City of Detroit

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DEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE COMMUNICATION

Monday, December 05, 2016

To: The Department or Commission Listed Below

From: Janice M. Winfrey, 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.

DPW - CITY ENGINEERING DIVISION

Giffels Webster, request for encroachment into Woodward Ave. and corresponding public alley in the area of Woodward Ave. Clifford St. Washington Blvd, and Park Avenue.



November 29, 2016

HAND DELIVER

Honorable Detroit City Council C/o Detroit City Clerk 2 Woodward Avenue 200 Coleman A. Young Municipal Center Detroit, Michigan 48226

RE: Giffels Webster - Request for encroachment into Woodward Avenue and corresponding public alley in the area of Woodward Avenue, Clifford Street, Washington Boulevard, and Park Avenue.

Giffels Webster, 28 W. Adams, Suite 1200, Detroit, Michigan 48226, on behalf of Bedrock Real Estate Services, LLC, 1092 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, 48226, respectfully requests to encroach into the Woodward Avenue right-of-way and the corresponding public alley right-of-way, described as following:

- An 8 foot wide encroachment into the Woodward Avenue right-of-way, 120.14 feet in length, which will extend to the height of the building;
- An 8 foot wide encroachment into the public alley right-of-way, approximately 121.5 feet in length, which will extend to the height of the building.

Both encroachments are within the block bounded by Woodward Avenue, Clifford Street, Washington Boulevard, and Park Avenue and will extend from the southern property line of 1515 Woodward to the northern property line of 1525 Woodward.

This encroachment will neither impede pedestrian nor vehicular traffic, nor will it interfere with the maintenance of the public right-of-ways, including utility company and Fire Department access. The requested encroachment maintains an 8.5 foot wide access way within the sidewalk for pedestrian use and a 12 foot access way within the alley for vehicular use. Obtaining this encroachment is critical to fully utilize this property as a commercial establishment and will generate activity along the street. Drawings of the proposed location of encroachments are attached.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone, at 313.962.4442, or by email, at dclein@giffelswebster.com.

Respectfully,

Deirdre Clein, Planner Giffels Webster

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