

public alley which lies southerly of and abuts the southerly line of Lots 63 and 99 all inclusive of the Leland-Dodge Subdivision of part of Fractional Section 28, T.1S., R.12E., City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 37, Page 2, Plats, Wayne County records; also

All that part of the east-west public alley 20 feet wide, in the block bounded by Klein, Mt. Elliott, Conant and Farr abutting the southerly of Lots 63 and 99 and the 20 feet wide north-south alley lying between said Lots 63 and 99 all inclusive of the above mentioned subdivision;

Be and the same are hereby vacated as public alleys and are hereby converted into public easements of the full width of the alleys, which easements shall be subject to the following covenants and agreements, uses, reservations and regulations, which shall be observed by the owners of the lots abutting on said alleys and by their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, forever to wit:

FIRST, said owners hereby grant to and for the use of the public easements or rights-of-way over said vacated public alleys hereinabove described for the purposes of maintaining, installing, repairing, removing, or replacing public utilities such as water mains, sewers, gas lines or mains, telephone, electric light conduits or poles or things usually placed or installed in a public alley in the City of Detroit, with the right to ingress and egress at any time to and over said easements for the purpose above set forth,

SECOND, said utility easements or rights-of-way in and over said vacated alleys hereinabove described shall be forever accessible to the maintenance and inspection forces of the utility companies, or those specifically authorized by them, for the purpose of inspecting, installing, maintaining, repairing, removing, or replacing any sewer conduit, water main, gas line or main, telephone or light pole or any utility facility placed or installed in the utility easement or right-of-way. The utility companies shall have the right to cross or use the driveways and yards of the adjoining properties for ingress and egress at any time to and over said utility easements with any necessary equipment to perform the above-mentioned tasks, with the understanding that the utility companies shall use due care in such crossing or use, and that any property damaged by the utility companies, other than that specifically prohibited by this resolution, shall be restored to a satisfactory condition,

THIRD, said owners for their heirs and assigns further agree that no build-

ings or structures of any nature whatsoever including, but not limited to, concrete slabs or driveways, retaining or partition walls (except necessary line fence) shall be built or placed upon said easements, nor any change of surface grade made, without prior approval of the City Engineering Department.

FOURTH, that if any time in the future, the owners of any lots abutting on said vacated alleys shall request the removal and/or relocation of any existing poles or other utilities in said easements, such owners, upon whose property that poles or other utilities are located pay all costs incidental to such removal and/or relocation, unless such charges are waived by the utility owners;

PROVIDED FURTHER, that if any utility 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 construction not in accordance with Section 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 utility.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Eberhard, Hood, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz and President Henderson — 6.

Nays — None.

**City Engineering Department**

March 13, 1984

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 2047, Mr. Edward Crenshaw, Jr., Conversion to Easement of the east half of the Public Alley south of Joy Road between Birwood and Griggs.

The above petition requests the conversion of the above described public alley, 20 feet wide, into an easement for public utilities. The requested conversion into easement for public utilities 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:

All City departments and privately-owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the conversion to an easement of said alley or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioner regarding their installation therein.

The adoption of the attached resolution is recommended.

Respectfully submitted,

CLYDE R. HOPKINS

Director

By Council Member Eberhard:

**RESOLVED**, That all that part of the east-west public alley, 20 feet wide, in the block bounded by Birwood, Griggs, Oakman and Joy Road abutting the rear line of Lots 2319 to 2324 and abutting the northerly line of Lot 2325 all inclusive of Robert Oakman Land Company's Aviation Field Subdivision No. 3 as recorded in Liber 49, Page 56, Plats, Wayne County records; Be and the same is hereby vacated as a public alley and is hereby converted into a public easement of the full width of the alley, which easement shall be subject to the following covenants and agreements, uses, reservations and regulations, which shall be observed by the owners of the lots abutting on said alley and by their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, forever to wit:

**FIRST**, said owners hereby grant to and for the use of the public an easement or right-of-way over said vacated public alley hereinabove described for the purposes of maintaining, installing, repairing, removing, or replacing public utilities such as water mains, sewers, gas lines or mains, telephones, electric light conduits or poles or things usually placed or installed in a public alley in the City of Detroit, with the right to ingress and egress at any time to and over said easement for the purpose above set forth,

**SECOND**, said utility easement or right-of-way in and over said vacated alley hereinabove described shall be forever accessible to the maintenance and inspection forces of the utility companies, or those specifically authorized by them, for the purpose of inspecting, installing, maintaining, repairing, removing, or replacing any sewer conduit, water main, gas line or main, telephone or light pole or any utility facility placed or installed in the utility easement or right-of-way. The utility companies shall have the right to cross or use the driveways and yards of the adjoining properties for ingress and egress at any time to and over said utility easements with any necessary equipment to perform the above-mentioned tasks, with easements with any necessary equipment to perform the above-mentioned tasks, with the understanding that the utility companies shall use due care in such crossing or use, and that any property damaged by the utility companies, other than that specifically prohibited by this resolution, shall be restored to a satisfactory condition,

**THIRD**, said owners for their heirs and assigns further agree that no buildings or structures of any nature whatsoever including, but not limited to,

concrete slabs or driveways, retaining or partition walls (except necessary line fence) shall be built or placed upon said easement, nor any change of surface grade made, without prior approval of the City Engineering Department,

**FOURTH**, that if any time in the future, the owners of any lots abutting on said vacated alley shall request the removal and/or relocation of any existing poles or other utilities in said easement, such owners, upon whose property that poles or other utilities are located pay all costs incidental to such removal and/or relocation, unless such charges are waived by the utility owners.

**PROVIDED FURTHER**, that if any utility 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 construction not in accordance with Section 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 utility.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Eberhard, Hood, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz and President Henderson — 6.

Nays — None.

#### City Engineering Department

March 13, 1984

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 1384. Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation Conversion to Easement of a Portion of Crawford Street, between South Street and Fort Street.

The above petition request the conversion of a portion of Crawford Street, between South and Fort Streets into an easement for public utilities. The requested conversion into easement for public utilities 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:

All City departments and privately-owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the conversion to an easement of said street or that they have reached satisfactory agreements with the petitioner regarding their installation therein.

The adoption of the attached resolution is recommended.

Respectfully submitted,  
CLYDE R. HOPKINS,  
Director