

be the subject of a future letter.

In spite of repeated efforts, both on our part and on the part of the Income Tax Division of the Treasurer's Office, the Dore Wrecking Company, who was the low bidder on this contract, has been unable to obtain the necessary income tax clearances.

In order to avoid further delay on this contract, it is our recommendation that the award be made to the second low bidder, Mednis Wrecking, Inc., as the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$1,675.00, and that the low bid of \$1,100.00 submitted by Dore Wrecking Company be rejected.

It is estimated that \$1,950.00 will be required to cover the contract and the cost of advertising and field inspection. This amount is available in Account 143-2130-364, "Building Demolition — Contractual Expense — Federal Aid."

Respectfully submitted,  
**ROBERT E. TOOHEY,**  
 Commissioner.

Approved:  
**R. P. ROSELLE,**  
 Deputy Controller.

By Councilman Miriani:

Whereas, The Dore Wrecking Company, low bidder on this contract, has been unable to obtain the necessary income tax clearances, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the low bid of \$1,100 submitted by the Dore Wrecking Company be rejected; and be it further

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to enter into contract for Demolition of Buildings, 3232 Fourth Street, with the second low bidder, Mednis Wrecking, Inc., in the amount of \$1,675.00; and be it further

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to honor vouchers when presented, the vouchers to include the cost of advertising, inspection and possible minor changes as well as contract costs, and charge them to Account 143-2130-364; subject to contract confirmation.

Adopted as follows:  
 Yeas — Councilmen Beck, Hood, Miriani, Ravitz, Rogell and President Carey—6.  
 Nays—None.

Department of Public Works  
 February 6, 1967.

Honorable Common Council:  
 Re: Contract FW-4855W  
 Paving Alley—In block bounded by LaSalle, Fourteenth, Taylor, Clairmount  
 Amount in Assessment Portion: \$6,345.35  
 Amount in City Intersection Portion: \$1,190.00  
 Total Amount Accepted Proposal: \$7,535.35.

Gentlemen—The distribution of the construction costs was later changed by the Board of Assessors in the Assessment Roll with \$6,524.10 being placed in the Assessment Portion and \$720.00 being placed in the City Intersection Portion.

Under the provisions of the resolution authorizing the award of the Contract, any deductions from or additions to the Assessment Portion exceeding \$100.00 or one percent of the original contract amount must be approved by the Common Council before the adjustment of such difference is applied to the City Intersection Portion.

Based on final field measurements a decrease of \$184.80 or approximately 2.9 percent resulted between the estimated costs of the work in the revised Assessment Portion and that actually constructed.

It is recommended that the Assessment Portion of the construction costs remain unchanged from the revised amount as set up by the Assessors, and that the adjustment of the above difference be made in the City Intersection Portion.

Respectfully submitted,  
**ROBERT E. TOOHEY,**  
 Commissioner.

Approved:  
**R. P. ROSELLE,**  
 Deputy Controller.

By Councilman Miriani:

Resolved, That the Assessment Portion of the construction costs for the paving included in the above Contract remain unchanged from the amount as set up in the Assessment Roll by the Assessors, and that the adjustment of the difference described in the foregoing communication be made in the City Intersection Portion.

Adopted as follows:  
 Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Hood, Miriani, Ravitz, Rogell and President Carey—6.  
 Nays—None.

Department of Public Works  
 February 1, 1967.

Honorable Common Council:  
 Re: Petition No. 396, Eonic, Inc., Alley Vacation.

Gentlemen — The above reference petition requesting the vacation of the east-west public alley west of Omira Avenue between Robinwood Avenue and Hollywood Avenue, was approved by the City Plan Commission and forwarded to this department for investigation and report. This has been completed and the petition returned herewith.

The petitioner has requested that the paved alley return at the entrance to the alley to be vacated remain in its present status as the petitioner plans to utilize said return, and has agreed by letter filed with the original petition to pay all costs incidental to the removal of the return at such time in the future as the removal

becomes necessary.

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

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

The adoption of the attached resolution is recommended.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. TOOHEY,

Commissioner.

By Councilman Ravitz:

Resolved, That all of the east-west public alley, 16 feet wide, west of Omira Avenue between Robinwood Avenue and Hollywood Avenue as platted in Seven-Oakland Subdivision of the N.E. ¼ of N.W. ¼ of Section 12, T. 1 S., R. 11 E., City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 34, Page 62 of Plats Wayne County Records lying north of and adjoining the northerly line of Lot 170, and lying south of and adjoining the southerly line of Lot 157, 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 following provisions:

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

2) Provided, That no building shall be constructed over said sewers without the prior approval of such building construction by the Sewer Design Section of the Department of Water Supply and the Department of Buildings and Safety Engineering; and further

3) Provided, In the event that the sewer located or to be 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

4) Provided, That if the sewer located or to be 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 of materials, or any construction not in accordance with Provision 2, mentioned above), then in such event, the petitioner or assigns shall be liable for all costs incidental to the repair of such broken or damaged

sewer; and further

Resolved, That at any time in the future the removal of the paved alley return at the entrance to the vacated alley becomes necessary, the entire cost of such removal shall be paid by the Eonic, Inc., its heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Beck, Hood, Miriani, Ravitz, Rogell and President Carey—6.

Nays—None.

**Purchases and Supplies**

February 14, 1967.

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. 8694**

Five bids were received as a result of ten solicitations, as per tabulation, for furnishing the Department of Public Works with Snow Plows.

To: Gregware Equipment Co. of Grand Rapids, Michigan (Lowest Acceptable Bid)—

11 Only—Plows, Snow, with reversible blade, moldboard 10 feet long, 36 inches high, 3/16 inches thick with (8) vertical ribs, renewable cutting edge of high carbon steel ½ in. x 6 in. x 10 ft. Gledhill Model No. 10HS21. Complete for the sum of \$550.00 Each. F.O.B. delivered.

Less Trade-in Allowance for:

11 Only—Used Snow Plows, Steel, approx. size 10 ft. 3 in., as follows: Anderson, Ross and Good Roads Snow Plows, Dept. Code Nos. 101, 102, 181, 100, 113, 134, 129, 137, 140, 148 & 183. The sum of \$495.00 Lot.

F.O.B. as is and where is.

Terms: Net.

This purchase totals \$6,050.00 exclusive of trade-in allowance.

Prices are firm.

Terms: Net—30 Days.

**FILE NO. 8800**

One bid was received as a result of seven solicitations, for furnishing the Public Lighting Commission with Tile, Refractory.

To: M. H. Detrick Co. of Southfield, Mich. (Sole Bid)—

Quantities and prices are each.

Refractory Arch Tile:

210—Style 1375, \$2.67.

280—Style 1575-3, \$4.47.

420—Style W-10, \$1.49.

300—Style 13, \$1.68.

230—Style 038, \$1.28.

289—Style 1123, \$2.05.

165—Style D-12, \$2.72.

140—PS311, \$2.35.

360—PS310, \$1.53.

100—NP106, \$1.70.

350—PS313, \$2.51.

450—PS168, \$1.53.