

City of Detroit  
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

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City Clerk

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**DEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE COMMUNICATION**

*Monday, April 23, 2012*

*To: The Department or Commission Listed Below*

*From: Janice M. Winfrey, Detroit City Clerk*

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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.

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PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT    DPW - CITY ENGINEERING DIVISION

**2359**    *Allen Academy, request for an ease way starting at the corner of Radford  
halfway down to Pingree Street*

Cc: File (313) 318-6676 David Stott Building  
1150 Griswold Ave., Suite 2460  
Detroit, MI 48226

Phone (313) 961-2707  
Fax (313) 961-2916

April 16, 2012

Office of City Clerk  
c/o Ms. Janice Winfrey  
2 Woodward Ave., C.A.Y.M.C.  
Detroit, Michigan 48226

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Re: Allen Academy obtaining a ease way

Dear Ms. Winfrey,

Allen Academy is a Kindergarten thru Twelfth grade Charter School with over a thousand students enrolled. The School Board of Allen Academy is proposing an ease way between the school building and the parking lot that is on the other side of the public street. All the property involved belongs to the Allen Academy School except for the public street. The ease way would start at the corner of Radford and Pingree and travel southward half way down the street (Pingree) and end there. The public half on the street would be denied public access by barricades. The barricades themselves would be six by four made of a durable plastic. They would be filled with water. This would make them easy and effective in case of emergency, they could be emptied if need be. As now proposed it would cause no undue hardship to the rest of the residents on the street. They would have ingress and egress from the other half of the street. This is where their houses are and this is were they usually park.

In the mean time the students, teachers and visitors to the school would be able to enjoy the portion of the street that is enclosed from traffic. The school could chose to put some benches along the stretch of sidewalk and make the immediate area seem more "campus-like." The students, teachers and visitors would be more secure and safe with an environment that provides for more assessable foot traffic.

The school year ends in the first week June, we would like to have your answer by then at the latest. This will assist us greatly in advising the parents of anticipated new routes. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call at the number on my letterhead.

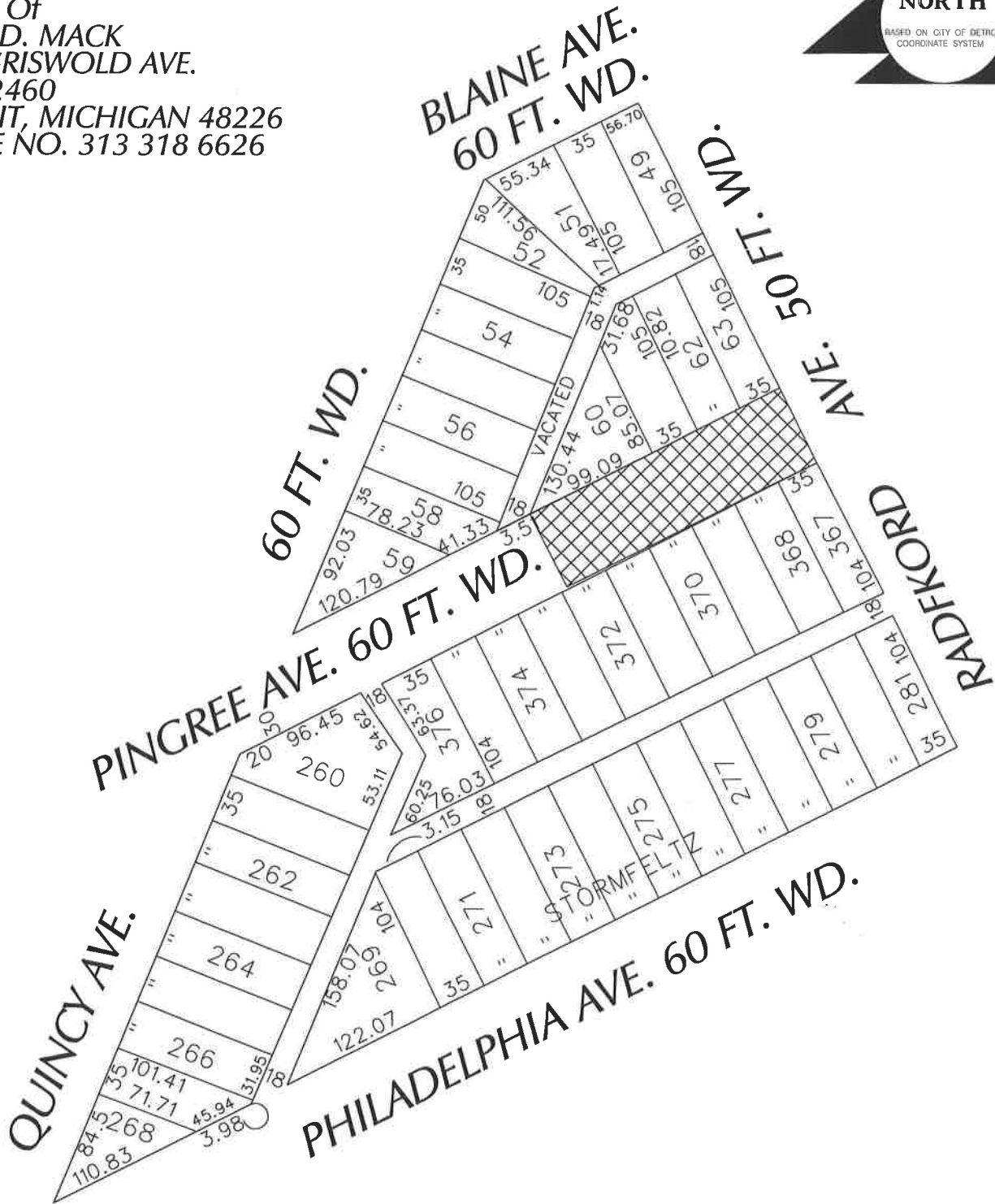
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "D. Duval Mack". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

D. Duval Mack  
Attorney and Counselor

DDM/  
Enclosure  
Cc: File

PETITION NO. 2359  
 ALLEN ACADEMY  
 In Care Of  
 DARYL D. MACK  
 1150 GRISWOLD AVE.  
 SUITE 2460  
 DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48226  
 PHONE NO. 313 318 6626



- AREA OF EASEMENT

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REQUEST TO CONVERT TO EASEMENT  
 A SECTION OF PINGREE  
 (60 FT. WD.)  
 BETWEEN QUINCY AND RADFORD  
 TO CONNECT CAMPUS OF  
 ALLEN ACADEMY

CITY OF DETROIT	
CITY ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT	
SURVEY BUREAU	
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