City of Metroit

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OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Deputy City Clerk

DEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE COMMUNICATION

November 30, 2001

To: The Department or Commission Listed Below

From: Jackie L. Currie **Detroit City Clerk**

The following petition is herewith referred to you for report and recommendation to the City Council.

In accordance with that body's directive, kindly return the same with your report in duplicate within four (4) weeks.

/PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS **DEPARTMENTS - CITY ENGINEERING DIVISION/**

4377 Detroit Public Schools School Manager Team, L.L.C./Mason L. Brown & Associates, Inc., requesting vacation and relocation of alley easements for utility purposes in the area of Maddelein, Lappin, Coram, Novara, Brock and Crusade to facilitate construction of the new Heilman Middle School.

4384 Pure Word Missionary Baptist Church, for closure of alley and partial closure of another alley in the area of Tracy and Schaefer.

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Pure Word Missionary Baptist Church

Rev. Samuel Stephens, Pastor 16101 Schaefer Hwy - Detroit, Michigan 48235 - 313-862-5900 Ministerial Staff
Dr. F.B. Thompson
Dr. Jasper Stephens
Rev. O.L. Johnson
Rev. B. Brown
Rev. M. Campbell
Evangelist E. Walker
Evangelist A. Coty

December 3, 2001

Honorable City Council of the City of Detroit:

We are requesting a closure of an alley North of Puritan Ave. between Tracy Ave. and Schaefer Hwy. Also, a partial block off another alley running parallel to Tracy Ave. and Schaefer Hwy., north of the stated alley above and it runs 150 feet from one end of the church property to the other end. The reasons are:

> The safety of the congregation due to vehicle traffic during church and community services

> Safety and security of residence adjacent to the area questioned

> Increase of neighborhood property value

If you have any questions please contact me, Walter L. Williams at 313-399-7016. We hope that you will consider our request.

Thank you and God Bless

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Bro. Walter L. Williams

Financial Director

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