of Transportation, Ronald Towns and City of Detroit. Case No. 83 338 444 NI. File No. 83 2360 lfk.

We have reviewed the above-captioned lawsuit, the facts and particulars of which are set forth in the memorandum. From this review, it is our considered opinion that a settlement in the amount of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars Exactly (\$7,500.00) is in the best interest of the City of Detroit.

We, therefore, request your Honorable Body to direct the Finance Director to issue her draft in the amount of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars Exactly (\$7,500.00) payable to Mary F. Coleman and her attorneys, Cohen and Ross, to be delivered upon receipt of properly executed Releases and a Stipulation and Order of Dismissal approved by the Law Department.

Respectfully submitted, DENNIS BURNETT,

Acting Sprv. Asst. Corp. Counsel Approved:

DONALD E. PAILEN Corporation Counsel ABIGAIL ELIAS

**Deputy Corporation Counsel** By Council Member Mahaffey:

Resolved, That the Finance Director be, and she is hereby authorized and directed to draw her warrant upon the proper fund in favor of Mary F. Coleman and her attorneys, Cohen and Ross, in the sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars Exactly (\$7,500.00) in full payment of any and all claims which they may have against the City of Detroit by reason of alleged injuries when she sustained all tort damages while riding a D.O.T. bus, and that said amount be paid upon presentation of properly executed Releases and a Stipulation and Order of Dismissal of Lawsuit No. 83 338 444 NI, approved by the Law Department. Approved:

DONALD E. PAILEN Corporation Counsel By: ABIGAIL ELIAS **Deputy Corporation Counsel** 

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Collins, Eberhard, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz, and President Henderson · 8.

Nays — None.

## **Law Department**

June 12, 1985

Honorable City Council:

Re: Milton Scott and Cleeta Scott, his wife vs. Waymon Harris. Case No. 85 502 738 NO. File No. 82-4317 HHH.

Representation by the Law Department of the City employee listed below

is hereby recommended, as we concur with the recommendation of the Head of the Department and believe that the City Council should find and determine that the suit against the Defendant arises out of or involves the performance in good faith of the official duties of such Defendant.

Defendant: Waymon Harris — Badge No. 2466.

> Respectfully submitted. DENNIS BURNETT.

Acting Sprv. Asst. Corp. Counsel Approved:

DONALD E. PAILEN Corporation Counsel By: ABIGAIL ELIAS

Deputy Corporation Counsel

By Council Member Mahaffev:

Resolved, That the Law Department is hereby authorized under the provisions of Chapter 13, Article 11 of the Municipal Code of the City of Detroit and in accordance with the foregoing communication to provide legal representation to defendant: Waymond Harris, TEO - Badge No. 2466. Approved:

DONALD E. PAILEN Corporation Counsel By: ABIGAIL ELIAS **Deputy Corporation Counsel** 

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Collins, Eberhard, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz, and President Henderson - 8.

Nays — None.

### Law Department June 19, 1985

Honorable City Council: Re: Amended Resolution—Alley Conversion, Petition No. 2503 (856-B).

On July 11, 1984, action was taken by your Honorable Body to close a portion of the North/South alley in Petition #2503 (856-B). Since that time the petitioner has collected sufficient signatures to close the remaining section of alley at the South end.

The attached resolution is submitted

for your approval. Respectfully submitted JOSEPH N. BALTIMORE Supv. Asst. Corp. Counsel

Approved: DONALD PAILEN Corporation Counsel

By: ABIGAIL ELIAS Deputy Corporation Counsel

By Council Member Mahaffey: WHEREAS, the following petition has been filed with the City Council, signed by not less than two-thirds of the owners of properties respectively abutting the alley as herein described, pursuant to ordinance for the purpose of determining the advisability of this alley vaca-

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PETITION NO. 2503

CONVERSION TO EASEMENT OF THE NORTH/SOUTH ALLEY IN THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY GRIGGS, ILENE AND PLYMOUTH AVENUES AND THE C & O RAILROAD;

RESOLVED, that all that part of an eighteen (18) foot wide section of alley running in a North/South direction, abutting Lots 150 and 151 on the West of said alley and Lots 160 and 161 on the East of said alley, in the LYNHURST SUBDIVISION, of part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 29, Greenfield Township, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 32, Page 60 of 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 abuting 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 easement or right-of-way over said vacated public alley hereinabove described for the purpose 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 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 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 drivew: s, retaining or partition walls (excel necessary line fences) shall be built or placed upon said easement, nor any change of surface grade made, without prior approval of the Department of Public Works.

FOURTH, that if at 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 easements, such owners, upon whose property the poles or other utilities are located shall pay all costs incidental to such removal and/or relocation, unless such charges are waived by the utility owners.

PROVIDED r URTHER, 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 3, 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 and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk shall, within 30 days, record a certified copy of this resolution with the Wayne County Register of Deeds, and shall send a certified copy to the State Treasurer, and shall further transmit a copy of this resolution to the City Engineer, to the Law Department and to the Department of Public Works; and be it further

RESOLVED, that upon the receipt of a copy of the resolution, the Law Department shall notify the owners of the property abutting on such alley or portions thereof, and other necessary parties, that the alley or portions thereof have been vacated and converted in easement for utilities; and be it further

RESOLVED, that upon the receipt of a copy of the resolution, the City Engineer shall correct the official city maps and records; and be it further

RESOLVED, that upon the receipt of a copy of the resolution, the Department of Public Works shall adjust its garbage and refuse collection services accordingly.

Approved:

DONALD PAILEN
Corporation Counsel
By: ABIGAIL ELIAS
Deputy Corporation Counsel

Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Collins, Eberhard, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz, and President Henderson — 8.

Nays - None.

# **Arts Department**

June 7, 1985

Honorable City Council:

Re: Permission to Appropriate Found-

ers Society Grant.

On behalf of the Detroit Institute of Arts, the Founders Society via Grant Application Number A83-160150, was awarded a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts in the amount of \$20,040.00.

The funds awarded via approval Grant Number 42-4431-0519 are being provided for the purchase of an Infrared Spectrometer for the Conservation Services Laboratory of the Detroit Institute of Arts and will be matched 50-50 with \$20,040.00 budgeted in the Museum's 1984-85 Budget.

The Infrared Spectrometer is a state of the art instrument useful for such scientific and analytical investigatory activities as the differentiation of organic

pigments in art objects.

Under separate contractual agreement which your Honorable Body has previously approved, the Founders Society warrants to donate funds received under various grants, applicable to Detroit Institute of Arts Divisonal operations, to the Detroit Institute of Arts.

At this time, the Detroit Institute of Arts requests permission to appropriate grants to a maximum of \$20,040.00 and transfer matching funds of up to \$20,040.00 from appropriation 0002-Museum Management to appropriation 7165-DIA/Founders Grants.

Respectfully submitted, MICHAEL KAN Acting Director

Approved:

W.I. STECHER
Budget Director
JOHN P. KANTERS

Deputy Finance Director By Council Member Kelley:

Resolved, That the Detroit Institute of Arts be authorized to establish Appropriation 7165, D.I.A./Founders Grant, in an amount not to exceed \$20,040.00; and be it further

Resolved, That a grant match of \$20,040.00 be transferred from Appropriation 0002-Museum Management and Support to Appropriation 7165, D.I.A./Founders grants; and be it further

Resolved, That the Finance Director be and is hereby authorized to honor all vouchers when presented in accordance with this resolution. Adopted as follows:

Yeas — Council Members Cleveland, Collins, Eberhard, Kelley, Mahaffey, Peoples, Ravitz, and President Henderson — 8.

Nays - None.

### **Arts Department**

May 20, 1985

Honorable City Council:

Re: Founders Society Supplements for Positions Covered by the Personnel Selection and Retention Committee.

In accordance with the executed Agreement between the City of Detroit and Founders Society made on the 15th day of May, 1984; the Society, in its discretion, may provide salary supplements to certain members of the professional staff of the DIA employed by the City.

We, therefore, request adoption of the attached resolution which will allow the Founders Society to adjust or increase supplements for the professional staff of the DIA employed by the City for the fiscal year July 1, 1985 through June 30, 1986.

Those individuals for whom supplements are being proposed and/or increased are listed on the attached.

Respectfully submitted, MICHAEL KAN Acting Director

Approved:

W.I. STECHER
Budget Director

JOHN P. KANTERS

Deputy Finance Director By Council Member Kelley:

Resolved, That the attached list of Founders Society's proposed 1985-86 salary supplements for certain professional staff of the Detroit Institute of Arts be approved.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays — None.

#### Buildings and Safety Engineering Department June 17, 1985

Honorable City Council: Re: 15887 Cherrylawn.

We have researched the above location and submit the following report.

A dangerous building notice was issued on August 31, 1981 and the building was subsequently barricaded. Our inspection of March 15, 1985 found the building vacant and open to trespass. We posted a copy of the notice on the building and requested a hearing before City Council.