

and the same is hereby suspended, for this session only, for the purpose of introducing an ordinance to amend Chapter 47 of the 1984 City of Detroit Code to provide for an increase in monthly pensions to \$800.00 for individuals who retired pursuant to Chapter 5 of the 1918 City Charter, which motion prevailed as follows:

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

Nays — None.

*RECONSIDERATION (No. 11), per Motions before Adjournment.

City Council

Division of Research and Analysis

May 28, 1986

Honorable City Council:

Re: Pension Increase To Individuals Receiving Benefits From The "Old Pension Plan."

In accordance with the 1986-87 budget adopted by Council, attached is the ordinance amending the Municipal Code to provide an increase to certain retirees receiving benefits under Title IX, Chapter V of the 1918 City of Detroit charter known as the "general old pension plan". In the memo to Council of February 10, 1986, Mr. John Marco, City Council Fiscal Analyst, identified 34 retirees under the General Fund, Library and Water fund of the "old pension plan" who average only \$3,361 in pension per year.

This amendment will provide for a flat monthly pension benefit of \$800.00 to each retirant. This rate will become effective July 1, 1986.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPHINE A. POWELL
Director

By Council Member Mahaffey:

AN ORDINANCE to amend Chapter 47 of the 1984 City of Detroit Municipal Code by adding Section 47-10-2, formerly Section 54-100-2 of the 1964 City of Detroit Municipal Code as established by Ordinance Number 206-H providing effective July 1, 1986, for a flat monthly pension benefit to those individuals still living, who retired pursuant to Chapter 5 of the 1918 City of Detroit Charter as amended through June 30, 1984 and continued in effect by Article II, Section 102 of the 1974 City of Detroit Charter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF DETROIT:

Section 1. That Chapter 47 of the 1984 Municipal Code of the City of Detroit be amended by adding Section 47-10-2, formerly Section 54-100-2 of the 1964 Municipal Code of the City of

Detroit as established by Ordinance Number 206-H as follows:

SEC. 47-10-2. EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1986, A RETIRANT OF THE CITY OF DETROIT WHO RETIRED PURSUANT TO TITLE IX CHAPTER 5 OF THE 1918 CITY OF DETROIT CHARTER SHALL RECEIVE A FLAT MONTHLY PENSION BENEFIT OF \$800.00.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. This ordinance is declared necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the People of the City of Detroit.

Read twice by title, ordered printed and laid on the table.

Resolution Setting Hearing

By Council Member Mahaffey:

Resolved, That a Public Hearing will be held by this body in the Committee Room, 13th Floor of the City-County Building on FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1986, at 10:55 A.M., for the purpose of considering the advisability of adopting the foregoing proposed ordinance to amend Chapter 47 of the 1984 City Code to provide for a flat monthly pension benefit of \$800.00, effective July 1, 1986, to those individuals still living, who retired pursuant to Chapter 5 of the 1918 City Charter.

All interested persons are invited to be present and be heard as to their views on the above proposed ordinance.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays — None.

*RECONSIDERATION (No. 12), per Motions before Adjournment.

City Engineering Department

June 6, 1986

Honorable City Council:

Re: Petition No. 324. All Eastern Iron and Metal. Requested outright vacation of north-south and portion of east-west public alleys in block bounded by Mt. Elliott, Foster, Benham and Cymbal.

The above petition requests the outright vacation of the north-south public alley, 20 feet wide, and a portion of the east-west alley, 15 feet wide, in the block bounded by Mt. Elliott, Foster, Benham and Cymbal Avenues.

The requested outright vacations were approved by the Community and Economic Development Department. The petition was referred to this department for investigation and report. Our report accompanied by the original petition is as follows:

The petitioner plans to utilize the paved alley return entrance (into Benham Avenue) and requests such remain in its present status. The petitioner shall pay all incidental removal costs whenever discontinuance of use makes removal necessary.

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

An appropriate resolution is attached for consideration by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,
 CLYDE R. HOPKINS
 Director

By Council Member Cleveland:

Resolved, That all that part of the north-south public alley, 20 feet wide, in the block bounded by Mt. Elliott, Foster, Benham and Cymbal Avenues having been deeded for public alley purposes as part of the City Council resolutions adopted on April 3, 1923 in the Journal of the City Council pages 716 to 717 and May 1, 1923 in the Journal of the City Council pages 986 to 987, said land being described as: the easterly 20 feet of Lot 21 of H. L. Baker's Subdivision of Lots 16, 17, 18, 19 and the West 1/2 of 20 of the Subdivision of the North 1/2 of Section 28 and the Northeast Fraction of Section 29, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., Hamtramck Township, City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 9, Page 55, Plats, Wayne County Records; also

All that part of the east-west public alley, 15 feet wide, in the block bounded by Mt. Elliott, Foster, Benham and Cymbal Avenues lying south of and abutting the south line of Lots 39 to 46 and the east 20 feet of Lot 47 of Kosciuszko Subdivision of Lots 11, 12 and 15 of the plat and survey of the North 1/2 of Section 28 and the Northeast Fraction of Section 29, T. 1 S., R. 12 E., Hamtramck Township, City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 32, Page 91, Plats, Wayne County Records, also lying north of and abutting the north line of the east 20 feet of Lot 21 and Lots 22 to 29 of the herein above mentioned "H. L. Baker's Subdivision" as recorded in Liber 9, Page 55, Plats, Wayne County Records;

Be and the same are hereby vacated as public alleys to become a part and parcel of the abutting property; and be it further

Resolved, That if it becomes necessary to remove the paved alley return at the alley entrance (into Benham Avenue) such removal and construction of new curb and sidewalk shall be done under

City permit and inspection according to City Engineering Department specifications with all costs borne by the petitioner, their heirs or assigns.

Adopted as follows:

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

Nays — None.

*RECONSIDERATION (No. 13) per Motions before Adjournment

City Engineering Department

June 3, 1986

Honorable City Council:
 Re: Petition No. 165, Marvin Lee Cotton, Request to temporary close portion of north-south alley east of Gratiot between Belvidere and McClellan.

We are returning herewith Petition No. 165 of Marvin Lee Cotton requesting temporary closing of a portion of the north-south public alley, 20 feet wide, east of Gratiot Avenue between Belvidere and McClellan Avenues.

The request was approved by the Community and Economic Development Department with certain restrictions.

All other City departments and privately owned utility companies have reported they have no objections to the proposal, provided they have the right to ingress and egress at all times to their facilities.

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

Respectfully submitted,
 CLYDE R. HOPKINS
 Director

By Council Member Cleveland:

Resolved, That the City Engineering Department be and it is hereby authorized and directed to issue permits to Marvin Lee Cotton to close a portion of the north-south public alley, 20 feet wide, east of Gratiot Avenue between Belvidere and McClellan Avenues adjoining Lots 12, 13 and parts of Lots 11, 14 and 159, all of the "Joseph S. Visger's Gratiot Avenue Subdivision, of part of Private Claim 10, South of Gratiot Avenue", City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 18, Page 84, Plats, Wayne County Records, being more particularly described as: Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Lot 11, which is North 62 degrees 05 minutes East, 14.03 feet from the intersection of the northeasterly line of Belvidere Avenue, 60 feet wide, with the northerly line of said public alley, 20 feet wide; thence along said alley line North 26 degrees 23 minutes East, 131.66 feet; thence along the extension