



City of Detroit  
Inter-Departmental Communication

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**TO:** Richard Doherty, City Engineer  
City Engineering/Department of Public Works

**FROM:** Debra Singleton, Manager II  
Detroit Water and Sewerage Department

**DATE:** April 23, 2013

**RE:** Petition No. 2679  
Requested Conversion to Easement – The Alleys in The Area  
Bounded By Joy, Schaefer, Chicago, and Hartwell

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We have reviewed the above Petition received by this office on April 2, 2013. With regard to DWSD's interests, our comment is as follows:

- Our records indicate that there is a sewer in the alley. DWSD has no objection to the requested conversion to easement provided that the attached Provisions for Conversion to Easement are strictly followed. Also attached are water and sewer section maps and sewer drawings for the area.

If you have any questions, please call me at (313) 267-8309.

Sincerely,

Debra Singleton  
Manager II  
Claims and Permits

DES/GS/gl

Attachments

CC: Cheryl Porter, WWP  
Mohamad Farhat, CSF  
Gang Song, MOB

**City of Detroit**  
**City Engineering Division, Department of Public Works**  
**Survey Bureau**

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE IN PROPERTY**

**Date:** MARCH 28, 2013

**Petition:** X 2679

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cable Television (CATV)                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Vacation                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Detroit Edison (DTE)                           |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Michigan Consolidated Gas (DTE)                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Conversion to Easement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Department                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Dedication                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & Development Department              |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Lighting Dept. - Communication Division | <input type="checkbox"/> Encroachment                      |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sanitation Division, DPW                       |  |
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A petition drawing is attached. Property shown on the attached print is proposed to be changed as indicated.

Kindly report (using the back of this sheet) the nature of your services (if any) affected by the proposed change and the estimated costs of removing and rerouting such services (if necessary).

Please return one copy to City Engineering Division, DPW. Retain one copy and print for you file.

Alfred Jordan, Director, Department of Public Works

By: Richard Doherty, CED DPW  
Head Engineer

**TO: City Engineering Division, DPW  
65 Cadillac Square, Suite 900  
Detroit, Michigan 48226-2873  
Survey Bureau: 313-224-3970  
Fax: 313-224-3471**

The proposed change in property (referred to on the other side of this sheet) would affect our services as follows:

- Not Involved
- Involved; but asking you to hold action on this petition until further notice.
- Involved; but no objections to the property change .
- Involved; but no objections to the property change...provided as easement of the full width of the public right-of-way (street, alley or other public place) is reserved.
- Involved; the nature of our services, and the estimated costs of removing and/or rerouting such services are:

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(Utility or City Department)

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By

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Area code – Telephone number



## PROVISIONS FOR CONVERSION TO EASEMENT

1. An easement, the full width of the existing right of way, is reserved for the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department for the purpose of installing, maintaining, repairing, removing, or replacing any sewers, water mains, fire hydrants and appurtenances, with the right of ingress and egress at any time to, and over said easement for the purpose above set forth.

Free and easy access to the sewers, water mains, fire hydrants and appurtenances within the easement is required for Detroit Water and Sewerage Department equipment, including the use of backhoes, bull dozers, cranes or pipe trucks, and other heavy construction equipment, as necessary for the alteration or repair of the sewer or water main facilities.

The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department retains the right to install suitable permanent main location guide posts over its water mains at reasonable intervals and at points of deflection.

2. Said owners of the adjoining property, for themselves, their heirs and assigns, agree that no building or structure of any nature whatsoever, including fences, porches, patios, balconies, etc., shall be built upon or over said easement, or that no grade changes or storage of materials shall be made within said easement without prior written approval and agreement with the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department.
3. If at any time in the future, the owners of any lots abutting on said vacated street shall request the removal and/or relocation of the aforementioned utilities in said easement, such owners shall pay all costs incident to such removal and/or relocation. It is further provided that if sewers, water mains, and/or appurtenances in said easement shall break or be damaged as a result of any action on the part of the owner, or assigns, then in such event, the owner or assigns shall be liable for all costs incident to the repair of such broken or damaged sewers and water mains, and shall also be liable for all claims for damages resulting from his action.

These provisions shall be made part of the City Council's Vacating Resolution.

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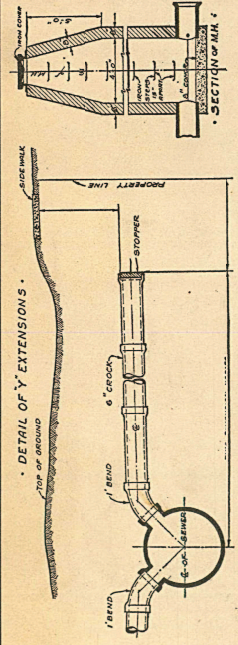
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# LATERAL SEWER IN ALLEY

IN BLOCKS BOUNDED BY  
**COOLIDGE - HARTWELL - JOY RD - W. CHICAGO**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
 CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE  
 DETROIT, MICH.

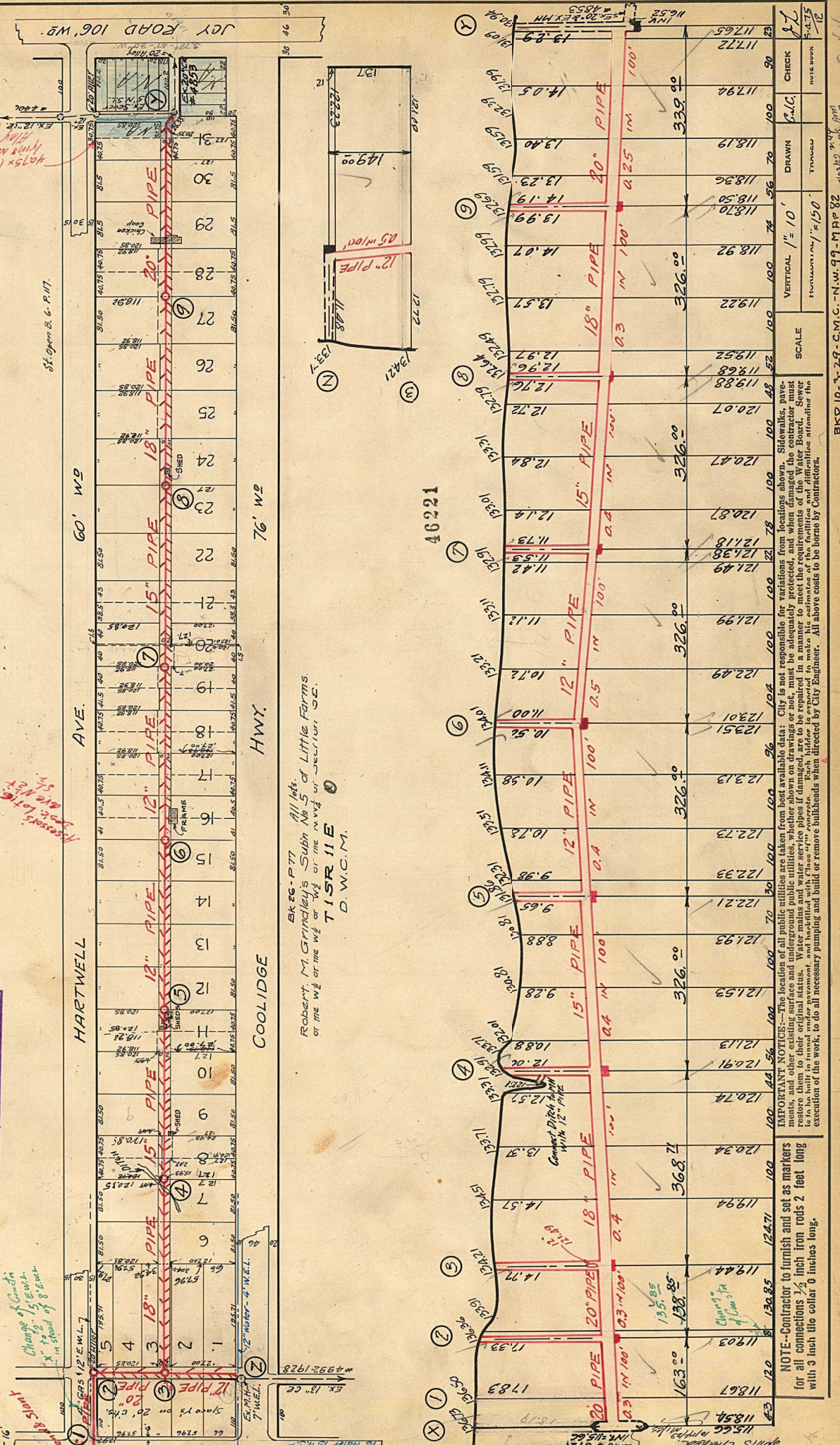
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 RESOLUTION 6-25-27 BIDS OPENED 7-3-27  
 CONTRACT CONF'D 7-9-27 COMPLETED 9-23-27  
 TIME LIMIT 9-10-27  
 CONTR. **Shel. Drain Const. Price** \$1 6815.45  
 D. M. Spies, Inc., 514 E. Ferry St., Chicago, Ill. E.I. = 132.70  
 Spike in 24" Iron, S. Side W. Chicago, 366 W. of Coolidge  
 E.I. = 136.76



Note: Sewer to be built in tunnel under pavement and backfilled with Class C concrete.  
 CAUTION: 4" gas main 12' E.W.L. in HARTWELL AVE.  
 12" water main 4' W.E.L. in COOLIDGE HWY.

**VITRIFIED PIPE**

(8) EIGHT MANHOLES INC. 75 IRON STEPS & 1-6" CONN.



SK 26-P 77 All lets.  
 Robert M. Grindley's Subm No 5 of Little Farms  
 of the W 1/2 of the W 1/2 or the NW 1/4 of Section 10, SE.  
**T 15 R 11 E**  
 D. W. C. M.

NOTE: Contractor to furnish and set as markers for all connections 1/2 inch iron rods 2 feet long with 3 inch title collar 6 inches long.

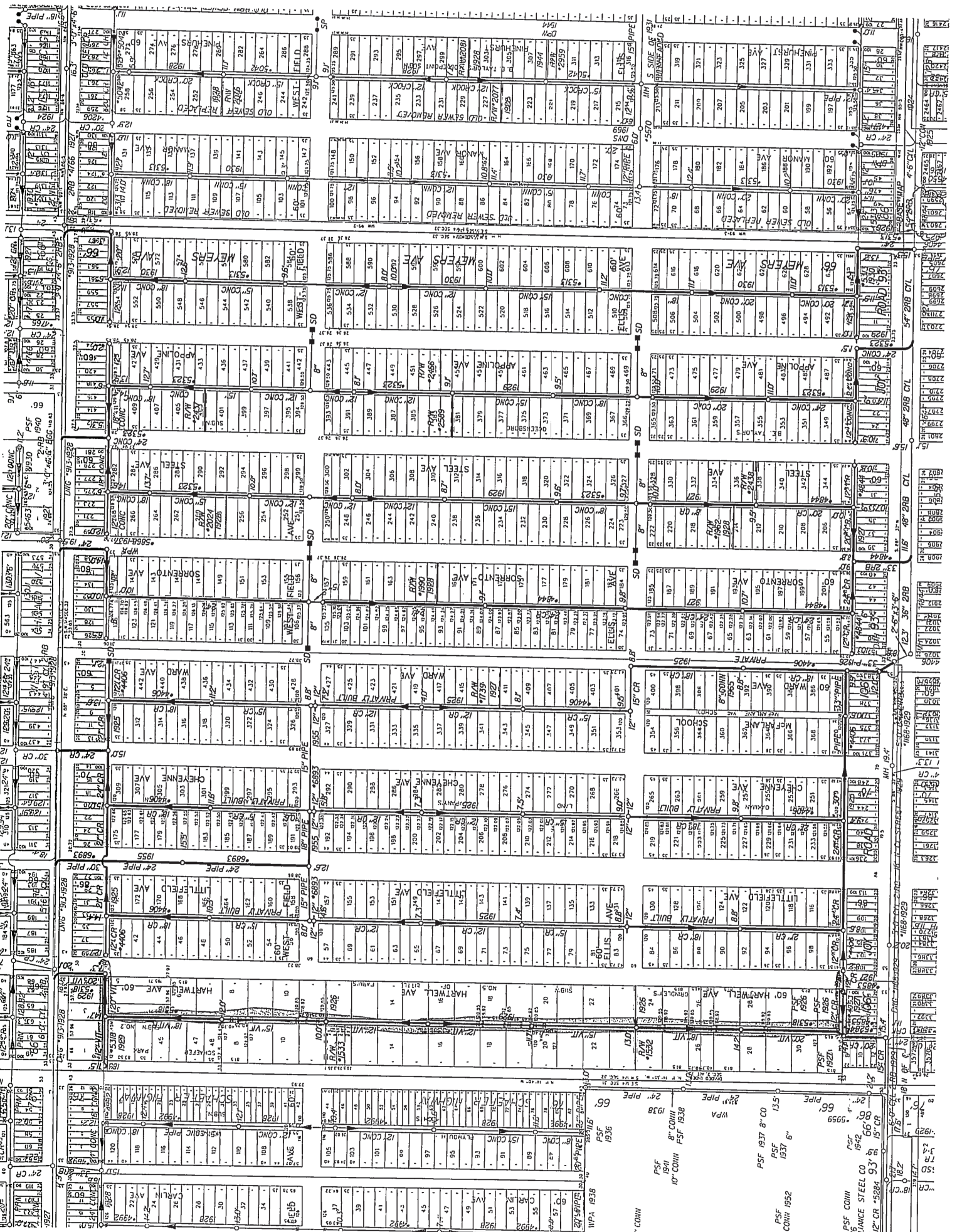
IMPORTANT NOTICE: The location of all public utilities are taken from best available data: City is not responsible for variations from locations shown. Sidewalks, pavements, and other existing surface and underground public utilities, whether shown on drawings or not, must be adequately protected, and when damaged the contractor must restore them to their original status. Water mains and water service pipes if damaged, are to be repaired in a manner to meet the requirements of the Water Board. Sewer pipes if damaged, are to be repaired in a manner to meet the requirements of the Water Board. All above costs to be borne by Contractors.

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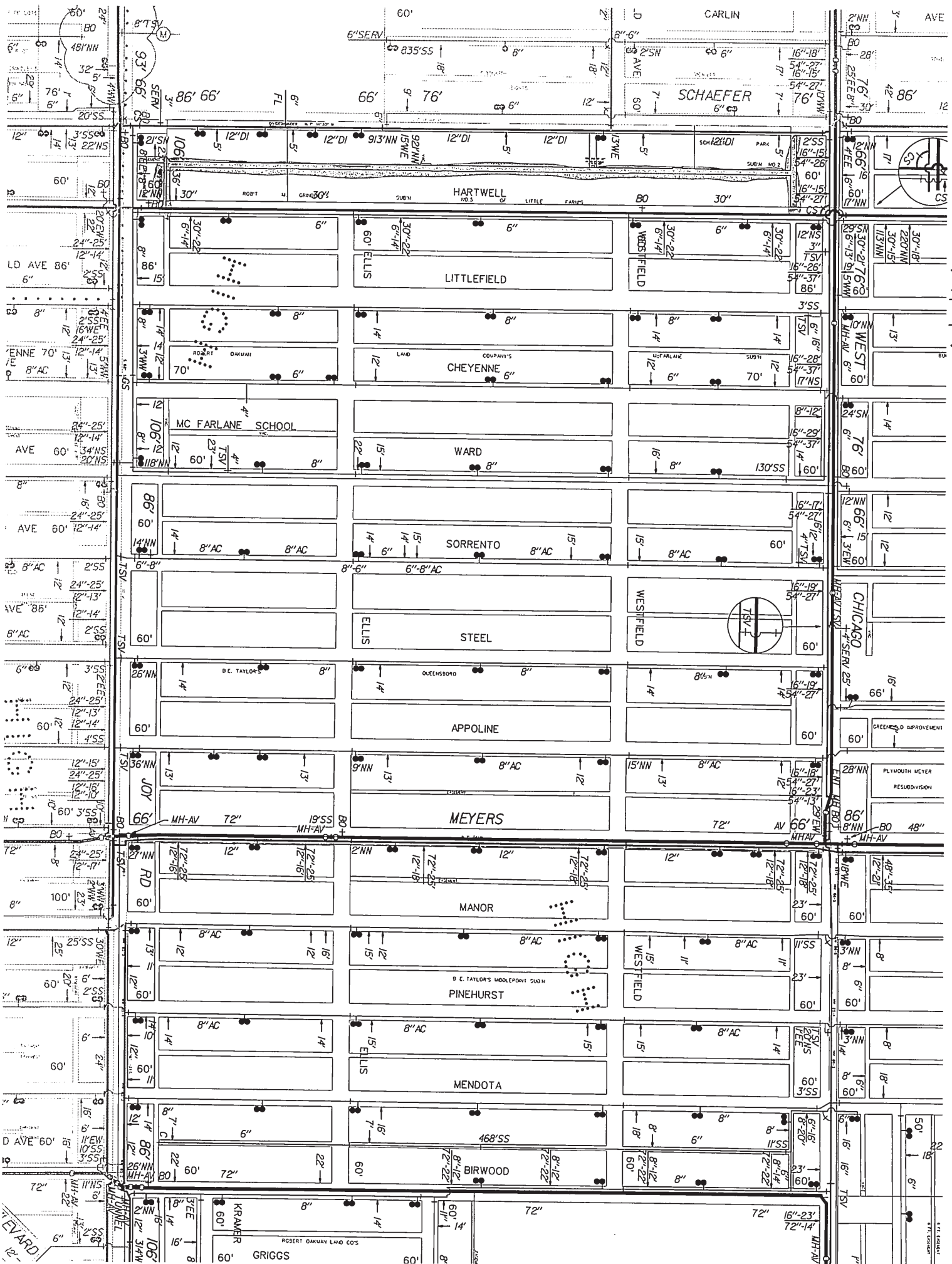
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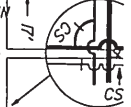
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