tion order of November 2, 1983 on the property at 2207 Meldrum, we submit the following information.

The property consists of a single family dwelling and our previous recommendation was denial. The petitioner has since requested a reinspection which revealed that the building is barricaded and appears to be sound and repairable.

We respectfully recommend that the demolition order be deferred for 60 days subject to the following conditions:

1. The building shall be maintained securely barricaded until rehabilitation is complete.

2. The yards shall be maintained clear of weeds, junk and debris at all times.

3. If the building becomes open to trespass, we will request the DPW to proceed with demolition without further hearings.

> Respectfully submitted, CREIGHTON C. LEDERER

Director

By Council Member Cleveland:

Resolved, That the removal order of November 2, 1983 (J.C.C. p. 2128) insofar as same applies to structure at 2207 Meldrum only, be and the same is hereby deferred for a period of sixty (60) days, and jurisdiction of same is hereby returned to the Buildings and Safety Engineering Department, subject to the provisions outlined in the foregoing communication.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Collins, Eberhard, Hood, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz, and President Henderson - 9.

Nays — None.

City Engineering Department April 18, 1984

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 2578. Bert E. Babbitt, 6303 Guilford. Vacation of a Portion of the Public Utility Easement in Vacated Minerva Avenue.

The above petition request the vacation of a portion of the public utility easement retained in vacated Minerva Avenue west of Guilford (vacated April 14, 1982, J.C.C. Page 903).

The petition was referred to us for investigation and report. Our report, accompanied by the original petition is as follows:

All involved City departments and privately-owned utility companies reported that they will be unaffected by the vacation of said portion of 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 By Council Member Cleveland:

Resolved, That all that part of the northerly 30 feet of the public utility easement, formerly Minerva Avenue converted to a public utility easement on April 14, 1982, J.C.C., Page 903, 60 feet wide, west of Guilford Avenue, lying southerly of and abutting the southerly line of the easterly 108.46 feet of Lot 39, inclusive of the Grosse Pointe Highlands Annex Subdivision of the northerly part of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Rear Concession of P.C. 239, Gratiot Township, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 42, Page 52, Plats, Wayne County records.

Be and the same is hereby vacated

as a public utility easement.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Collins, Eberhard, Hood, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz and President Henderson — 9.

Nays - None.

City Engineering Department April 18, 1984

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition Nos. 1652 and 3097. Peter Marino etal. Request to Temporarily Close a Portion of the East-West Public Alley South of Moross Between Marne and Duprey.

Returning herewith Petition Numbers 1652 and 3097 of Peter Marino, etal, requesting the temporary closing of a portion of the above described alley. The temporary closing is to be for a period of one (1) year until May 1,

The temporary closing was recommended 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 involved City departments and privately owned utility companies have reported that they have no objection to the proposed temporary closing or that they have made satisfactory arrangements with the petitioner.

An appropriate resolution containing the necessary provisions is attached for consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted, CLYDE R. HOPKINS, Director

By Council Member Cleveland: Resolved, That the City Engineering Department is hereby authorized and directed to issue permits to Mr. Peter Marino, etal, to close that portion of the east-west public alley, 20 feet wide, abutting the rear line of the easterly 10 feet of 10 feet of Lot 1626, all of Lot 1627 and the westerly 15 feet of Lot 1628 and