued a purchase order, No. 091859, in the amount of \$1,080.00, in favor of the Public Lighting Commission, Communications Division, said amount being the estimated cost of rerouting an overhead fire alarm circuit from the alley to be vacated.

The petitioner also issued a purchase order, No. 091860, in the amount of \$2,100.00, in favor of the Department of Public Works, Street Maintenance Division, said amount being the estimated cost to remove the paved alley returns, construct new curb and walk, and backfill where necessary at the entrances to the alleys to be vacated.

The petitioner also issued a purchase order, No. 091861, in the amount of \$1,044.40, in favor of the Department of Public Works, Street Design Bureau, said amount being the original cost of paving the streets at the intersection of the alleys to be vacated.

Proper provisions are incorporated into the vacating resolution protecting the City's interest in the sewer located in the alleys to be vacated.

All other City departments and privately owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the vacation of said alleys or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioner regarding their installations located therein.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
GLENN C. RICHARDS,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Rogell:

Resolved, That all of the east-west public alley, 18 feet wide, in the block bounded by Fourteenth Avenue, La Belle Avenue, Twelfth Street, and Ford Avenue, as platted in Robert Oakman's Twelfth Street Subdivision of part of ¼ Section 7, 10,000 Acre Tract, City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 34, Page 90 of Plats Wayne County Records lying north of and adjoining the northerly line of Lots 468 to 486, both inclusive, south of and adjoining the southerly line of Lots 487 to 505, both inclusive, all of the above mentioned subdivision.

Be and the same is hereby vacated as a public alley to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property subject to the sewer relocation in accordance with Petition No. 10229 and resolution of the Common Council on March 9, 1965, J.C.C. Page 425; and further,

Resolved, That all of the north-south public alley, 18 feet wide, west of Twelfth Street between Ford Avenue and La Belle Avenue as platted in Robert Oakman's Twelfth Street Subdivision of part of ¼ Section 7, 10,000 Acre Tract, City of

Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 34, Page 90 of Plats Wayne County Records lying west of and adjoining the westerly line of Lots 970 to 974, both inclusive, east of and adjoining the easterly line of the southerly 85.00 feet of Lot 487, east of and adjoining the easterly line of the northerly 85.00 feet of Lot 486, east of and adjoining the easterly line of the public alley, 18 feet wide, lying between Lots 486 and 487.

Be and the same is hereby vacated as a public alley to become a part and parcel of the adjoining property subject to the following provisions:

(1) That by reason of the vacation of the above property, the City of Detroit does not waive any rights to the sewers located therein and at all times shall have the right to enter upon the premises, if found necessary on account of said sewer to repair, alter or service same; and further

(2) Provided, That no buildings shall be constructed over said sewers without the prior approval of such building construction by the City engineer and the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering; and further

(3) Provided, That if a building is to be constructed over said sewers, the sewers shall be replaced with cast iron pipe of the same size, rerouted or encased in 6 inches of Class "A" concrete or in lieu of the above, such work shall be done as will be specified by the City Engineer, all of work mentioned to be done under the supervision and inspection of the Department of Public Works and all costs entailed to be borne by the petitioner, their successors, or assigns; and further

(4) Provided, In the event that the sewer located in said property shall break, causing damage to any construction, property or materials above the petitioners and their assigns, by acceptance of the permit for construction over said sewer, waive all claims for damages; and further

(5) Provided, That if the sewer located in said property shall break or be damaged as a result of any action on the part of the petitioner or assigns, (by way of illustration but not limitation, such as storage of excessive weights or materials, or any construction not in accord with provision 2, mentioned above) then in such event, the petitioner or assigns shall be liable for all costs incident to the repair of such broken or damaged sewer.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Councilmen Beck, Brickley, Connor, Poindexter, Ravitz, Rogell, Van Antwerp, Wierzbicki and President Carey—9.

Nays—None.

Department of Public Works
June 9, 1965.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen — Returning herewith Petition No. 11102 of Hildegard Frickel requesting reimbursement for sidewalk work done on City intersection at 11876 Kenmoor.

Due to misinformation received by petitioner prior to her private contractual work, she was informed that no work was contemplated on the intersection flags on her corner home. She proceeded to have the entire walks replaced and in so doing, also replaced the City intersection in order to improve the appearance of the entire corner lot. Immediately upon completion, the City contractor working on a Curb Replacement contract in this area, moved in and had to remove the newly constructed intersection in order to make a proper replacement to the defective curbing at this location to the correct elevations.

The Department of Public Works, therefore, recommends that we be directed to issue voucher in the amount of \$48.00 to petitioner to reimburse her for what would normally have been a Departmental expense.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN C. RICHARDS,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Wierzbicki:

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and it is hereby authorized and directed to draw a voucher upon the proper fund, in accordance with established procedure, and the City Controller to honor same in favor of Hildegard Frickel in the sum of \$48.00 in full satisfaction of reimbursement for sidewalk work done on City intersection at 11876 Kenmoor in accordance with the foregoing communication.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Councilmen Beck, Brickley, Connor, Poindexter, Ravitz, Rogell, Van Antwerp, Wierzbicki and President Carey—9.

Nays—None.

Purchases and Supplies

June 15, 1965.

Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen — The Department of Purchases and Supplies has advertised for bids in accord with specifications and recommends that contracts be entered into with firms or persons as is detailed in the following communications:

FILE NO. 6356

Ten bids were received as a result of twelve solicitations, as per tabulation, for furnishing the City of Detroit with normal requirements of Ribbons, Computer for a period starting June 23, 1965 and ending May 31, 1966.

To: Olivetti Underwood Corp. of Detroit (Lowest Total Bid)—

Make Payment To: One Park Avenue, New York, New York 10016.

Quantities are approximate.

Prices are per dozen.