Mahaffey, McFadden, Rogell, and President Henderson — 9. Nays — None.

## Environmental Protection & Maintenance Department January 13, 1978

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 4773. General Motors
Corporation. Vacation of Cedar
Street between the Fisher
Freeway and Harbaugh Avenue.

The above petition requests the vacation of the above described street, 50 feet wide. The requested vacation was approved by the Community and Economic Development Department. The petition was then referred to us for investigation and report. Our report, accompanied by the original petition, is as follows:

The petitioner has made the following deposit with the City Treasurer, which has been credited to the department and account named, for the purpose indicated: EPMD — Intersection Fund. For the original cost of paving Harbaugh Avenue at the intersection of the street to be vacated. \$175.00.

An easement is reserved in the vacating resolution for the Water and Sewerage Department for the maintenance of its installations located in the public right of way to be vacated.

All other involved City departments and privately-owned utility companies reported that they have no objection to the proposed vacation or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioner regarding their installations therein.

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The adoption of the attached resolution is recommended.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. WATTS
Director

By Council Member Cleveland:

RESOLVED, That all that part of Cedar Street, 50 feet wide, not previoulsy vacated, lying between and abutting the easterly line of the Fisher Freeway and the westerly line of Harbaugh Avenue, 66 feet wide, as platted in "J. L. Riopelle's Subdivision", of part of P.C. 340 in Springwells, T.2S., R.11E., as recorded in Liber 13, Page 43, Plats, Wayne County records,

Be and the same is hereby vacated to become a part and parcel of the abutting property, subject to the following easement provisions: 1. An easement, the full width of the existing Cedar Street Right-of-Way is reserved For the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department for the purpose of installing, maintaining, repairing, removing or replacing any sewers, water mains, fire hydrants and appurtenances with the right of ingress or egress at any time to, and over said easement for the purpose above set forth.

Free and easy access to the sewers, water mains, fire hydrants and appurtenances within the easement, is required for Detroit Water and Sewerage Department equipment including the use of backhoe, bull dozers, cranes or pipe trucks and other heavy construction equipment as necessary for alteration or repair of the sewer or water main and facilities.

The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department retains the right to install suitable permanent main location guide posts over its sewers and water mains at reasonable intervals and at

points of deflection.

2. Said owners of the adjoining property for their heirs and assigns agree that no building or structure of any nature whatsoever, including fences, porches, patios, balconies, et cetera shall be built upon or over said easement or that no grade changes or storage of materials shall be made within said easement without prior written approval and agreement with the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department.

3. That if at any time in the future, the owners of any lots abutting on said vacated street shall request the removal and/or relocation of the aforementioned utilities in said easement, such owners shall pay all costs incident to such removal and/or relocation. It is further provided that if water mains. sewers. or appurtenances in said easement shall break or be damaged as a result of any action on the part of the owner, or assigns, then in such event the owner or assigns shall be liable for all costs incident to the repair of such broken or damaged sewers, mains, and shall also be liable for all claims for damages resulting from his action.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Cockrel, Eberhard, Hood, Kelley, Mahaffey, McFadden, Rogell, and President Henderson — 9.

Nays - None.

## Environmental Protection and Maintenance Department January 17, 1978

Honorable City Council: Re: Petition No. 5860 — Cadillac