**City of Detroit** 

## (x1373) **City Engineering Division, Department of Public Works** Maps and Records Bureau

### NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE IN PROPERTY

	Date:
	Petition:
AT&T Telecommunication	
Comcast Television (CATV)	Berm Use
Detroit Edison (DTE)	
Fire Department	Conversion to Easement
Great Lakes Water Authority	
Land Bank Authority	Dedication
Michcon (DTE)	
Planning & Development Department	Encroachment
Public Lighting Authority	
Public Lighting Department	Outright Vacation
Police Department	
Solid Waste Division, DPW	Temporary Closing
Street Design Bureau, DPW	
Street Maintenance Division, DPW	
Traffic Engineering Division, DPW	
Water and Sewerage Department	
Detroit Thermal	

International Transmission Company (ITC)

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). If a response is not received after a second notice of proposed change has been issed DPW will make the determination to move forward with the petition.

Please return one copy to City Engineering Division, DPW within two weeks of the submittal date. Retain one copy and print for you file.

Ron Brundidge, Director, Department of Public Works

By: Richard Doherty, CED DPW City Engineer

**GLWA GPET 21-005** 

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### TO: City Engineering Division, DPW 2 Woodward Ave., Suite 642 Detroit, Michigan 48226-3462 Survey Bureau: 313-224-3970

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

Not Involved
Involved; but no objections to the property change.
Involved; objection to the property change.
Involved; the nature of our services and the estimated costs of removing and/or rerouting such services are:

Objections, Please leave a brief explanation for any objection or the nature of an estimated cost:

(Utility or City Department)

By

Title

Date

Area code – Telephone number

# City of Detroit

Janice M. Winfrey City Clerk

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Andre P. Gilbert II Deputy City Clerk

# DEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE COMMUNICATION

Tuesday, January 19, 2021

To: The Department or Commission Listed Below

From: Janice M. Winfrey, Detroit City Clerk

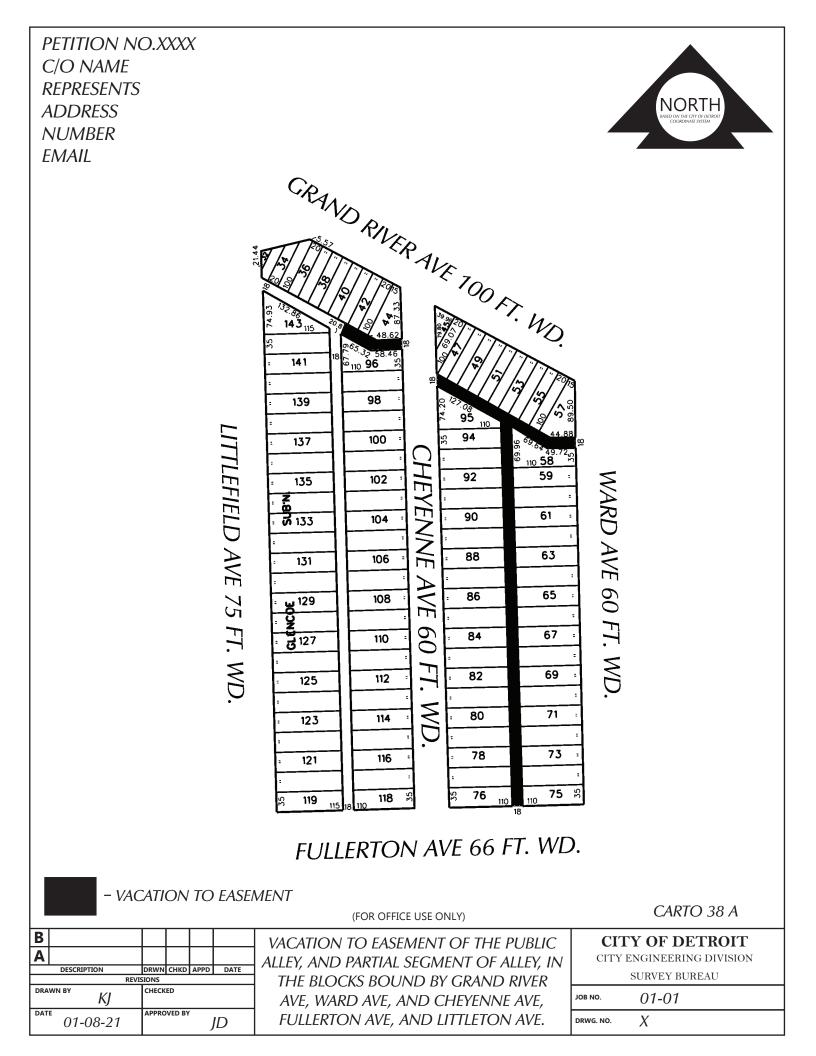
The following petition is herewith referred to you for report and recommendation to the City Council.

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

#### LEGISLATIVE POLICY DIVISION PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT LAW DEPARTMENT FINANCE DEPT/ASSESSMENTS DIVISION

**1373** Running Star Investment Group LLC request to vacate and convert into a public utility easement the public alley bounded by Grand River Avenue, Ward Avenue, Fullerton Avenue and Cheyanne Avenue. Also to vacate and convert into a public utility easement part of the public alley west of Cheyanne Avenue and south of Grand River Avenue.

2 Woodward Ave. Coleman A. Young Municipal Center Rm. 200, Detroit, MI 48226 (313) 224 - 3260 | Fax: (313) 224 - 1466





CITY OF DETROIT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS CITY ENGINEERING DIVISION COLEMAN A. YOUNG MUNICIPAL CENTER 2 WOODWARD AVE. SUITE 601 DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48226 PHONE: (313) 224-3949 TTY: 711 WWW.DETROITMI.GOV

To: Clerk's Office From: The Department of Public Works City Engineering Division MapsandRecordsBureau@DetroitMI.Gov (313) 224-3970

Petitioner: **Running Star Investment Group, LLC 17 North Washington Street, Suite E Ypsilanti, MI 48197 313-282-3617** 

On behalf of the above mentioned petitioner the Department of Public Works: City Engineering Division is submitting a petition request for the below mentioned action. The petitioner has received a project consultation from the Department of Public Works: City Engineering Division and has been advised the following:

#### Type of action recommended:

Petition to vacate and convert into a public utility easement the public alley bounded by Grand River Avenue, Ward Avenue, Fullerton Avenue, and Cheyenne Avenue. Also to vacate and convert into a public utility easement part of the public alley west of Cheyenne Avenue and south of Grand River Avenue.

Reviewed by:

Jered Dean Manager II

Maps and Records Bureau <u>MapsandRecordBureau@Detroitmi.gov</u> 313-224-3970

#### Running Star Investment Group LLC 17 North Washington Street, Suite E Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197

December 11, 2020

City of Detroit Maps & Records Bureau Young Municipal Center 2 Woodward Avenue Detroit, MI 48226

RE: Vacating Alley Grand River Avenue and Cheyanne



Dear City Council,

We hope this letter finds you and your families safe and well. We at Running Star Investment Group LLC (RSIG) are investing significant resources into a group of properties along the south side of Grand River Avenue between Littlefield and Ward in NW Detroit and have an option agreement with the City / DLBA to acquire two vacant residential lots directly behind our property facing Cheyanne and Ward.

With these lot purchases, and an additional vacant lot west of Cheyanne we already own, RSIG will own all of the property on both sides of the long-abandoned east-west alley running between Cheyanne and Ward, and sections of the east west alley west of Cheyanne, and the north-south alley between the two newly acquired lots.

We have already cleaned up, and are actively maintaining the lots to eliminate the extensive overgrowth and an ongoing dumping problem that existed there previously, and hope to use them, along with a third lot we already own across the street on Cheyanne to create a landscape buffer to the residential neighbored to the south and to implement storm water mitigation for the significant hard surface area on our existing sites.

We are asking the City of Detroit to vacate the long-abandoned east-west alley running between Cheyanne and Ward, and sections of the east west alley west of Cheyanne, and the north-south alley between the east west alley and Fullerton (in cooperation with our residential neighbors to the south) so as to allow us to maintain and improve them as described.

Attached are a preliminary illustration of the concept we intend to develop on the three lots and the alleys referenced in this request, and before and after "cleanup photos" of the area.

Thank you for your time and help in this matter, we look forward to helping make our new neighborhood reach its full potential.

Sincerely,

Fred J. Beal, Member Running Star Investment Group LLC





3550 EXECUTIVE PKWY BOX 229 TOLEDO OH, 43607 419.250.9797

### PROPOSAL FOR LOT BEAUTIFICATION

12757 & 12778 CHEYENNE, & 12723 WARD DETROIT, MI 48227 PREPARED FOR: JC BEAL CONSTRUCTION

SHRUBBERY. PLANTED TO PROVIDE NEW STORM WATER CATCHMENT

REV #	REVISIONS	DATE	DESIGNER

#### PLOT PLANS

