

and Loss (Surplus) as at December 31, 1931.

Received and placed on file.

From the Corporation Counsel

April 30, 1932.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—In accordance with resolution of your Honorable Body, we are forwarding proposed ordinance changing the name of Livernois Ave. to McNichols Road.

Very truly yours,

JOHN ATKINSON,

Assistant Corporation Counsel.

By Councilman Lodge:

AN ORDINANCE changing the name of Livernois Avenue to McNichols Road.

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF DETROIT:

Section 1. That the name of 2 Livernois Avenue in the City of Detroit, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be 5 known as McNichols Road.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved as to Form:

JOHN ATKINSON,

Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Read twice by title ordered printed and laid on the table.

From the Department of Public Works

May 17, 1932.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—The Department of Public Works recommends the cancellation of the following sidewalk assessments on account of errors in the property descriptions.

Roll 9711—Lot 240 on the north side of Camden between Annsbury and Norcross, amount \$21.40 to be cancelled.

Roll 9723—Lot 31 on the north side of Wilfred between Newport and Coplin, amount \$24.24 to be cancelled.

We further recommend that the Department of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to draw a voucher for \$45.64 in favor of the City Treasurer against Acct. 702 cement sidewalks, general road fund, in order to adjust the assessment rolls.

Respectfully submitted.

L. G. LENHARDT,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Smith:

Resolved, That on recommendation of the Department of Public Works, the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to cancel the sidewalk assessment, amount \$21.40 against lot 240 on the north side of Camden be-

shown on roll No. 9711; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to cancel the sidewalk assessment, amount \$24.24 against lot 31 on the north side of Wilfred between Newport and Coplin as shown on roll No. 9723; and be it further

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to draw a voucher in favor of the City Treasurer for \$45.64 against Acct. 702 cement sidewalks, general road fund, in order to adjust the assessment rolls.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Hall, Lodge, Smith, Van Antwerp and the President—7.

Nays—None.

From Department of Purchases and Supplies

May 16, 1932

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—In response to our advertisement for proposals for furnishing the City Treasurer with Tax Bills in accordance with specifications in file in this office, bids were received as per the attached tabulation and opened on May 13th, 1932.

The lowest bid in accordance with specifications, 2 per cent cash discount considered, was submitted by Lynn B. Emery, Inc., and the acceptance of same is recommended in furnishing 1,500 General City Tax Bills, Form T-23; 550,000 General City Tax Bills, Form 7-22; 100,000 Personal Tax Bills, Form T-88B, for the sum of \$1,426.00, f. o. b. delivered.

The approval of your Honorable Body is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioner.

By Councilman Lodge:

Resolved, That the Department of Purchases and Supplies be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract with Lynn B. Emery, Inc., for furnishing the City Treasurer with 1,500 general city tax bills form T-23; 550,000 general city tax bills form T-22, and 100,000 personal tax bills, form T-88B, for the sum of \$1,426.00, f. o. b. delivered.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Hall, Lodge, Smith, Van Antwerp and the President—7.

Nays—None.

From the Department of Purchases and Supplies

May 16, 1932

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

advertisement for proposals for furnishing the Department of Water Supply with one (1) year's requirements of Sulphate of Alumina, estimated at approximately 5,500 tons, in accordance with specifications on file in this office, bids were received as per the attached tabulation, and opened on April 15, 1932.

The lower bid in accordance with specifications was submitted by the General Chemical Company, and the acceptance of same is recommended as follows:

F. o. b. cars Detroit in 200 pound bags, \$19.55 per net ton; f. o. b. cars Detroit in bulk, \$18.55 per net ton; f. o. b. our warehouse floor at Water Works Park, via truck, \$19.55 per net ton.

The approval of your Honorable Body is requested.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioner.

Referred to General Order.

From Department of Police

May 14, 1932.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—The City has spent considerable sums in the past to rid the City of stray dogs, and every effort should be made to keep rabies at the minimum. With the increase of stray dogs on the streets, it will be impossible to do so with the present personnel of our Dog Pound.

March 16th, this Department laid off 13 dog catchers, retaining only sufficient personnel to operate two and three wagons daily. It is impossible with the present equipment operating, to make any headway in the impounding of stray and unlicensed dogs. In some cases it is impossible to pick up dogs that have bitten people the same day the biting is reported to either the Department of Health or the Dog Pound.

With the nice weather coming on and the presence of more children playing on the streets, we anticipate that bites by stray dogs will be greatly increased, making it necessary for people bitten to take anti-rabies treatments, where the stray dogs are not impounded. In each of these cases, it is necessary for the party bitten to take 22 such Pasteur treatments. This is not only a serious economic loss to the party bitten, but to the City as well.

A certain element of dog owners, knowing this Department is not impounding unlicensed dogs, will undoubtedly fail to obtain 1932 licenses. In the past few weeks, this Department has received many telephone calls and letters from citizens complaining as to the number of stray

stances actual complaints were received as to damage to gardens and lawns, and the presence of a large number of dogs around their homes.

This Department feels that the 13 men laid off March 16th should be reinstated on a part time basis—ten days per pay period, which will permit us to operate eight wagons daily. The immediate reinstatement of these men will necessitate the transfer of funds.

Should your Honorable Body concur in our request, it will be necessary to provide funds in the amount of \$1,950, but due to the 50 per cent salary contribution for May and June, \$800 remains in Account 8-A, Salaries as an unexpended balance, and it will only be necessary to transfer the sum of \$1,150 from Account 12-A, Salaries to Account 8-A, Salaries.

I hereby request that this Department be authorized to employ 13 men on the part time basis above outlined, and that your Honorable Body authorize the transfer of the necessary funds.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES K. WATKINS,
Commissioner,

Funds O. K.:
C. E. COUGHLIN,
Chief Acct.

By Councilman Lodge:

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$1150. from Account 12-A, Salaries to Account 8-A, Salaries, Police Department Fund, for the purpose of employing thirteen men on part-time basis (ten days per pay period) for the purpose of operating eight wagons daily. This arrangement is made for a sixty day period and is contingent upon the amount of receipts received from the sale of dog licenses.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Bradley, Castator, Hall, Lodge, Smith, Van Antwerp and the President—7.

Nays—None.

From Department of Police

May 17, 1932.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—Parking restrictions, as outlined below, have been established by this department to properly regulate traffic and such restrictions as have been found unnecessary to continue any longer have been abolished. We request that your Honorable Body confirm these changes accordingly:

Signs Installed

Grand Boulevard West, north side, between Cass and Second Boulevard: No Parking 7:30 a. m. to 6:15 p. m., except Sundays. May 12, 1932.