

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
January 3, 1961.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

431. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

432. Request of Carter Bacon for permission to construct a house on  
the northwest 100 feet of Lot 2, Woodcliff Park.

Germain-Ellis. That a hearing on this matter be set for January 16,  
1961 at 5:15 p.m. and the matter be referred to the Planning Commission  
for report.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

433. Petition from 26 residents on Lakeside Dr. and Orchard Ave. was  
presented, requesting a traffic light at Lakeside Dr. and Lake Drive.

Nelson-Ellis. That the new Commission consider installation of a traffic  
light at Lakeside Dr. and Lake Dr. as soon as possible in the new fiscal year.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson.- 7  
Nays: 0.

434. Report from City Manager on analysis of Police Headquarters building  
account.

Collins-Germain. That the expenditures be approved.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

435. Communication from the Michigan Liquor Control Commission regarding  
renewal of licenses to sell beer and/or wine and/or spirits for consumption  
on the premises.

Received and filed.

436. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were  
read, also minutes of the Traffic Commission meeting.

Received and filed.

437. Report from Attorney and Manager regarding settlement of the  
Norman Laham claim for damages to his car at Lake Drive and Lakeside Dr.  
City Manager read report of the Traffic Engineer.

Davidson-Collins. That payment of this claim be approved and release  
to be signed by the claimant.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

438. Nelson-Ellis. That the vouchers in amount of \$65,644.14 approved  
by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to  
draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

439. Collins-Germain. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call  
of the Mayor, until January 16, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

*Louis J. Battjes* CITY CLERK

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CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
January 16, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

440. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

441. Matheson-Ellis. That the City Commission adjourn and reconvene as  
Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and Richardson -  
Nays: 0.

442. This being the time and place set for hearing the variance request  
of Carter S. Bacon to permit construction of a house on the northwesterly 100  
feet of Lot 2, Woodcliff Park, objection to the construction was presented  
by Mr. H.B. Heyl, adjoining property owner.

Report and recommendation of the Planning Commission approving the  
variance was read.

Matheson-Ellis. That the recommendation of the Planning Commission  
be concurred in and the variance as requested be granted on condition that  
the west side yard be at least 14 feet, with 10 feet on the opposite side.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0. (Germain not voting).

443. Matheson-Ellis. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and  
reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and Richardson -  
Nays: 0.

444. Communication from Mr. Paul S. Goolian requesting that the City  
initiate full street improvements on Pioneer Club Road and Manhattan Rd.  
within and adjacent to the proposed Manhattan Beach Plat.

445.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

PIONEER CLUB ROAD from the west line of the proposed Manhattan Beach  
plat to Manhattan Road, and in

MANHATTAN ROAD from Pioneer Club Road to the cul-de-sac at the west end  
of said street,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public  
improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid  
by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public  
highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits  
derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is  
hereby established consisting of all lots located within said proposed Man-  
hattan Beach Plat and property described as that part of the NE 1/4  
lying east of the east 1/8 line and lying south of Reeds Lake Blvd. except  
the West 33 feet, Section 34 Town 7 North, Range 11 West.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

446.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the construction of a sanitary sewer in

PIONEER CLUB ROAD from the west line of the proposed Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Road, and in

MANHATTAN ROAD from Pioneer Club Road to the cul-de-sac at the west end of said street,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, February 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

447.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the installation of a water main in

PIONEER CLUB ROAD from the west line of the proposed Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Road, and in

MANHATTAN ROAD from Pioneer Club Road to the cul-de-sac at the west end of said street,

including the necessary services and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of all lots located within said proposed Manhattan Beach Plat and property described as that part of the NE Fr1 1/4 lying east of the east 1/8 line and lying south of Reeds Lake Blvd., except the west 33 feet, Section 34 T7N, R11W.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

448.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the installation of a water main in

PIONEER CLUB ROAD from the west line of the proposed Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Road, and in

MANHATTAN ROAD from Pioneer Club Road to the cul-de-sac at the west end of said street,

including the necessary services and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$                     ?; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, February 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time, and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

449. Communication from Albert Builders, Inc. requesting complete street improvements in Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.

450.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Avenue to Laurel Avenue

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the following described property: that part of the West 5 acres of the East 15 acres of the E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ; NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sect. 4, T6N, R11W, commencing at the intersection of the South line of Heather St. and the West line of Albert Builder's Heather Downs Addition, thence Westerly on the South line of Heather St. produced 129.6 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the East line of Bosma Addirion #6, 153.82 feet; thence Easterly parallel to the North line of Boston St. 129.07 feet; thence Northerly on the produced West line of Albert Builders' Heather Downs Addition 153.71 feet to beginning.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

451.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 963.13; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, February 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson -  
Nays: 0.

452.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the installation of a water main in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.

including the necessary services and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, except public highway and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the following described property: that part of the West 5 acres of the East 15 acres of the E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 4, Town 6N, R11W, commencing at the intersection of the South line of Heather St. and the West line of Albert Builders' Heather Downs Addition, thence Westerly on the South line of Heather St. produced 129.6 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the East line of Bosma Addition #6, 153.82 feet; thence Easterly parallel to the North line of Boston St. 129.07 feet; thence Northerly on the produced West line of Albert Builders' Heather Downs Addition 153.71 feet to beginning.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

453.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the installation of a water main in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.

including the necessary services and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 1,095.95; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, February 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

454. Recommendation of City Manager regarding pay rates to take effect as of January 1, 1961.

Davidson-Ellis. That the Manager's recommendation be approved and said rates be adopted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

455. Nelson-Davidson. That the vouchers in amount of \$558,367.08 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

456. Commissioner Davidson suggested consideration be given to making the Lake Drive-Lakeside Drive intersection a four-way stop.

457. Collins-Ellis. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until February 6, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

*Lorain H. Bestgen*  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
February 6, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, and Mayor  
Richardson.

Absent: Com. Collins.

458. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

459. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Pioneer Club Rd. from the west line of proposed Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Rd. and in Manhattan Rd. from Pioneer Club Rd. to the cul-de-sac at the west end of said street, specifications and plans have not been completed.

Germain-Ellis. That this hearing be adjourned until next meeting.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

460. This being the time and place set for hearing on the installation of a water main in Pioneer Club Rd. from the west line of proposed Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Rd. and in Manhattan Rd. from Pioneer Club Rd. to the cul-de-sac at the west end of said street, specifications and plans have not been completed.

Germain-Ellis. That this hearing be adjourned until next meeting.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

461. This being the time and place set for hearing on the installation of a water main in Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave., no objections were presented.

Germain-Davidson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

462. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave., no objections were presented.

Germain-Davidson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

463. Verbal report from City Manager regarding opinion of Grand Rapids Traffic Engineer concerning proposed 4-way stop at Lake Drive and Lakeside Dr.

Nelson-Davidson. That 4-way stop signs be placed at the intersection of Lake Drive and Lakeside Drive.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Matheson, Nelson - 4  
Nays: Germain, Richardson - 2.

464. Recommendation from the City Manager that special police protection contracts be discontinued, effective May 1, 1961.

Davidson-Ellis. Recommendation of City Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

465. Verbal report from City Manager regarding discussion with Hall Street residents concerning improvement of Hall St. west of Lake Drive.

Matheson-Davidson. Referred to Committee-of-the-whole.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

466. Report from the City Manager on estimated cost of the Breton Rd. extension.

Matheson-Davidson. Referred to Committee-of-the-whole.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

467. Verbal report of the City Attorney on progress of the ordinance code.

468. Discussion regarding initiation of street improvements on Heather St., Andover Rd. and Boston St.

469.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

BOSTON STREET from the West City Limits to Breton Rd.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same, with the exception of approximately \$4,586.87 which shall be paid from the general funds of the City of East Grand Rapids, shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises benefited thereby, according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of all the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Boston St. between the West City Limits and Breton Rd., and this Commission deems and declares that all the real estate within said proposed district will be benefited by said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plans and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

470.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

BOSTON STREET from the West City Limits to Breton Rd.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement;

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the said Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$50,985.87 and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the City Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof, with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the same will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas; Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0/

471.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to foot frontage. And be it further

RESOLVED that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Heather St. between Pinecrest Ave. and Laurel Ave., and this Commission deems and declares that all the real estate within said proposed district will be benefited by said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lands contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

472.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 5,219.00 ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, February 20, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

473.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-ELLIS:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

ANDOVER ROAD from Boston St. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the following described property: Lots 646 through 655, inclusive, Paris Park #3, and this Commission deems and declares that all the real estate within said proposed district will be benefited by said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

474.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-ELLIS:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the construction of a sanitary sewer in

ANDOVER ROAD from Boston St. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 2,576.00 ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

475. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief, Assessor and Traffic Commission were read.

Received and filed.

476. Commissioner Matheson reported regarding the meeting of the Citizens' Committee on Streets with the Street Committee of the City Commission.

477. Germain-Ellis. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until February 20, 1961.

Yeas: Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
February 20, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

478. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

479. Mr. Ira Jackson of the Grand Rapids City Coach Lines, Mr. Richard D. Brooks and Mr. Paul Goolian, his attorney, appeared before the Commission relative to bus service to the Medical Building, and the matter was discussed.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

480. This being the time and place set for discussion of the proposal to install a 6" water main in the Bissell Plat, the Mayor explained the reason for the hearing to discuss this matter. Fire Chief Terpstra explained what occurred at the Bissell house fire.

Attorney Lawson Becker was present in behalf of Mr. Bissell.

Also present and discussing various aspects of the matter were Dr. Pedden, Mr. Siegel and Mr. Stevens.

The City Manager quoted figures regarding estimated cost of the 6" main, and also agreed to try to establish exact location of the present 4" main.

Mr. Siegel was elected to act as spokesman for the property owners.

Referred to the City Manager and Engineer.

481. Mr. R.A. Stillwell, Burchard St., appeared before the Commission regarding dogs running at large.

482. This being the time and place set for continuance of the hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Pioneer Club Rd. and Manhattan Rd. Mr. Paul Goolian, on behalf of Mr. Brooks and Mr. Roger Warnshuis, stated they favored the improvement.

Davidson-Ellis. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

483. This being the time and place set for continuance of the hearing on the installation of a water main in Pioneer Club Rd. and Manhattan Rd., Mr. Brooks and Mr. Warnshuis approved the improvement.

Davidson-Ellis. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

484. Mr. Earl Wagner requested permission to install a 4'x8' temporary sign for apartment rental at the Lake Shore Club Apartments site.

Collins-Germain. That this variation of the Zoning Ordinance be allowed up to September 1, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

485. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Heather St. from Pinecrest to Laurel, five bids were received, opened and read.

Germain-Nelson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

486.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 16th of January, 1961 declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on February 6, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Heather St. Sanitary Sewer District No.1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 769.00; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

487.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Heather St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

488. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the installation of a water main in Heather St. from Pinecrest to Laurel, five bids were received, opened and read.

Germain-Nelson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

489.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 16th of January, 1961, declare the installation of a water main in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary services and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on February 6, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Heather St. Water Main District No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 1,050.00; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

490.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the installation of a water main in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary services and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Heather St. Water Main District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

491. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of Heather St. from Pinecrest to Laurel, no objections were presented.

Nelson-Germain. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

492. Communications of commendation on the recent City Report were received and read from Allen Knapp, Leo Peters, L. Henry Gork and Thomas G. Ford.

Received and filed.

493. Recommendation of the Planning Commission that the City retain the services of Scott Bagby, Planning Consultant, to update the 1954 Master Plan.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

494. Claim of Charles Harrett for damages to his car at the Bissell fire.

Collins-Davidson. That this claim be paid.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

495. Report and recommendation of the City Manager regarding settlement with Grand Rapids Township for their share of the cost of construction of the Hall St. Sanitary Sewer.

Nelson-Germain. Recommendation of the Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

496. Collins-Davidson. That the proposed East Grand Rapids Ordinance Code be adopted effective May 1, 1961, and placed on first reading.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

497.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, adoption of the East Grand Rapids City Code is now pending before the City Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids and said Code will include the existing zoning ordinance of the City of East Grand Rapids as adopted June 15, 1959, as amended to the present date, and

WHEREAS, certain changes in the form and substance of said ordinance as included in said Code are proposed, it is therefore

RESOLVED, that a public hearing on said proposed changes in the zoning ordinance be held, and the 20th day of March, 1961 at 5:15 o'clock p.m. Eastern Standard Time at the City Hall, East Grand Rapids, Michigan is designated as the time and place of said hearing.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk is directed to publish notice of said hearing in the Grand Rapids Press, a paper of general circulation in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, at least fifteen (15) days prior to the time of said public hearing, in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing on amending the Zoning Ordinance of the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan (adopted June 15, 1959) as amended) by adopting a codification ordinance which will change section and paragraph numbers, amend article and paragraph headings and rearrange and modify said ordinance to integrate it as a part of the East Grand Rapids City Code, will be held at the East Grand Rapids City Hall on the 20th day of March, 1961 at 5:15 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, at which time and place any person interested may appear and be heard concerning such proposed changes. This proposed amendment will not change the existing zoning district of any land in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, or the regulations applicable to any district except as follows:

- (a) The definition of "Yard" as contained in Article II of said ordinance shall be modified by adding the following sentence:

"The first two feet of roof overhang shall be excluded in determining the nearest part of the main building."

- (b) Article IV of said zoning ordinance shall be changed to provide as to existing platted lots that the minimum side yard requirement shall be increased from five (5) feet to seven (7) feet.

- (c) Article X of said zoning ordinance shall be changed to provide that in the "A-3" Residence District the combined side yard minimum requirement shall be increased from thirteen (13) feet to fourteen (14) feet and the minimum requirement for each side yard shall be increased from five (5) feet to seven (7) feet but in the case of a side yard adjoining a side street the minimum requirement of twelve (12) feet shall be unchanged.

The full context of the proposed codification of the zoning ordinance of the City of East Grand Rapids may be examined at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, East Grand Rapids, Michigan. This notice is published in compliance with Act 207, Public Acts of 1921, State of Michigan, as amended.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

498. The City Manager reported that the City Attorney is answering all suits filed against the City.

499. Commissioner Nelson congratulated Mayor Richardson and Commissioner Collins on their re-election.

500. Nelson-Ellis. That the vouchers in amount of \$122,129.82 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

501. Commissioner Germain stated several people have contacted him regarding "Yield Right of Way" signs at Maplewood Dr. and Conlon Ave. Recommended to the Traffic Commission that "Yield Right of Way" signs be placed on Conlon Ave. at Maplewood Dr. and Elmwood Dr.

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502. Commissioner Ellis commended the Manager for the preparation of the Annual Report.

503. Davidson-Nelson. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until March 6, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Ellis, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

Louis M. Bertjes  
CITY CLERK.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
March 6, 1961.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and Mayor Richardson.  
(Mr. Sheperd was seated after his appointment).

Absent: 0.

504. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

505. Resignation of Commissioner Ellis was read.

Nelson-Davidson. That this resignation be accepted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

506. Matheson-Germain. That Commissioner-elect Jordan Sheperd be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Commissioner Ellis, and be seated at this meeting.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

507. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of Boston St. from the West City Limits to Breton Rd., a petition signed by Sanford J. Norian and 22 other property owners was read, said petition requesting that the property owners be assessed only for curbs, gutters and approaches.

Present and asking various questions regarding the project were Mr. John Mullen, Mr. George Zamara representing St. Nicholas Church, Mr. John Lamse, Mr. I.W. Samuelson, Mr. Richard Kowalkowski and Mr. Carl Henry.

Nelson-Germain. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

507-A. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed construction of sanitary sewer in Andover Rd. from Boston St. to Richards Dr., Mrs. Lorraine Nyman was present stating the improvement was not a necessity to her. Communication from H.W. Knoblauch was read, in which he requested a postponement of the matter until in April.

Davidson-Nelson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays:

508. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the construction of sanitary sewer in Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave., no objections were presented.

509. Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Germain. That the bid of Southwest Excavating Co. being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

510.  
BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of constructing a sanitary sewer in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, and no objections to said roll being presented, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Heather St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Heather St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson -  
Nays: 0.

511. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the installation of a water main in Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave., no objections were presented.

512. Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Germain. That the bid of Southwest Excavating Co. being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

513.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of installing a water main in

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary services and underground work, and no objections to said roll being presented, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Heather St. Water Main District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance

with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Heather St. Water Main District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

514. Petition signed by W.J. Donovan and 10 other property owners requesting improvement consisting of proper grading, gravel base, 2" bituminous surface, curbs, gutters and all necessary underground work on Pinecrest Ave. and Burchard St. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr., was read.

515.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

PINECREST AVENUE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
ORCHARD AVENUE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
BURCHARD STREET from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
CORONADO DRIVE from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
LAKESIDE DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises benefited thereby according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of all the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Pinecrest Ave. between Hall St. and El Dorado Dr., Orchard Ave. between Hall St. and El Dorado Dr., Burchard St. between Orchard Ave. and San Jose Dr., Coronado Dr. between Pinecrest Ave. and San Jose Dr., and Lakeside Dr. between El Dorado Dr. and Argentina Dr., and this Commission deems and declares that all the real estate within said proposed district will be benefited by said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plans and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

516.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

PINECREST AVENUE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
ORCHARD AVENUE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
BURCHARD STREET from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
CORONADO DRIVE from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
LAKESIDE DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement;

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the said Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 69,791.00; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 20, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the City Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof, with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the same will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

517. Consideration of request for bus service to the Medical Building.

Matheson-Davidson. That the request to run the bus line on Greenwood Ave. be denied but that use of Lakeside Dr. would be permitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

518. Report from the City Manager regarding progress on dog control project.

519. City Manager reported receiving bids on spraying elm trees for Dutch Elm disease, and recommended that the low bid of Bichler & Son be accepted.

Nelson-Collins. That contract for spraying elm trees be awarded to Bichler & Son according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

520. Recommendation of City Manager regarding House Bill #69 which proposes a change in voting procedure regarding annexations.

Nelson-Collins. That the City Commission go on record as not favoring this bill, and suggesting that a bill accomplishing overall revision of annexation procedure be considered.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0. (Com. Matheson not voting).

521. Germain-Davidson. That the following report of the Board of Canvassers be received and made a part of the minutes of this meeting:

BOARD OF CANVASSERS' STATEMENT OF VOTES  
CAST AT THE NON-PARTISAN PRIMARY ELECTION HELD  
IN THE CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN, ON  
MONDAY, THE TWENTIETH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1961.

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The following is a true statement of the whole number of votes given and cast at the Non-Partisan Primary Election for the purpose of electing candidates for City offices held in the City of East Grand Rapids, State of Michigan, and in the several precincts and wards of said City, on Monday, the twentieth day of February, A.D. 1961:

OFFICE OF MAYOR  
(One to be elected)

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Mayor was six hundred twenty-six (626); and they were given for the following person, viz: Robert W. Richardson, six hundred twenty-six (626).

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER - FIRST WARD  
(One to be elected)

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner to the First Ward was three hundred eleven (311); and they were given for the following persons, viz: Jordan M. Sheperd, two hundred fourteen (214); and Sydney D. Shank, ninety-seven (97).

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER - SECOND WARD  
(One to be elected)

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner to the Second Ward was three hundred twenty-three (323); and they were given for the following persons, viz: Thomas T. Waugh, two hundred eighteen (218), and Paul A. Ward, one hundred five (105).

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER - THIRD WARD  
(One to be elected)

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner to the Third Ward was eighty-eight (88); and they were given for the following person, John J. Collins, eighty-eight (88).

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STATE OF MICHIGAN            )  
COUNTY OF KENT            ) ss.  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS)

We, the undersigned Board of Canvassers of the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the whole number of votes given for each of the several candidates for election to the several City offices voted upon at the Non-Partisan Primary Election held in the City of East Grand Rapids in said County and in the several precincts and wards thereof, on Monday, the twentieth day of February, 1961.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter of said City, adopted June 19, 1927, and the laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided that Robert W. Richardson received a majority of all the votes cast at said Primary Election for candidates for the office of Mayor; and we do hereby determine that the said Robert W. Richardson is elected to the office of Mayor for the term ending May 1, 1963.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter of said City and the laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided that Jordan M. Sheperd received a majority of all the votes cast at said Primary Election for candidates for the office of Commissioner to the First Ward; and we do hereby determine that the said Jordan M. Sheperd is elected to the office of Commissioner to the First Ward for the term ending May 1, 1963.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter of said City, and the laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, that Thomas T. Waugh received a majority of all the votes cast at said Primary Election for candidates for the office of Commissioner to the Second Ward; and we do hereby determine that the said Thomas T. Waugh is elected to the office of Commissioner to the Second Ward for the term ending May 1, 1963.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of said Charter and the laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, that John J. Collins received a majority of all the votes cast at said Primary Election for candidates for the office of Commissioner to the Third Ward; and we do hereby determine that the said John J. Collins is elected to the office of Commissioner to the Third Ward for the term ending May 1, 1963.

Louis F. Battjes  
Donald Ford  
Stephen A. Bryant  
BOARD OF CANVASSERS FOR THE CITY OF  
EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF KENT )

On this 23rd day of February, A.D. 1961, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for said County of Kent, the above named Louis F. Battjes, Donald Ford and Stephen A. Bryant, who constitute the Board of Canvassers for the City of East Grand Rapids in said County, and made oath that the foregoing statement of votes cast at the Primary Election held in said City on Monday, the twentieth day of February, 1961, by them subscribed, and together with the foregoing certificates of said Board, is a true and correct statement of the votes cast at said Primary Election and of the certificates therein, and I herewith attest the same as being such true and correct statement.

H. Louis Rhoades
Notary Public, Kent County, Michigan

My Commission expires June 24, 1963.

Yeas: Collins,Davidson,Germain,Matheson,Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7
Nays: 0.

522. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief, Assessor and report of the Traffic Commission were read.

Received and filed.

523. Request of the City Assessors that the 1961 City Tax Roll be turned over to the Board of Review.

Sheperd-Nelson. Request concurred in.

Yeas: Collins,Davidson,Germain,Matheson,Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7
Nays: 0.

524.v Annual report of the East Grand Rapids Library Commission, together with proposed budget for 1961-62.

Germain-Collins. That a letter be written the Library Commission, commending them on the operation of the past year.

Yeas: Collins,Davidson,Germain, Matheson,Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7
Nays: 0.

525. Communication from the Michigan Municipal League regarding regional meeting to be held at Corunna April 27, 1961.

Received and filed.

526. Report of the City Attorney and City Manager regarding claim of Jim Dunn for damages to his car October 2, 1960, recommending that this claim in amount of \$47.44 be paid.

Nelson-Davidson. That this recommendation be concurred in and said claim be paid.

Yeas: Collins,Davidson,Germain,Matheson,Nelson,Sheperd, Richardson - 7
Nays: 0.

527. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$29,376.65 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson,Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7
Nays: 0.

528. Mayor Richardson recommended that Commissioner Matheson be appointed to fill the vacancy on the Board of Review created by Commissioner Ellis' resignation, and that Commissioner Sheperd be placed in his stead on committees of which he was a member.

Collins-Davidson. Recommendation of the Mayor concurred in.

Yeas: Collins,Davidson,Germain,Matheson,Nelson,Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

529. City Attorney Bryant reported regarding litigation against the City and stated that the Cleminshaw Company might have to be called back in connection with this litigation instituted by the Alberts.

530. Collins-Germain. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until March 20, 1961.

Yeas: Collins,Davidson,Germain,Matheson,Nelson,Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
March 20, 1961

The meeting was called to order by President Collins.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson and Sheperd  
Absent: Mayor Richardson.

531. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

532. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of special improvement, notices of special assessment, notices to bidders, notice to taxpayers, Primary Election notices and registration notice, on file in his office.

533. This being the time and place set for opening bids for the improvement of Boston St. from the West City Limits to Breton Rd., 6 bids were received, opened and read.

Matheson-Davidson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

534.  
BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on February 6, 1961, declare the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

BOSTON STREET from the West City Limits to Breton Rd.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement with the exception of \$6,025.40 which shall be paid from the general funds of the City of East Grand Rapids; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office, for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on March 6, 1961 and after hearing all objections of all persons appearing and objecting thereto, and due consideration being had thereon, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Boston St. between the West City Limits and Breton Rd., as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as the "Boston St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimate, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto, be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$41,028.49; that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated, with the exception of \$6,025.40 which shall be paid from the general funds of the City, be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to foot frontage and benefit derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots or parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in five (5) equal annual installments, the first installment to be collected during the current year, and one of said installments to be collected annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to make a certified copy of this order and deliver the same together with a map of said district as finally determined, to the Board of Assessors; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

535.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

BOSTON STREET from the West City Limits to Breton Rd.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Boston St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll" and that the same be numbered consecutively; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 3, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

536. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Andover Road from Boston St. to Richards Dr., four bids were received, opened and read.

Nelson-Germain. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

537.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 6th of February, 1961 declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

ANDOVER ROAD from Boston St. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on March 6, 1961, and consideration given to objections presented, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Andover Rd. Sanitary Sewer District

No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 3,424.00; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

538.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the construction of a sanitary sewer in

ANDOVER ROAD from Boston St. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Andover Road Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 3, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

539. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of:

Pinecrest Ave. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
Orchard Ave. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
Burchard St. from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
Coronado Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr., and  
Lakeside Dr. from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

City Clerk reported receipt of petition signed by Charles K. Thorsen and ten other property owners, requesting the improvement of Coronado Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr.

City Clerk also reported receipt of petition signed by Walter F. Hewitt and 13 other property owners on the street, requesting that Orchard Ave. from Burchard St. to El Dorado Dr. remain unimproved. All property owners in this block were present and entered their verbal protest.

Representative property owners on the other streets listed for improvement were present, the majority of which were opposed to the improvement.

Sheperd-Matheson. That this matter be referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

540. Germain-Matheson. That the City Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

541. Communication from David E. Stuart, 2720 Lake Drive, requesting permission to construct an attached garage which would come within 1' 2" of their west lot line.

Mr. Peter Wege, owner of the adjoining property, was present and agreed to the variation.

Germain-Matheson. That the variance as above requested be concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

542. Germain-Matheson. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

543. This being the time and place set for public hearing on the East Grand Rapids Ordinance Code amendment relative to zoning, no one appeared to object thereto.

544. Nelson-Matheson. That the East Grand Rapids Ordinance Code be placed on second reading and adopted by this Commission, effective May 1, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

545. Petition signed by Benjamin Baum and nine others for the improvement of Conlon Avenue from Albert Dr. to Hampshire Blvd., with special assessment on the 5-year plan, was read.

546.  
BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-NELSON:

RESOLVED, that the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

CONLON AVENUE from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises benefited thereby according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of all the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Conlon Avenue between Hampshire Blvd. and Richards Dr., and this Commission deems and declares that all the real estate within said proposed district will be benefited by said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plans and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

547.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

CONLON AVENUE from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement;

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the said Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$11,376.00; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 3, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the City Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the same will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

548. Davidson-Sheperd. That the City Manager contact Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone relative to this firm being retained as advisory counsel on the forthcoming special assessment bonding project.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

549. The matter of the Hall St. improvement from Lake Drive to vacated May Lane was discussed.

Referred to the Planning Commission.

550. Report of the City Manager on bids received on water pipe, fittings, hydrants, valves, etc. for the coming construction season.

Davidson-Nelson. That the bid of U.S. Pipe & Foundry Co. in amount of \$7,652.61 on water pipe and accessories, and the bid of Traverse City Iron Works in amount of \$1,575.06 on hydrants, valves and fittings, be accepted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

551. Nelson-Germain. That the offer of Grand Rapids Township of \$7,486.00, to be paid in two equal annual installments, as their share of the cost of the Hall St. Sanitary Sewer, be approved, and the City Attorney instructed to draw up the proper instrument to be executed by the Township officials.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

552. Communication from the Michigan Municipal League regarding regional meeting to be held in Fremont on April 20, 1961.

Received and filed.

553. Communication from Mrs. Clara Hager, 3156 Bonnell Ave., regarding taxes on her property.

Received and filed.

554. Communication from the East Grand Rapids Library Commission regarding results of the combined meeting of the East Grand Rapids, Grandville, Lowell and Wyoming Library Boards with the Kent County Library Board.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

555. Request of the City Manager for authority to advertise for bids on the City's resurfacing projects.

Germain-Nelson. Request of the Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

556. Verbal report of the City Manager, giving breakdown of the Durrant Nursery bid on landscaping for the water tank site.

557. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$57,860.02 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

558. Germain-Davidson. That the City Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until April 3, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd - 6  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
April 3, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

559. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

560. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the improvement of Boston St. from Breton Rd. to the West City Limits, no objections were presented. Mr. George Samra, representing St. Nicholas Church, was present.

Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Germain. The bid of H. Vander Veen being the lowest and best bid submitted, that this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

561

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the cost of improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

BOSTON STREET from the West City Limits to Breton Rd.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, and no objections being presented; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll, known as the Boston St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed, and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said special assessment roll to the City Treasurer, and to attach his warrant commanding the said Treasurer to collect from each person whose name appears on said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, and to collect the first installment during the current year and one installment annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of 6% per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Boston St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of the paid and unpaid assessments upon each of said installments on such roll to the City Clerk, together with his doings therein, within sixty (60) days after each installment is due and payable, and that he make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within sixty (60) days after the last of said installments is due and payable.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

562. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the construction of sanitary sewer in Andover Rd. from Boston St. to Richards Dr., no objections were presented.

563. Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Davidson-Germain. The bid of Roosien Brothers being the lowest and best bid submitted, that this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

564.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of constructing a sanitary sewer in

ANDOVER ROAD from Boston St. to Richards Drive,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, and no person appearing and objecting to said roll, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Andover Road Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Andover Road Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

565. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of Conlon Avenue from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr., objections to the improvement were presented by Mr. and Mrs. F.C. Egsner and Mr. Peter Bulsok. Mr. Benj. Baum spoke in favor of the improvement.

Matheson-Nelson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

566. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the resurfacing of Breton Rd. from Hall St. to the South City Limits, Hall St. from Breton Rd. to vacated May Lane and Sherman St. from Lake Drive to the West City Limits, three bids were received, opened and read.

Collins-Davidson. Referred to the City Manager and Engineer for report.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

567.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

RESOLVED, that the improvement 34 feet in width consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HALL STREET from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same, with the exception of approximately \$ 17,285.19 which shall be paid from the general funds of the City of East Grand Rapids, shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises benefited thereby, according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established, consisting of all the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting on the north side of Hall St. between vacated May Lane and Lake Drive, and this Commission deems and declares that all the real estate within said proposed district will be benefited by said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plans and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Richardson, Nelson - 5  
Nays: Matheson, Sheperd - 2.

568.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement 34 feet in width consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HALL STREET from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement;

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the said Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 33,576.49; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 17, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the City Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the same will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Nelson, Richardson - 5  
Nays: Matheson, Sheperd - 2.

568. Mayor Richardson reported in the matter of the improvement of Pinecrest Ave. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr., Orchard Ave. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr., Burchard St. from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr., Coronado Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr. and Lakeside Dr. from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr., stating it was the recommendation of the Committee-of-the-whole that all the above streets be improved except that portion of Orchard Ave. between Burchard St. and El Dorado Dr.

recommendation

Matheson-Nelson. That the ~~report~~ of the Committee-of-the-whole be concurred in, and the City Manager authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: Collins, Davidson - 2.

569. The City Clerk presented the final report of the Board of Review with valuations set as follows: Real Estate, \$24,529,525.00; Personal Property, \$724,300.00; Total, \$25,253,825.00.

Nelson-Sheperd. That the report of the Board of Review be accepted and the same be received and filed, but that the Assessor bring in a more detailed report at the next meeting.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

570.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-COLLINS:

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids intends to adopt a resolution authorizing issuance and sale of not to exceed One Hundred Eighty Thousand (\$180,000.00) Dollars Street Improvement Special Assessment Bonds of the City of East Grand Rapids;

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary in order to comply with the requirements of Section 5(g), Act 279, Public Acts of Michigan, 1909, as amended, to publish a Notice of Intent to Issue Bonds;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish a Notice of Intent to Issue Bonds in the Grand Rapids Press, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of East Grand Rapids, which Notice of Intent shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE BONDS

TAKE NOTICE, that the City Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids intends to adopt a resolution authorizing issuance and sale of Special Assessment Street Improvement Bonds of the City in the aggregate principal sum of not to exceed One Hundred Eighty Thousand (\$180,000.00) Dollars. Said bonds shall be payable from special assessments to be levied and collected by the City, and, in addition, shall be general obligations of the City of East Grand Rapids.

This notice is given pursuant to the requirements of Section 5(g), Act 279, Public Acts of Michigan, 1909, as amended.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

571. Nelson-Germain. That the Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

572. Request of Harold Cogan for 1' side yard variance to permit construction of dwelling at 2604 Hampshire Blvd.

Nelson-Germain. That this request be denied.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

573. Nelson-Germain. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

574. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor, and minutes of Traffic Commission meeting, were read.

Received and filed.

575. City Manager reported receipt of \$3,200.00 from interested citizens for the improvement of Lakeside Park.

576. City Manager reported request of Harvey Vander Ark, Inc. for zoning variation at 2325 El Dorado Dr.

Referred to the Planning Commission.

577. Nelson-Sheperd. That the vouchers in amount of \$23,311.44 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

578. Commissioner Collins discussed the 2-hour parking limit on Sherman St. east of Plymouth Rd.

579. Germain-Collins. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids for garbage collection, gasoline and printing.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

580. Davidson-Nelson. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until April 17, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
April 17, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, and Mayor Richardson.

Absent: Com. Nelson.

581. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as prepared.

582. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of special improvement, special assessment, notices to bidders, registration notice, election notices and notice of hearing on amendment to Zoning Ordinance on file in his office.

583. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of Hall St. from Lake Dr. to vacated May Lane, no objections were presented by the property owners present.

Collins-Davidson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on the above project.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

584. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement of Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave., four bids were received, opened and read.

Germain-Sheperd. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

585.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on February 2, 1961, declare the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on February 20, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting on either side of Heather St. between Pinecrest Ave. and Laurel Ave. shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Heather St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimate, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$4,830.88; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to foot frontage and benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts

unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to foot frontage and benefits derived as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

586.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-SHEPERD:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic surface on

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks, and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Heather St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 1, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

587. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement of Conlon Avenue from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr., four bids were received, opened and read.

Collins-Davidson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

588.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on March 20, 1961, declare the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

CONLON AVENUE from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on April 3, 1961, and after hearing all objections of all persons appearing and objecting thereto, and due consideration being had thereon, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Conlon Avenue between Hampshire Blvd. and Richards Dr., as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office, shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as the "Conlon Ave. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1"; and

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto, be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 13,110.43; that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to foot frontage and benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parcels of land and parts of lots, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in five (5) equal annual installments, the first installment to be collected during the current year, and one of said installments to be collected annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to make a certified copy of this order and deliver the same together with a map of said district as finally determined, to the Board of Assessors; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

589.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

CONLON AVENUE from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Conlon Avenue Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll" and that the same be numbered consecutively; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 1, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

590. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement of Pinecrest Ave. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr., Orchard Ave. from Hall St. to Burchard St., Burchard St. from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr., Coronado Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr., and Lakeside Dr. from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr., four bids were received, opened and read.

Sheperd-Germain. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

591.

BY COMMISSIONERS SHEPERD-GERMAIN:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on March 6, 1961, declare the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

PINECREST AVENUE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
 ORCHARD AVENUE from Hall St. to Burchard St.,  
 BURCHARD STREET from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
 CORONADO DRIVE from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr., and  
 LAKESIDE DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on March 20, 1961, and after hearing all objections of all persons appearing and objecting thereto, and due consideration being had thereon, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting upon either side of Pinecrest Ave. between Hall St. and El Dorado Dr., Orchard Ave. between Hall St. and Burchard St., Burchard St. between Orchard Ave. and San Jose Dr., Coronado Dr. between Pinecrest Ave. and San Jose Dr., and Lakeside Dr. between El Dorado Dr. and Argentina Dr., as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office, shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as the "Pinecrest Ave., Orchard Ave., Burchard St., Coronado Dr. and Lakeside Dr. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1"; and

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto, be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 54,601.68; that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to foot frontage and benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in five (5) equal annual installments, the first installment to be collected during the current year, and one of said installments to be collected annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to make a certified copy of this order and deliver the same together with a map of said district as finally determined, to the Board of Assessors; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom, and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
 Nays: 0.

592.

BY COMMISSIONERS SHEPERD-GERMAIN:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

PINECREST AVENUE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
 ORCHARD AVENUE from Hall St. to Burchard St.,  
 BURCHARD STREET from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
 CORONADO DR. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
 LAKESIDE DR. from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Pinecrest Ave., Orchard Ave., Burchard St., Coronado Dr. and Lakeside Dr. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll" and that the same be numbered consecutively; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 1, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time, and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

593. Communication from Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Klinkner, requesting an adequate sanitary sewer to their lot line at 2143 Lansing St.

594.  
BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in  
LANSING STREET from 200 feet west of Lakeside Dr. to approximately  
300 feet west,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land described as follows:

<sup>29</sup>  
Lots 30, 31, Grove's Subdivision #1,  
Lots 28 and 29, Grove's Second Subdivision #1, and Lots 11, 12, 13  
and 14, Grove's Subdivision.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lands contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

595.  
BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the construction of a sanitary sewer in

LANSING STREET from 200 feet west of Lakeside Dr. to approximately 300  
feet west,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 500.00 plus laterals; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 1, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

596. Manhattan Beach Plat was submitted for final approval.

Matheson-Sheperd. That this Plat be approved and the City Clerk authorized to sign same.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

597. Communication and recommendation from the City Manager regarding sidewalk construction, new sidewalks being recommended at the following places:

Anderson Dr. across the vacated portion of Eastlawn Rd.  
Lakeside Dr. (both sides) from Wealthy St. to Lakeside Dr. north  
Manhattan Rd. where not constructed in 1960  
Beechwood Dr. and Oakwood Dr. across vacated portion of Conlon Ave.

Davidson-Sheperd. Recommendation of the City Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

598. Communication from the City Manager regarding report of the Kent County Library Board, stating that supplemental funds will be necessary.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

599. Mr. Harold Cogan was present and requested the Commission to reconsider the Board of Zoning Appeals denial of side yard variance at 2604 Hampshire Blvd.

600. City Manager presented request of Mr. R.D. Brooks for permission to install porcelainized arrow signs advertising the location of Ramona Medical Center at five locations within the City, the Manager recommending that if the Commission favored this request, the locations be limited to the first three requested and for a six months duration.

Collins-Richardson. That the request of Mr. Brooks be denied.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

601. Detailed report of the Board of Review was read, showing total number of appeals as 72, of which 29 received reduced assessments, 1 increased, 42 denied with a result of total amount of reduction at \$33,200.00 and total increase at \$900.00. Valuations remain as reported April 3rd.

Received and filed.

602. Report of Landscaping Sub-committee of the City Commission setting forth landscaping plans for the City Hall-Water Plant site, and plans for Lakeside Park landscaping.

Received and filed.

603. Resignation of Robert L. Willard from the Budget Board was received and read.

Resignation regretfully accepted, and that a letter of commendation be sent him.

604. Report of the Planning Commission, recommending that the request of Harvey Vander Ark, Inc. for zoning variance to permit construction of homes on 50-foot lots on the east side of Andover Rd. between Boston St. and Richards Dr., be denied.

Germain-Collins. That the recommendation of the Planning Commission be concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

605. Collins-Germain. That the Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

606. Request of Harvey Vander Ark, Inc. for zoning variance to permit a 20-foot rear yard at 2325 El Dorado Dr.

Collins-Germain. That this variance be granted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

607. Collins-Germain. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

608. Report of the Planning Commission, recommending approval of the Board of Education's proposed new high school site on property adjacent to Memorial Field for the reasons that it concurs with the 1954 Master Plan as to proposed civic center and neighborhood community developments, with traffic access and control.

Received and filed.

609.

BY MAYOR RICHARDSON-COMMISSIONER COLLINS:

WHEREAS the East Grand Rapids Board of Education has proposed the construction of a new four-year high school in the area generally bounded by Lake Drive on the south, Bagley Ave. on the west, Wealthy St. (with certain exceptions) on the north, and Lakeside Dr. and Breton Rd. extended on the east; and

WHEREAS the Planning Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids has approved the location of the new high school on said site as being consistent with the long-range planning of the City of East Grand Rapids and as being consistent with the proper development of the City's neighborhood areas and traffic patterns and as being consistent with the best development of the City's civic center area; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission, for the reasons which are set forth in the report of the Planning Commission, does agree that the site selected by the Board of Education is the best location for a new East Grand Rapids High School;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the East Grand Rapids City Commission does hereby concur in the recommendations of the City Planning Commission and does approve the location of the new East Grand Rapids High School on the site described at the beginning of this resolution as proposed by the Board of Education.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

610. Communication from the City Clerk, requesting that the City Manager be authorized to transfer \$77,483.00 from the General Fund Surplus to the Contingent Fund, and to transfer \$88,291.92 from the Contingent Fund to the following appropriation funds:

Administrative Fund . . . . .	\$ 3,400.00
General Fund . . . . .	1,104.50
Police Fund . . . . .	5,647.21
Fire Fund . . . . .	18,139.50
Street Fund . . . . .	60,000.00
	<u>\$ 88,291.92</u>

Davidson-Matheson. Request concurred in and transfers authorized.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

611. Matter of bank depository was discussed, and referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

612. Petition of Phyllis C. Sheperd, Frederick J. Curran and Sallie A. Curran for sanitary sewer and water main extending from the present sewer and water main in Hall St. at the former East City Limits, east 100 feet.

613.  
BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HALL ST. extending from the present sewer at the former East City Limits, east 220 feet,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the following described lands: All that part of NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 2, T6N, R11W, Paris Twp., Kent Co., Michigan, described as follows: Com. at NW cor. of said Sec. 2, th E. along the N. line of sd. Sec., 300 ft; th S. perpendicular to sd. N. line 158.94 ft; th SWly to a pt. 225 ft. S. and 170 ft. E. of the NW cor. of sd. Sec. 2; th SWly to a pt. on the W. line of Sec. 2, 350 ft. S. of the NW cor. of sd. Sec. 2; th N. along the W. Sec. line 350 ft. to place of beginning.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the property contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

614.  
BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HALL ST. extending from the present sewer at the former East City Limits, east 220 feet,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 2,194.77; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 1, 1961, at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

615.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the installation of a water main in

HALL ST. extending from the present main at the former East City Limits, east 220 feet,

including the necessary services and underground work, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the following described lands: All that part of NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 2, T6N, R11W, Paris Twp., Kent Co., Michigan, described as follows: Com. at NW cor. of said Sec. 2, th E. along the N. line of sd. Sec., 300 ft; th S perpendicular to sd. N. line 158.94 ft; th SWly to a pt. 225 ft. S. and 170 ft. E. of the NW cor. of sd. Sec. 2; th SWly to a pt. on the W. line of Sec. 2, 350 ft. S. of the NW cor. of said Sec. 2; th N. along the W. Sec. line 350 ft. to place of beginning.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the property contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

616.

BY COMMISSIONERS GERMAIN-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the installation of a water main in

HALL ST. extending from the present ~~sewer~~ <sup>main</sup> at the former East City Limits east 220 feet,

including the necessary services and underground work, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 1,781.23; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 1, 1961, at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plans and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

617. Matheson-Davidson. That the vouchers in amount of \$7,912.36 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Controller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

618. Commissioner Davidson brought up the matter of painting the outside of the municipal building.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

619. Commissioner Collins commended Commissioner Germain, retiring Commissioner, for the splendid work he has done while a member of the City Commission, which commendation was corroborated by the Mayor.

620. Matheson-Sheperd. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until Thursday, April 27, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Special Meeting Held  
April 27, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson, for the purpose of considering the budget for the year 1961-62.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd and Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

621. Communication from the Budget Board, submitting the 1961-62 budget as approved by said Board.

Davidson-Collins. That the budget as submitted by the Budget Board be recommended to the incoming Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

622. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$122,791.50 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Controller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

623. Nelson-Matheson. That Ernst & Ernst be awarded the audit of City books and records for the year ended April 30, 1961 at \$1200.00.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

624. Commissioner Nelson brought up the sidewalk program for the 1961-62 fiscal year, which was thoroughly discussed by the members of the Commission.

625. Collins-Davidson. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until May 1, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Germain, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
May 1, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh and Mayor Richardson. (Com. Collins arrived after meeting was in session).

Absent: 0.

1. Minutes of the previous meetings approved as prepared.

2. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement of Hall St. from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive, six bids were received, opened and read.

Nelson-Davidson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

3.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on April 3, 1961 declare the improvement 34 feet in width consisting of proper gravel base and asphaltic concrete surface on

HALL STREET from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement, with the exception of \$14,573.30 which shall be paid from the general funds of the City of East Grand Rapids; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on April 17, 1961, and no objections being presented, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land abutting on the north side of Hall St. between vacated May Lane and Lake Drive, as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as the "Hall St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1"; and

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimate, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be, and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$30,090.20; that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated, with the exception of \$14,573.30 which shall be paid from the general funds of the City, be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to foot frontage and benefit derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots or parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in five (5) equal annual installments, the first installment to be collected during the current year, and one of said installments to be collected annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to make a certified copy of this order and deliver the same together with a map of said district as finally determined, to the Board of Assessors; and be it further

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RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid according to foot frontage and benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

4.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement 34 feet in width consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HALL STREET from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Hall St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll" and that the same be numbered consecutively; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

5. This being the time and place set for opening bids for construction of a sanitary sewer in Pioneer Club Rd. from the west line of Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Rd. and in Manhattan Rd. from Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end of street, four bids were received, opened and read.

Matheson-Davidson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

6.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 16th of January, 1961, declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

PIONEER CLUB RD. from the west line of Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Rd.,  
MANHATTAN RD. from Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end of street,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on February 20, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Pioneer Club Rd. and Manhattan Rd. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of

such estimate, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 18,945.44; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

7.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the construction of a sanitary sewer in

PIONEER CLUB RD. from the west line of Manhattan Beach Plat to Manhattan Rd., and

MANHATTAN RD. from Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end of street,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Pioneer Club Rd. and Manhattan Rd. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

8. Commissioner Collins arrived at this time.

9. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the installation of a water main in MANHATTAN RD. from approximately 500 feet south of Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end, and into Pioneer Club Rd., four bids were received, opened and read.

Matheson-Davidson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Waugh,

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

10.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 16th of January, 1961, declare the installation of a water main in

MANHATTAN ROAD from approximately 500 feet south of Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end, and into Pioneer Club Rd.,

including the necessary services and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of

the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on February 20, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Manhattan Rd. Water Main District No.1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimate, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 15,235.00 ; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Collins,

Yeas: / Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

11.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the installation of a water main in

MANHATTAN ROAD from approximately 500 feet south of Pioneer Club Road to cul-de-sac at west end, and into Pioneer Club Rd.,

including the necessary services and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Manhattan Rd. Water Main District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

12. This being the time and place set for opening bids for the improvement of Lovett Ave. from Wealthy St. to Lake Drive, five bids were received, opened and read.

Waugh-Sheperd. That these bids be laid on the table and referred to the Manager for report.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

13. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the improvement of Pinecrest Ave. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr., Orchard Ave. from Hall St. to Burchard St., Burchard St. from Orchard Ave.

to San Jose Dr., Coronado Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr., and Lakeside Dr. from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr., several property owners were present and inquired as to the amount of their assessment, but no objections to the assessment<sup>roll</sup> were presented.

Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Waugh. That the bid of Harvey Vander Veen being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

14.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-WAUGH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the entire cost of improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

PINECREST AVE. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,  
ORCHARD AVE. from Hall St. to Burchard St.,  
BURCHARD ST. from Orchard Ave. to San Jose Dr.,  
CORONADO DR. from Pinecrest Ave. to San Jose Dr., and  
LAKESIDE DR. from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, and no objections being presented; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll, known as the Pinecrest Ave., Orchard Ave., Burchard St., Coronado Dr. and Lakeside Dr. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed, and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said special assessment roll to the City Treasurer, and to attach his warrant commanding the said Treasurer to collect from each person whose name appears on said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, and to collect the first installment during the current year and one installment annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of 6% per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Pinecrest Ave., Orchard Ave., Burchard St., Coronado Dr. and Lakeside Dr. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of the paid and unpaid assessments upon each of said installments on such roll to the City Clerk, together with his doings therein, within sixty (60) days after each installment is due and payable, and that he make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within sixty (60) days after the last of said installments is due and payable.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

15.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-WAUGH:

WHEREAS, Marvin L. Germain has served East Grand Rapids as City Commissioner in the Second Ward from May 1, 1957 to May 1, 1961; and

WHEREAS, such service as City Commissioner was most faithfully and diligently performed for the substantial benefit of the citizens of the Second Ward and the city-at-large;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the East Grand Rapids City Commission in regular session assembled this 1st day of May, 1961, on behalf of the citizens of East Grand Rapids and on its own behalf, does hereby express its deep appreciation and sincere thanks to Marvin L. Germain for such faithful and diligent service as City Commissioner.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

16.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, H. Holmes Ellis has served East Grand Rapids as City Commissioner in the First Ward from May 1, 1957 to May 1, 1961; and

WHEREAS, such service as City Commissioner was most faithfully and diligently performed for the substantial benefit of the citizens of the First Ward and the city at large;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the East Grand Rapids City Commission in regular session assembled this 1st day of May, 1961, on behalf of the citizens of East Grand Rapids and on its own behalf, does hereby express its deep appreciation and sincere thanks to H. Holmes Ellis for such faithful and diligent service as City Commissioner.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

17. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the improvement of Conlon Ave. from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr., Arthur S. Wilson asked if curbs could be eliminated from the improvement. No objections to the assessment<sup>roll</sup> were presented.

Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Waugh. That the bid of Harvey Vander Veen being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

18.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-WAUGH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the entire cost of improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

CONLON AVENUE from Hampshire Blvd. to Richards Dr.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, and no objections being presented; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll, known as the Conlon Ave. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed, and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said special assessment roll to the City Treasurer, and to attach his warrant commanding the said Treasurer to collect from each person whose name appears on said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, and to collect the first installment during the current year and one installment annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of 6% per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Conlon Ave. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of the paid and unpaid assessments upon each of said installments on such roll to the City Clerk, together with his doings therein, within sixty (60) days after each installment is due and payable, and that he make return of said roll, and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within sixty (60) days after the last of said installments is due and payable.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

19. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the improvement of Heather St. from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave., no objections were presented.

Bids on this improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Waugh-Nelson. That the bid of Herman Vander Veen being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

20.  
BY COMMISSIONERS WAUGH-NELSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of the improvement consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HEATHER STREET from Pinecrest Ave. to Laurel Ave.,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Heather St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Heather St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

21. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Lansing St., no objections were presented.

Davidson-Matheson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

22. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Hall St. from the former East City Limits 200 feet east, no objections were presented.

Nelson-Waugh. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting).

23. This being the time and place set for hearing on the installation of a water main in Hall St. from the former East City Limits 200 feet east, no objections were presented.

Nelson-Waugh. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting)

24. City Manager reported verbally on bids received for the resurfacing of Breton Rd. from Hall St. to the South City Limits, Hall St. from Breton Rd. to vacated May Lane, and Sherman St. from Lake Drive to the West City Limits, recommending that the low bid of Grand Rapids Asphalt Paving Co. be accepted.

Waugh-Nelson. That the Grand Rapids Asphalt Paving Co. bid be accepted and contracts awarded according to the terms submitted for the resurfacing of the following streets: Breton Rd. from Hall St. to the South City Limits, Hall St. from Breton Rd. to vacated May Lane, and Sherman St. from Lake Drive to the West City Limits.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

25. Communication from Martha K. Deacon, 667 Lovett Ave., complaining of her assessed valuation, and of damage to her property due to the pile driving while the sanitary sewer was being constructed in Lovett Ave.

Referred to City Manager for action and report.

26. Communication from James L. Tanner, chairman of Michigan Municipal League's new International Municipal Cooperation Committee.

Received and filed.

27. Communication from Wm. Rottschafer regarding the deeding of four lots owned by him on Beechwood Dr., to the City. The City Manager made verbal report regarding the condition of these lots.

Referred to City Manager to contact the other abutting property owners.

28. City Manager requested authority to purchase pump equipment for the Manhattan sewer lift station.

Nelson-Sheperd. That the City Manager be authorized to purchase this pump equipment from Chicago Pump Company.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

29. Verbal request from the Grand Rapids Yacht Club, asking the City to pay one-half the cost of a fence along the common property line.

This matter was discussed and it was decided the City could not comply with this request inasmuch as no funds are available in the Budget for this purpose.

30. In the matter of Kent County Library Board's request for supplemental funds, Commissioner Nelson reported verbally that a joint meeting was scheduled between the County Library Board, the Board of Supervisors' Finance Committee and representatives of East Grand Rapids, Wyoming, Grandville and Lowell to discuss this situation.

31.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON+

WHEREAS, there may now be in and may hereafter from time to time, come into the hands of Peter Quint, Treasurer of the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, certain public moneys belonging to or held for the State, County, other political units of the State, or otherwise held according to law, and

WHEREAS, under the laws of Michigan, this Commission is required to provide by resolution for the deposit of all public moneys, including tax moneys, coming into the hands of said Treasurer, in one or more banks, hereinafter called bank(s) to be designated in such resolution;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that said Treasurer, Peter Quint, is hereby directed to deposit all public moneys, including tax moneys now in or coming into his hands as Treasurer in his name as Treasurer, in the Old Kent Bank & Trust Company, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Yeas: Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: Davidson - 1.

32. Matheson-Davidson. That the City Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

33. Communication from Harvey Vander Ark, Inc., requesting zoning variance to permit lot sizes on Andover Rd. of 60 feet or over instead of the 72 feet required by the Zoning Ordinance.

City Clerk instructed to set hearing date on this variance for May 15, 1961.

34. Matheson-Davidson. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

35. Communication from Harvey Vander Ark, Inc., requesting a change in zoning to permit a foster home for boys from 14 to 16 years old at 2465 Indian Trail.

Referred to City Attorney for opinion and also referred to the Planning Commission.

36.  
BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

RESOLVED, that the following budget be adopted as the annual budget of the City of East Grand Rapids for the year 1961-1962:

Administrative Fund	\$ 92,500.00
General Fund	85,100.00
Engineering Fund	15,500.00
Police Fund	82,400.00
Fire Fund	83,600.00
Street Fund	199,000.00
Sewer Fund (including Disposal)	58,200.00
Contingent Fund	12,900.00
	<u>\$ 629,200.00</u>

Anticipated Revenues:

Property Tax	\$ 421,700.00
State Collected	178,500.00
Operating	29,000.00
	<u>\$ 629,200.00</u>

That there be levied a tax upon all property subject to taxation by the municipal government of the City of East Grand Rapids, sufficient with other resources to pay the estimated expense of the City government for the ensuing fiscal year, the maintenance of all sinking funds and interest on all municipal debts, the total of which said amounts and the amounts estimated to be necessary for such purposes is hereby declared to be the sum of \$421,700.00, and the tax rate per \$1,000.00 valuation is hereby determined to be \$16.70.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

37. Nelson-Matheson. That the following Water Works Operation & Maintenance Budget adopted for the year 1961-1962 be made a part of the minutes:

WATER WORKS OPERATION & MAINTENANCE BUDGET  
1961-1962

Estimated Revenues	\$ 153,000.00
<u>Expenses:</u>	
Source of Supply	\$ 1,000.00
Power and Pumping	17,200.00
Purification	15,000.00
Transmission and Distribution	23,300.00
Meter Reading and Collecting	4,000.00
Administrative and General	9,600.00
Other Deductions	<u>83,400.00</u>
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 153,500.00</u>

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

38. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$2,300.07 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Controller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

39. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

40. City Manager reported that Mr. John Saylor of the State Agriculture Department had advised him that the State will make no further checking on Dutch Elm disease.

City Attorney instructed to draw up an ordinance to enforce the removal of trees dead from Dutch Elm disease.

41. Sheperd-Collins. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until May 15, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
May 15, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh and Mayor  
Richardson.

Absent: Com. Collins.

42. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as prepared.

42A. Mrs. Gallmeyer's Civics Class was welcomed to the meeting by the Mayor.

43. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of Notices of Special Improvement, Notices of Special Assessment, Notices to Bidders, Notice of Intent to Issue Bonds and Notice of Publication of City Code on file in his office.

44. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the improvement of Hall St. from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive, no objections were presented.

Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Matheson-Sheperd. That the bid of Harvey Vander Veen being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

45.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the entire cost of improvement 34 feet in width, consisting of proper gravel base and 2" asphaltic concrete surface on

HALL STREET from vacated May Lane to Lake Drive,

including the necessary curbs, gutters, sidewalks and underground work, and no objections being presented; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll, known as the Hall St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed, and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said special assessment roll to the City Treasurer, and to attach his warrant commanding the said Treasurer to collect from each person whose name appears on said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, and to collect the first installment during the current year and one installment annually thereafter until the whole is collected, with interest on all deferred installments at the rate of 6% per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Hall St. Asphaltic Paving District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of the paid and unpaid assessments upon each of said installments on such roll to the City Clerk, together with his doings therein, within sixty (60) days after each installment is due and payable, and that he make return of said roll, and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within sixty (60) days after the last of said installments is due and payable.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6

Nays: 0.

46. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the construction of sanitary sewer in Pioneer Club Rd. from the west line of Manhattan Beach plat to Manhattan Rd. and in Manhattan Rd. from Pioneer Club Rd. to the cul-de-sac at the west end, no objections were presented.

Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Davidson-Sheperd. The bid of McClurken & Zeeff being the lowest and best bid submitted, that this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

47.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of constructing a sanitary sewer in

PIONEER CLUB ROAD from the west line of Manhattan Beach plat to  
Manhattan Rd., and in  
MANHATTAN ROAD from Pioneer Club Rd. to the cul-de-sac at the west end,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, and no objections said roll being presented, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Pioneer Club Rd. & Manhattan Rd. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Pioneer Club Rd. and Manhattan Rd. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

48

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, a special assessment district for construction of a sanitary sewage outlet has heretofore been established to serve property described as: that part of NE Fr1  $\frac{1}{2}$  lying east of the east  $\frac{1}{8}$  line and lying south of Reeds Lake Blvd., except the west 33 feet, Section 34, T7N, R11W;

WHEREAS, it is desirable to avoid possible confusion in the future with respect to same,

BE IT RESOLVED, that it is the specific intent of this Commission that the above described property be at no time further assessed for an additional sanitary sewage outlet; provided that said property shall bear its fair share of any necessary future replacement of the outlet presently being constructed.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

49. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for installation of water main in Manhattan Rd. from approximately 500 feet south of Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end, and north to Pioneer Club Rd., no objections were presented.

Bids on the above improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Davidson-Sheperd. That the bid of McClurken & Zeeff being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

50.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of installing a water main in

MANHATTAN ROAD from approximately 500 feet south of Pioneer Club Rd. to cul-de-sac at west end, and north to Pioneer Club Rd.,

including the necessary services and underground work, and no objections to said roll being presented, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Manhattan Rd. Water Main District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Manhattan Rd. Water Main District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

51. This being the time and place set for opening bids for construction of a sanitary sewer in Lansing St., three bids were received, opened and read.

Davidson-Sheperd. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

52.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-SHERRD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 17th of April, 1961, declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

LANSING STREET from 200 feet west of Lakeside Dr. to approximately 300 feet west,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on May 1, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Lansing St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$1,327.40; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom, and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

53.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-SHEPERD:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the construction of a sanitary sewer in

LANSING STREET from 200 feet west of Lakeside Dr. to approximately 300 feet west,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Lansing St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 5, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

54. This being the time and place set for opening bids for the construction of a sanitary sewer in Hall St. from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east, three bids were received, opened and read.

Nelson-Matheson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

55.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 17th of April, 1961, declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HALL STREET from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed with the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on May 1, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Hall St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 6"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 2, 266.29 ; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom, and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission..

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting).

56.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the construction of a sanitary sewer in

HALL STREET from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Hall St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 6 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 5, 1961, at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, ~~Sheperd~~, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting)

57. This being the time and place set for opening bids for the installation of a water main in Hall St. from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east, three bids were received, opened and read.

Nelson-Matheson. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh,, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

58.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 17th of April, 1961, declare the installation of a water main in

HALL STREET from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east,

including the necessary services and underground work, to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed with the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on May 1, 1961, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Hall St. Water Main District No. 3"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimates, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 1,367.01 ; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom, and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, ~~Sheperd~~, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting)

59.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the installation of a water main in

HALL STREET from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east,

including the necessary services and underground work, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Hall St. Water Main District No. 3 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 5, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment rolls in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting).

60. Report of the City Manager regarding bids received for the improvement of Lovett Avenue from Lake Drive to Wealthy St., stating that low bid was submitted by H.A. Vander Veen.

Davidson-Nelson. The bid of H.A. Vander Veen being the lowest and best bid submitted, that this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

61. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the furnishing of gasoline, four bids were received, opened and read.

Waugh-Nelson. Referred to City Manager for report.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

62. This being the time and place set for opening bids on City printing, one bid was received, opened and read.

Waugh-Nelson. Referred to City Manager for report.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

63. This being the time and place set for opening bids on garbage collection, two bids were received, opened and read.

Nelson-Davidson. Referred to City Manager for report.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

64. Nelson-Waugh. That the Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

65. This being the time and place set for hearing on the request of Harvey Vander Ark, Inc. for variance in lot sizes on the east side of Andover Rd. from the required 72 feet to 60 feet or over, a communication objecting to the variance was read from Alfred Leavitt representing Albert Associates. Present and objecting to the variance were Mrs. Lorraine Nyman, Harold Vander-Weide, Jack Zordell, John Callihan and Ray Sherman.

Nelson-Waugh. That the request for lot size variance be denied.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, - 5  
Nays: Richardson - 1.

66. Nelson-Waugh. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

67. Communication from the Michigan Municipal League regarding the annual meeting September 14 through 16 at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island.

Received and filed.

68. Opinion of the City Attorney was read relative to the request for permission to use 2465 Indian Trail, located in A-1 Zone District, as a foster home for boys - stating in part this is not a use permitted in this Zone District, that the request may not be interpreted as a request for a variance but would have to be considered a request for an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance.

Matheson-Nelson. That this request be denied on the basis of the Attorney's opinion.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

69. Communication from Mr. John McCarthy, president of the Woodcliff Park Improvement Association, regarding the improvement of Outlot "C" in Woodcliff Park. Mr. McCarthy was present, and stated they would like to put in drainage for this property.

Referred to Manager and Attorney for report.

70. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$63,070.36 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

71. City Manager requested that permission be granted Mr. Krell, Mr. Lipsner and Mr. Subar to operate a ski jump on Reeds Lake, for one year.

Waugh-Davidson. That this permit be granted, subject to regulations and limitations set forth by the City Manager.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

72. City Manager reported Mrs. Nancy Mueller would like permission to make an appeal to the Board of Supervisors on behalf of the County Library Commission for financing of the library system.

Com. Nelson reported regarding the joint meeting of the four cities with the County Library Board and the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Matheson-Sheperd. That the City Commission formally request the County Library Board to appoint Mrs. Nancy Mueller to present the Library Board's case before the Board of Supervisors.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

73. Mayor Richardson recommended approval of the following appointments:

PRESIDENT OF THE COMMISSION - John J. Collins

WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE

Willis J. Nelson, Chairman  
Harold E. Davidson  
Don P. Matheson

UTILITIES COMMITTEE

Harold E. Davidson, Chairman  
Jordan M. Sheperd  
Thomas T. Waugh

POLICE AND FIRE COMMITTEE

John J. Collins, Chairman  
Don P. Matheson  
Willis J. Nelson

ORDINANCE COMMITTEE

Jordan M. Sheperd, Chairman  
Willis J. Nelson  
John J. Collins

STREETS, SIDEWALKS & TREES COMMITTEE

Don P. Matheson, Chairman  
John J. Collins  
Thomas T. Waugh

RECREATION & PARKS COMMITTEE

Thomas T. Waugh, Chairman  
Jordan M. Sheperd  
Harold E. Davidson

BOARD OF REVIEW

Donald Ford, Chairman  
John B. McMullen  
George L. Young  
Jordan M. Sheperd  
Thomas T. Waugh

SUPERVISORS

John J. Collins  
Willis J. Nelson  
Thomas G. Ford  
Frederic H. Tholen  
Stanford M. Brown

CITY MANAGER

- Frederic H. Tholen

CITY CLERK-COMPTROLLER

- Louis F. Battjes

CITY ATTORNEY

- Stephen A. Bryant

ASSESSOR & BUILDING

INSPECTOR

- Donald Ford

ASS'T. ASSESSORS

- John B. McMullen

George L. Young

HEALTH OFFICER

- Dr. W.B. Prothro

Stanford M. Brown

Frederic H. Tholen

Louis F. Battjes

Stephen A. Bryant

Donald Ford

John B. McMullen

George L. Young

Dr. W.B. Prothro

Frederic H. Tholen

Louis F. Battjes

Stephen A. Bryant

TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Samuel S. Cori, Jr., Chairman  
Lewis M. Lockley  
R. William Decker  
Douglas W. Hillman  
Robert W. Richardson (Mayor)  
F. H. Tholen (City Manager)  
Howard J. Coleman (Chief of Police)

BUDGET BOARD

Joseph F. Deeb, Chairman  
Edward J. Frey  
L. Ronald Noreen  
Leonard Osterink  
Robert H. Bennett, Jr.  
Robert P. Van Ess  
Ralph B. Baldwin

PLANNING COMMISSION

John Knapp, Chairman  
Nancy P. Mueller, Vice-Chairman  
John D. Hibbard  
Mary M. Meade  
Dr. Henry J. Vandenberg  
Marvin L. Germain  
Edgar R. Firant  
Stuart D. Long  
Jordan M. Sheperd  
Alfred W. Hewitt (Bd. of Education)  
Fred H. Tholen (City Manager-Secretary)

LIBRARY COMMISSION

Arend Vyn  
Mrs. Marion Branston  
Mrs. Dorothy Blamire  
Mrs. Barbara Gallmeyer  
Mrs. Alwyn M. Booher  
Willis J. Nelson

ELECTION COMMISSION

Louis F. Battjes, Chairman  
Donald Ford  
Stephen A. Bryant

TREASURER

- Peter Quint

CHIEF OF POLICE

- Howard J. Coleman

FIRE CHIEF

- John F. Terpstra

HARBORMASTER

- Charles Harrett

ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR

- Carl J. Vander

Sch

FORESTER

- Henry Koopman

Stephen A. Bryant

Donald Ford

John B. McMullen

George L. Young

Dr. W.B. Prothro

Frederic H. Tholen

Louis F. Battjes

Stephen A. Bryant

ELECTION INSPECTORS

FIRST WARD (1st Prec.)

E. Lucile Anderson

Bess Vandersluis

Irene K. Fernekes

(2nd Prec.)

Viola McCarthy

Jessie Doornbos

June E. Lang

SECOND WARD (1st Prec.)

Louise Meyer

Alida Schultz

Lila Bulsok

(2nd Prec.)

Jean B. Krumm

Phyllis Blok

Clara Gallandt

THIRD WARD (1st Prec.)

Jane B. Hickey

Bernice Cheney

Florence Brown

(2nd Prec.)

Nellie C. Mead

Hope G. Cargill

Frances L. Sherwood

(3rd Prec.)

E. Fern Fanjoy

Ferne Vander Wal

Verda Geyer

Davidson-Nelson. That the appointments as recommended by the Mayor be approved.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

74. Com. Davidson suggested name plates to be placed in front of each Commissioner.

75. Com. Matheson discussed weed control in the lake.

76. Nelson-Davidson. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until June 5, 1961.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

*Louis J. Battjes*  
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City Clerk.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
June 5, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh and Mayor Richardson.

Absent: Com. Sheperd.

77. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

78. Mayor Richardson at this time presented former Commissioners Germain and Ellis with keys to the City.

79. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of Notices of Special Assessment and notices to bidders on file in his office.

80. This being the time and place set for hearing objections to the assessment roll for the construction of sanitary sewer in Lansing St., no objections were presented.

Bids on this improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Matheson-Davidson. That the bid of Van Orden Company being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Meas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

81.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of constructing a sanitary sewer in

LANSING STREET from 200 feet west of Lakeside Dr. to approximately 400 feet west,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Lansing St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within 30 days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Lansing St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

82. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the construction of sanitary sewer in Hall St. from the/East City Limits to 200 feet east, no objections were presented. former

Bids on this improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Matheson. That the bid of Van Orden Company being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

83.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of constructing a sanitary sewer in

HALL STREET from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east,

including the necessary laterals and underground work, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Hall St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 6 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within 30 days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Hall St. Sanitary Sewer District No. 6 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

84. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the installation of a water main in Hall Street from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east, no objections were presented.

Bids on this improvement were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Matheson. That the bid of Van Orden Company being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

85.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of installing a water main in

HALL STREET from the former East City Limits to 200 feet east, including the necessary services and underground work, and no objections being presented, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Hall St. ~~Sanitary Sewer~~ District No. 3 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within 30 days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Hall St. Water Main District No. 3 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

86. Communication from the East Grand Rapids Friends of the Library regarding library services and commending the City Commission for the firm stand taken to persuade the Board of Supervisors to restore the cut which has been made in the County Library Budget.

City Manager reported verbally regarding action taken by the Board of Supervisors  
Received and filed.

87. Communication from John D. Rose, requesting that the City assume a portion of the cost of operating a supervised skating rink on Reeds Lake.

Referred to Recreation Committee of the City Commission for report.

88. Communication from City Attorney regarding request of John McCarthy of the Woodcliff Park Improvement Association for permission to improve Outlot "C" in said plat, stating that in his opinion this request must be denied in the absence of written consent from all lot owners in the Plat.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

89. Communication from the East Grand Rapids Public Schools, regarding results of the election held May 15, 1961.

Received and filed.

90. Nelson-Collins. That the Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

91. Request of Joseph B. White for variance of the 6' side yard restriction occasioned by the construction of an addition connecting the garage to the house at his residence at 1761 Breton Rd.

Hearing set for the June 19th meeting.

92. Nelson-Collins. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

93. City Manager reported on bids received for automotive and truck equipment, requesting authorization to issue purchase orders for low bids as follows:

Automobile for Fire Chief	- Berger Chevrolet	\$ 1,798.31
Van type rescue unit - Fire Dept.	- Duthler Ford Sales	1,619.00
2 police patrol cars	- Berger Chevrolet	2,574.78
3 2-ton dump trucks - Public Serv. Dept.	- Bill Pastoor, Inc.	6,514.74
Bodies for above	- Owens Body Co.	1,798.50
2 economy pick-up trucks	- Duthler Ford Sales	3,106.00
1 tractor-loader	- Grandville Farm Equip. Co.	3,265.74

City Manager further requested authorization, inasmuch as bid amounts have now been established, for budgetary transfers of the following:

1. From Acct. #5-22 (Police Dept. New Equip.) to Acct. #6-22 (Fire Dept. New Equip.) - \$650.00.
2. From Acct. #10-20 (Sani. Sewer New Construction) to Acct. #10-22 (Sani. Sewer New Equip.) - \$2,000.00.
3. From Acct. #2-3 (Garbage Collection) to Acct. #7-22 (Street Dept. New Equip.) \$1,000.00.
4. From Acct. #2-3 to the Contingent Fund - \$1,500.00.

Nelson-Waugh. That the above requests of the City Manager be concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: Matheson - 1.

94. City Manager reported on gasoline bids received, recommending that the low bid of Sinclair Refining Co. be accepted, for the year beginning June 1, 1961.

Collins-Davidson. Manager's recommendation concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

95. City Manager reported on garbage bids received, recommending that the contract with Bell Pickup Service be renewed for the year beginning June 1, 1961.

Davidson-Nelson. Manager's recommendation concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

96. City Manager reported on the printing bid received.

Waugh-Nelson. That this matter be tabled.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

97. City Manager reported on bids received for water fittings, recommending that the low bid of Ellis & Ford Mfg. Co. be accepted.

Nelson-Davidson. Manager's recommendation concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

98. City Clerk reported 3 bids received on Workmen's Compensation Insurance and recommended that the bid of Employer's Mutuals of Wausau be accepted.

Waugh-Davidson. That the bid of Employers Mutuals be accepted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

99. Petition signed by Robert W. Harris and nine others, requesting the vacation of El Dorado Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to Floral Dr.

Davidson-Waugh. Referred to Planning Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

100. Reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

101. Mayor Richardson recommended the appointment of Irving Folger to the Library Commission.

Concurred in.

102.  
BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, the East Grand Rapids City Commission was saddened to learn of the death of Mr. Fred Anible on Friday, June 2, 1961; and

WHEREAS, the Commission is cognizant that Mr. Anible was an extremely capable, loyal, and devoted employee of the City of East Grand Rapids for more than 37 years and its Superintendent of Public Works for more than 25 years; and

WHEREAS, the Commission is deeply appreciative of the valued service Mr. Anible rendered to the people of the City of East Grand Rapids during his lifetime of work in their behalf;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the East Grand Rapids City Commission in regular session assembled this 5th day of June, 1961, does express, on behalf of the people of East Grand Rapids, its employees, and in its own behalf, its deep sorrow and sincere regret at the loss of so valued a public servant; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a certified copy of this resolution be sent to Mrs. Anible in the hope that she may gain some solace in her grief from the fact that her husband's lifetime of work is so deeply appreciated by all those for whom, and with whom, he worked.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

103. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$81,254.76 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

104. Properties located in the low section of Beechwood Dr. were discussed.

105. Mayor Richardson suggested that the July meetings be on the 10th and 20th.

106. Davidson-Collins. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until June 19, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

*Louis J. Battjes*  
City Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
June 19, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, and Mayor Richardson.

Absent: Com. Nelson.

107. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

108. Collins-Waugh. That the Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

109. This being the time and place set for hearing on the request of Joseph B. White for sideyard variance at 1761 Breton Rd., no objections were presented by surrounding property owners.

Collins-Waugh. That the variance request be granted and permit authorized.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: Matheson - 1.

110. Communication from Ingwar Samuelson requesting rear yard variance to permit construction of a permanent roof over patio at his home on Lot 235, Paris Park #1 (2230 Boston St.).

Request received, and hearing date set for July 10, 1961.

111. Collins-Waugh. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Sheperd, Matheson, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

112. Communication from Albert Builders, Inc., requesting building permit for Lot 343, Paris Park #1.

Communication was read from a former owner, R.L. Stewart, stating that at the time he built on Lot 345 (2120 Englewood Dr.) it was required that he purchase Lot 343 in order to meet zoning requirements.

Mr. Ralph Snead, 2129 Tenway Dr., was present, objecting to the issuance of a permit for dwelling on Lot 343, because it would lower property values of adjoining property.

Waugh-Davidson. That request for building permit for Lot 343, Paris Park #1 be denied.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

113. Communication from the City Treasurer, requesting that special assessment taxes 90 days delinquent, delinquent water bills and weed cutting bills be assessed on the 1961 City Tax Roll.

Matheson-Sheperd. That the Board of Assessors be instructed to reassess same on the 1961 City Tax Roll.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

114. Communication from the Planning Commission, recommending that El Dorado Dr. between Pinecrest Ave. and Floral Dr. be vacated as requested by petitioners, subject to normal requirement that right of way be maintained as an easement for public utilities.

115.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-SHEPERD:

RESOLVED, by this Commission, that it deems it advisable to vacate, abolish and discontinue that portion of El Dorado Dr. lying between Pinecrest Ave. and Floral Dr., together with the 20-foot alley adjoining on the north side of said street, located in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SE cor. Lot 8, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th Sly to the NE cor. Lot 3, Raymond Park Addition, Blk 5; th SWly along the Sly line of El Dorado Dr. to a point 15 feet Ely from the NE cor. of the W. 70 feet of Lot 7, sd. Addition; th NEly to the SW cor. Lot 22, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th NE along the Nly line of El Dorado Dr. to beginning;

reserving to the City, however, right of way to the full width of said street and alley for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and servicing underground utilities, the property acquired by this vacation to be used for lawn and landscaping purposes only; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Commission meet on the 24th of July, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. in the Commission Room of said City to hear and consider any and all objections and reasons why the above mentioned portion of El Dorado Dr. and adjoining alley, described as aforesaid, should not be vacated, abolished and discontinued; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give written or printed notice of the time and place when and where the Commission of said City will meet to hear and consider objections to the vacating, abolishing and discontinuing of said portion of street and adjoining alley by any persons interested therein and desiring to be heard, by publishing the notice of such meeting, with a copy of this resolution, once not less than two weeks before said meeting, in the Grand Rapids Press, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of East Grand Rapids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

116. Petition signed by Wm. L. Bennett and 7 other property owners, requesting the vacation of El Dorado Dr. between San Jose Dr. and San Juan Dr.

Referred to the Planning Commission.

117.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-SHEPERD:

RESOLVED by this Commission, that it deems it advisable to vacate, abolish and discontinue that portion of El Dorado Dr. lying between San Jose Dr. and San Juan Dr., located in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SW cor. Lot 61, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th NEly to the SE cor. Lot 41, said Subdivision, which is the NW cor. of San Jose Dr. and El Dorado Dr., th S. to the SW cor. of San Jose Dr. and El Dorado Dr., th SWly along the Sly line of El Dorado Dr. to the NW cor. of the following description: Lot 15 and the E. 22 ft. of Lot 14, Raymond Park Addition, Blk 3, th NWly to beginning;

reserving to the City, however, right of way to the full width of said street for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and servicing underground facilities, and also reserving the walk-way as presently located in said portion of street, the property acquired by this vacation to be used for lawn and landscaping purposes only; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Commission meet on the 24th of July, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. in the Commission Room of said City to hear and consider any and all objections and reasons why the above mentioned portion of El Dorado Dr. described as aforesaid should not be vacated, abolished and discontinued; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give written or printed notice of the time and place when and where the Commission of said City will meet to hear and consider objections to the vacating, abolishing and discontinuing of said portion of street by any persons interested therein and desiring to be heard, by publishing the notice of such meeting, with a copy of this resolution, once not less than two weeks before said meeting, in the Grand Rapids Press, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of East Grand Rapids.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

118. Communication from Henry & Knorr, attorneys representing Simon W. Oppenhuizen, stating he is contemplating purchase of a parcel of land fronting on Lake Drive and adjacent to 3155 Lake Drive, and requesting that because of prohibitive cost of sewer and water lines, he be permitted to construct his home installing his own well and septic tank.

That this matter be tabled and the Manager report regarding fire protection.

119. Communication from the East Grand Rapids Schools giving the results of the June 12th election.

Received and filed.

120.  
BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, special assessment rolls, more particularly hereinafter described, for the construction of street improvements in the City of East Grand Rapids have been prepared, reviewed and confirmed by the City Commission;

AND WHEREAS, said special assessment rolls have been divided into five (5) equal annual installments;

AND WHEREAS, the City Commission deems it necessary to borrow the sum of Eighty-three Thousand (\$83,000.00) Dollars in anticipation of the collection of a like amount of the four (4) future due installments of special assessments on said special assessment rolls.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The estimated period of usefulness of said improvements is not less than fifteen (15) years.
2. Special assessment bonds be issued in the amount of Eighty-three Thousand (\$83,000.00) Dollars, in anticipation of the collection of a like amount of the four (4) deferred installments of special assessments on the special assessment rolls pertaining to the special assessment districts hereinafter listed, said issue of bonds to be divided among the several special assessment districts as follows:

Hall Street Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 11,900.00
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Boston Street Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 24,000.00
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Pinecrest Avenue, Orchard Avenue, Burchard Street, Coronado Drive and Lakeside Drive Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 38,200.00
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Conlon Avenue Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 8,900.00
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In addition to the special assessments, as aforesaid, the full faith, credit and resources of the City of East Grand Rapids shall be pledged for the prompt payment of the principal and interest on said bonds as the same become due. Said bonds shall consist of eighty-three (83) bonds of the

denomination of \$1,000.00 each, numbered consecutively in direct order of maturity from 1 to 83, both inclusive, dated August 1, 1961, and payable serially as follows:

\$ 18,000.00 October 1, 1962;  
 \$ 20,000.00 October 1st of each of the years 1963 and 1964;  
 \$ 25,000.00 October 1, 1965.

Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate or rates not exceeding four and one-half per cent (4-1/2%) per annum, payable on October 1, 1962, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of April and October of each year. Both principal and interest shall be payable at a bank or trust company to be designated by the purchaser of the bonds.

Bonds numbered 59 to 83, both inclusive, maturing in the year 1965, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the City, in inverse numerical order, on any interest payment date on or after October 1, 1963, at par and accrued interest.

Notice of redemption shall be given to the holders of bonds to be redeemed by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption, at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the State of Michigan which carries, as part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds. No further interest payable on bonds called for redemption shall accrue after the date fixed for redemption, whether presented for redemption or not, provided the City has money available for such redemption with the paying agent.

3. Said bonds shall be signed in the name of the City by the Mayor and the City Clerk and shall bear the City seal, and the interest coupons annexed thereto shall bear the facsimile signatures of the Mayor and City Clerk; said bonds, when executed, shall be delivered to the Treasurer and be delivered by him to the purchaser thereof upon payment of the purchase price thereof in accordance with the bid therefor, when accepted.

4. There shall be established and maintained a separate fund for each of said special assessment districts into which shall be placed the respective district's proportion of the proceeds of sale of the bonds, except accrued interest and premium, if any. From such fund there shall be paid the cost of the improvement in the proper district. The moneys in said several funds may be kept in one bank account, but no money shall be drawn therefrom for the benefit of any district unless there is a sufficient balance therefor in the fund of such district.

5. There shall be established and maintained a fund to be designated "1961 Special Assessment Street Improvement Bond Debt Retirement Fund". Into said fund there shall be placed the accrued interest and premium, if any, received at the time of delivery of said bonds. In addition, there shall be paid into said fund all collections of principal and interest and penalties on the special assessment rolls in anticipation of the collection of which the bonds authorized by the provisions of this resolution have been issued: Provided, however, that the amount to be paid by each such district shall not exceed the amount of bonds allocated to such district and the interest thereon. If at any time said fund is insufficient to pay principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due, the City shall advance from its general funds a sufficient amount to pay said principal and interest.

6. Said bonds and the attached coupons shall be in substantially the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
 STATE OF MICHIGAN  
 COUNTY OF KENT  
 CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS  
 1961 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND

No. \_\_\_\_\_

\$ 1,000.00

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, County of Kent, State of Michigan, acknowledges itself indebted, and for value received hereby promises to pay to the bearer hereof, the sum of

## ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

lawful money of the United States of America on the first day of October, A.D. 19\_\_\_\_, with interest thereon from the date hereof until paid at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ per cent (\_\_\_\_%) per annum, payable on October 1, 1962, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of April and October of each year, upon presentation and surrender of the proper interest coupons hereto annexed, as they severally become due. Both principal of and interest on this bond are hereby made payable at \_\_\_\_\_

and for the prompt payment of this bond, both principal and interest, the full faith, credit and resources of the City of East Grand Rapids are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is one of a series of eighty-three (83) bonds of even date and like tenor, except as to date of maturity \_\_\_\_\_, aggregating the principal sum of \$83,000.00, issued in anticipation of the collection of special assessments for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing street improvements in Special Assessment Districts, more particularly hereinafter described, in said City, and is issued in accordance with the City Charter and a resolution of the City Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids duly adopted on June 19, 1961.

The right is reserved of redeeming bonds numbered 59 to 83, inclusive, maturing in the year 1965, at the option of the City, in inverse numerical order, on any interest payment date on or after October 1, 1963, at par and accrued interest.

Notice of redemption shall be given to the holders of bonds to be redeemed by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption, at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the State of Michigan which carries, as part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds. No further interest payable on bonds called for redemption shall accrue after the date fixed for redemption, whether presented for redemption or not, provided the City has money available for such redemption with the paying agent.

This bond is payable from the proceeds of collection of special assessments on the lands in special assessment districts described below, or in case of insufficiency of the special assessment funds, from the general funds of said City: Provided, however, that the liability of each special assessment district is limited to payment of an amount together with interest thereon, as follows:

Hall Street Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 11,900.00
Boston Street Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 24,000.00
Pinecrest Avenue, Orchard Avenue, Burchard Street, Coronado Drive and Lakeside Drive Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 38,200.00
Conlon Avenue Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1	\$ 8,900.00

It is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by law precedent to and in the issuance of this bond and the series of bonds of which this is one exist and have been done and performed in regular and due form and time as required by law, and that the total indebtedness of said City of East Grand Rapids, including this Bond, does not exceed any constitutional, charter or statutory limitation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of East Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, by its City Commission, has caused this bond to be signed by in the name of said City by its Mayor and to be countersigned by its City Clerk, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and has caused the annexed interest coupons to be signed by the facsimile signatures of said Mayor and

City Clerk, all as of the first day of August, A.D. 1961.

CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS

(S E A L)

By \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

Countersigned:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

(Form of Coupon)

No. \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

On the first day of \_\_\_\_\_, A.D. 196\_\_\_\_\_, the City of East Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, will pay to bearer hereof the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars in lawful money of the United States of America at \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ being the semi-annual interest due that date on its 1961 Special Assessment Street Improvement Bond, dated August 1, 1961, No. \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

7. The City Clerk shall make application to the Municipal Finance Commission for an order granting permission for the issuance of said bonds and approval of the form of Notice of Sale, and upon receipt of such approval, the City Clerk shall cause Notice of Sale of said bonds to be published in the Michigan Investor of Detroit, Michigan, and The Grand Rapids Press, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a legal newspaper circulated in the City of East Grand Rapids, at least seven (7) full days before the date fixed for sale of the bonds.

8. The Notice of Sale shall be in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE  
\$ 83,000.00  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, COUNTY OF KENT,  
MICHIGAN  
1961 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Sealed bids for the purchase of 1961 Special Assessment Street Improvement Bonds of the par value of \$83,000.00, will be received by the undersigned at his office in the City Hall in the City of East Grand Rapids, State of Michigan, until 5:15 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1961, at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read.

Said 1961 Special Assessment Street Improvement Bonds will be coupon bonds of the denomination of \$1,000.00 each, numbered consecutively in direct order of maturity from 1 to 83, both inclusive, dated August 1, 1961, and will mature serially as follows:

- \$ 18,000.00 October 1, 1962;
- \$20,000.00 October 1st of each of the years 1963 and 1964;
- \$25,000.00 October 1, 1965.

Interest on said bonds will be payable on October 1, 1962, and semi-annually thereafter on April 1st and October 1st of each year.

Said bonds will bear interest from their date at a rate or rates not exceeding four and one-half per cent (4-1/2%) per annum, expressed in multiples of 1/8 of 1%. The interest rate for each coupon period on any one bond shall be at one rate only and represented by one interest coupon. Both principal and interest will be payable at a bank or trust company to be designated by the purchaser of the bonds. Accrued interest to the date of delivery of such bonds must be paid by the purchaser at the time of delivery.

Bonds numbered 59 to 83, both inclusive, maturing in the year 1965, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the City, in inverse numerical order, on any interest payment date on or after October 1, 1963, at par and accrued interest.

Thirty days' notice of the call of any bonds for redemption shall be given by publication in a paper circulated in the State of Michigan which carries, as part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds. Bonds so called for redemption shall not bear interest after the date fixed for redemption, provided funds are on hand with the paying agent to redeem said bonds.

For the purpose of awarding the bonds, the interest cost of each bid will be computed by determining, at the rate or rates specified therein, the total dollar value of all interest on the bonds from (here insert the first day of the month next following the date of receiving bids, or the date of the bonds, whichever is later) to their maturity and deducting therefrom any premium. The bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose bid on the above computation produces the lowest interest cost to the City. No proposal for the purchase of less than all of the bonds herein offered, or at a price less than their par value will be considered.

Said bonds are issued in anticipation of the collection of a like amount of the four (4) future due installments of special assessments on the following special assessment rolls: Hall Street Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1, Boston Street Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1, Pinecrest Avenue, Orchard Avenue, Burchard Street, Coronado Drive and Lakeside Drive Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1 and Conlon Avenue Asphaltic Paving Special Assessment District No. 1. The liability of each of the Special Assessment Districts shall be limited in the manner provided in the bonding resolution. In addition, said bonds pledge the full faith and credit of the City of East Grand Rapids for their payment.

A certified or cashier's check in the amount of \$1,660.00, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company, payable to the order of the City Treasurer of the City of East Grand Rapids, must accompany each bid as a guaranty of good faith on the part of the bidder to be forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid is accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the bonds. No interest will be allowed on the good faith checks, and checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned to each bidder's representative or by registered mail.

Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified opinion of Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone, attorneys of Detroit, Michigan, approving the legality of the bonds, which opinion will be furnished without expense to the purchaser of the bonds prior to the delivery thereof. The City shall pay the cost of printing the bonds. Bonds will be delivered at such place as may be agreed upon with the purchaser.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Envelopes containing the bids should be plainly marked "Proposal for Bonds".

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Clerk, City of East Grand Rapids

APPROVED:  
STATE OF MICHIGAN  
MUNICIPAL FINANCE COMMISSION

9. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and they hereby are rescinded.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

121.

BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-WAUGH:

WHEREAS, bond of Maryland Casualty Company (90-598551) was issued May 1, 1959 in the amount of \$25,000.00 for a three-year term on behalf of Peter Quint; and

WHEREAS, the City desires a bond in the amount of \$50,000.00 on behalf of Peter Quint as of May 1, 1961;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, accepts the bond on behalf of Peter Quint (90-753114) effective May 1, 1961 in the amount of \$50,000.00 in lieu of bond 90-598551 in the amount of \$25,000.00 and cancels said bond 90-598551 as to acts occurring after May 1, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

122. Recommendation of City Manager that the bid of Gillespie Tank Installation Company in amount of \$1620 be accepted for the installation of the 5,000 gallon gasoline tank at the Public Service Building location.

Sheperd-Collins. That the Manager's recommendation be concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

123. Discussion was had regarding sale of property at the end of Ross Ct., the Manager submitting a plan with provision for a cul-de-sac at no cost to the City.

124. Discussion was had regarding electrical inspection fees paid the inspector.

Report of Manager received and filed.

125. City Manager read communication received from Mrs. Fred Anible, expressing appreciation of the resolution on the death of her husband.

126. Matheson-Davidson. That the vouchers in amount of \$44,210.41 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

127. City Manager reported on bids received for construction of sidewalk on the east side of Lakeside Drive on City property and the Yacht Club property, recommending acceptance of the bid of H.A. Vander Veen under which bid the City's portion amounts to \$1,043.25.

Waugh-Davidson. That the bid of H.A. Vander Veen for construction of sidewalk on the east side of Lakeside Drive be accepted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

128. The matter of boys painting house numbers on the curbs was discussed.

Collins-Waugh. That the Manager give the boys a letter stating the Commission has no objection to the project, but with the understanding that there is no obligation on the part of residents to pay for the work unless they wish to do so.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

129. Commissioner Collins brought up the matter of parking tickets issued graduation night at the High School.

Davidson-Collins. That the fines paid for overtime parking while attending graduation exercises be refunded.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0. (Com. Sheperd not voting).

130. Matheson-Sheperd. That the City Manager be authorized to take immediate steps designed to insure a more adequate water supply.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

131. Davidson-Collins. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until July 10, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

*Louis J. Battjes*  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
July 10, 1961

The meeting was called to order by President Collins.

Present: Coms. Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh.

Absent: Com. Davidson, Mayor Richardson.

132. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

133. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of registration notices, Water Works report, and notice to property owners, on file in his office.

134. This being the time and place set for hearing on the zoning variance request of I. W. Samuelson regarding setback and rear yard at 2230 Boston St., being Lot 235, Paris Park #1. Mr. Samuelson was present to support his request.

Referred to Planning Commission.

135. Report of City Manager on printing bids, recommending that contract be awarded the Grandville Star, low bidder.

Matheson-Waugh. Recommendation of the City Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

136. Report of City Manager on bids received for purchase of a sewer cleaning machine, recommending that the low bid of Trojan Tool Equipment Co. be accepted, and purchase order for same authorized, in amount of \$3,338.60.

Sheperd-Waugh. Recommendation of City Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

137. City Clerk reported receiving certified copy of resolution from Grand Rapids Township, approving annexation to the City of East Grand Rapids of property owned by Harold C. Rockwell located in Woodcliff Park.

Received and filed.

138. City Manager reported offer of John C. Nichols to deed a piece of property owned by him along the channel to the City.

Nelson-Waugh. That the City accept deed to this property, the City to assume the ~~1961~~ property taxes.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

139. Report from the City Manager regarding fire protection for the Charles Bissell and Simon Oppenhuizen properties. Mr. Oppenhuizen was present and spoke regarding the matter.

140.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-SHEPERD:

RESOLVED, that the installation of a water main extending from the present 6" main in Southshire Dr. at the north line of said street; thence southeasterly and easterly to approximately 160 feet easterly from the east line of Southshire Dr., thence south 70 feet, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of the following described property: that part of the Northeast 1/4 com. 525.22 ft. South of the NE cor. of Sec. 3; thence West parallel North Sec. line 249 ft; thence South to North line of Lake Dr., thence East 249 ft., thence North to beginning; and that part of the Northeast 1/4 com. on the North line of Lake Dr., 249 ft. West of the East line of Section 3; thence North 560.22 ft. West 46.05 ft., South 560.22 ft. to North line of Lake Dr., thence East 44.05 ft. to beginning, located in Section 3, T6 N, R11W.,

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lands contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

141.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the installation of a water main extending from the present 6" main in Southshire Dr. at the north line of said street; thence southeasterly and easterly to approximately 160 feet easterly from the east line of Southshire Dr., thence south 70 feet, together with the necessary hydrants, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 2,232.00 ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 24, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination; and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

142. Report of the City Manager regarding fire protection for the Irving Bissell Plat property.

143.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-SHEPERD:

RESOLVED, that the installation of a water main in the Irving Bissell Plat along the west side of Lots 9 and 10, the south side of Lot 9, and between Lots 7 and 8 in said Plat, together with the necessary hydrants, is a necessary public improvement, and that the cost and expense of such improvement shall be paid by special assessment levied upon the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, benefiting from said improvement, according to benefits derived. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of all lots located in the Irving J. Bissell Plat.

RESOLVED, that the Director of Public Service prepare an estimate of the cost thereof, together with specifications, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved, and a plat of the lots contained in said special assessment district.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5

Nays: 0

144.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the installation of a water main in the Irving Bissell Plat along the west side of Lots 9 and 10, the south side of Lot 9, and between Lots 7 and 8 in said Plat, together with the necessary hydrants, is a necessary public improvement; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 5,387.00; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimate of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 24, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be the fixed time and the Commission Room in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place at which all persons interested, or who are liable to be assessed therefor, may appear before the City Commission and be heard in regard to such improvement; and

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the contemplated improvement, the district to be assessed, and of the filing of estimates, specifications, plats and diagrams thereof with the Clerk for public examination, and of the time and place the Commission will meet to hear and consider any objections thereto.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5  
Nays: 0.

145. Monthly reports of the Fire Chief, Police Chief and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

146. Nelson-Waugh. That the vouchers in amount of \$112,416.64 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5  
Nays: 0.

147. Com. Nelson discussed the matter of storm drains and sidewalks in the Woodcliff area.

Nelson-Waugh. That the Engineering Dept. make a thorough study of the storm drain and sidewalk situation, with estimated costs, in the Wood-Cliff area.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5  
Nays: 0.

148. Matheson-Sheperd. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until July 24, 1961.

Yeas: Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 5  
Nays: 0.

*Louis H. Battjes*  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
July 24, 1961

**Present:** Coms. Sheperd, Waugh.

**Absent:** Mayor Richardson, Coms. Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Davidson.

144. Com. Sheperd called the meeting to order, and no quorum being present, the meeting was adjourned until Monday, August 7, 1961 at 5:15 p.m.

*Louis J. Battjes*  
CITY CLERK

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
August 7, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd and Mayor Richardson.  
Absent: Com. Waugh.

145. Minutes of the previous meetings of July 10 and July 24 approved as mailed.

146. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of vacation, notices of special improvement, and primary election notices on file in his office.

147. This being the time and place set for adjourned hearing on the proposed vacation of El Dorado Dr. and adjoining 20-foot alley between Pinecrest Ave. and Floral Dr., and for the proposed vacation of El Dorado Dr. between San Jose Dr. and San Juan Dr., no objections were presented.

Communication from the Planning Commission was presented, recommending the vacation of El Dorado Dr. between San Jose Dr. and San Juan Dr., subject to reservation of right of way for necessary utilities.

148.  
BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, a majority of the owners of land and premises abutting on El Dorado Dr. and the 20-foot alley adjoining on the north side of said street, lying between Pinecrest Ave. and Floral Dr., located in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, have petitioned for the vacation of the above described portion of street, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SE cor. Lot 8, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th Sly to the NE cor. Lot 3, Raymond Park Addition, Blk 5; th SWly along the Sly line of El Dorado Dr. to a point 15 feet Ely from the NE cor. of the W 70 feet of Lot 7, said Addition; th NEly to the SW cor. Lot 22, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th NE along the Nly line of El Dorado Dr. to beginning - and

WHEREAS, this Commission did at a regular meeting of said Commission held in said City on the 19th day of June, 1961, declare by resolution that it deemed it advisable to vacate said portion of street and alley as hereinbefore described, and that it deemed such vacating of said portion of street and alley necessary for the public convenience and a necessary public improvement, and designated Monday, July 24, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. as the time and the Commission Room in said City as the place when and where the Commission will meet to hear and consider objections to the vacating of said portion of street and alley, due and legal notice of which said meeting was given as required by law; and which said meeting was adjourned until 5:15 p.m. on Monday, August 7, 1961; and

WHEREAS, this Commission sat in session to hear and consider all objections to vacating said portion of street and alley hereinbefore described, and no objections being presented,

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, that it deems it advisable, and that it is advisable that said portion of El Dorado Dr. and 20-foot alley adjoining on the north, lying between Pinecrest Ave. and Floral Dr. and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SE cor. Lot 8, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th Sly to the NE cor. Lot 3, Raymond Park Addition, Blk 5; th SWly along the Sly line of El Dorado Dr. to a point 15 feet Ely from the NE cor. of the W 70 feet of Lot 7, said Addition; th NEly to the SW cor. Lot 22, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th NE along the Nly line of El Dorado Dr. to beginning, located in said City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan,

be vacated, closed, discontinued and abolished; and that in the opinion of this Commission the vacating, closing, discontinuing and abolishing of said portion of El Dorado Dr. and 20-foot alley adjoining on the north as above described, is a necessary public convenience and a necessary public improvement,

the City reserving right-of-way to the full width of said street and alley for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and servicing underground public utilities, and further reserving thereon a 7-foot pedestrian walkway - the property acquired by this vacation to be used for lawn and landscaping purposes only; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of this City be and he is hereby directed to prepare and forward to the Auditor General of the State of Michigan a certified copy of this resolution, together with his certificates giving the names of the Plats or Addition affected by this resolution.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

149.  
BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

WHEREAS, a majority of the owners of land and premises abutting on El Dorado Dr. between San Jose Dr. and San Juan Dr., located in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, have petitioned for the vacation of the above described portion of street, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SW cor. Lot 61, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th NEly to the SE cor. Lot 41 of said Subdivision; which is the NW cor. of San Jose Dr. and El Dorado Dr., th S. to the SW cor. of San Jose Dr. and El Dorado Dr., th SWly along the Sly line of El Dorado Dr. to the NW cor. of the following description: Lot 15 and the E. 22 feet of Lot 14, Raymond Park Addition, Blk 3; th NWly to beginning - and

WHEREAS, this Commission did at a regular meeting of said Commission held in said City on the 19th day of June, 1961, declare by resolution that it deemed it advisable to vacate said portion of street as hereinbefore described, and that it deemed such vacating of said portion of street necessary for the public convenience and a necessary public improvement, and designated Monday, July 24, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. as the time and the Commission Room in said City as the place when and where the Commission will meet to hear and consider objections to the vacating of said portion of street, due and legal notice of which said meeting was given as required by law; and which said meeting was adjourned until 5:15 p.m. on Monday, August 7, 1961; and

WHEREAS, this Commission sat in session to hear and consider all objections to vacating said portion of street hereinbefore described, and no objections being presented,

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, that it deems it advisable, and that it is advisable that said portion of El Dorado Dr. lying between San Jose Dr. and San Juan Dr. and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SW cor. Lot 61, G.A. Hendricks' Subdivision; th NEly to the SE cor. Lot 41, said Subdivision, which is the NW cor. of San Jose Dr. and El Dorado Dr., th S. to the SW cor. of San Jose Dr. and El Dorado Dr., th SWly along the Sly line of El Dorado Dr. to the NW cor. of the following description: Lot 15 and the E. 22 feet of Lot 14, Raymond Park Addition, Blk 3, th NWly to beginning, located in said City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan,

be vacated, closed, discontinued and abolished; and that in the opinion of this Commission the vacating, closing, discontinuing and abolishing of said portion of El Dorado Dr. as above described is a necessary public convenience and a necessary public improvement, the City reserving right-of-way to the full width of said street for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and servicing underground public utilities, and further reserving thereon a 7-foot pedestrian walkway - the property acquired by this vacation to be used for lawn and landscaping purposes only; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of this City be and he is hereby directed to prepare and forward to the Auditor General of the State of Michigan a certified copy of this resolution, together with his certificates giving the names of the Plats or Additions affected by this resolution.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

150. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed installation of a water main in the Irving J. Bissell Plat, Dr. Pedden was present and discussed the improvement.

City Manager read communication from Lawson E. Becker, attorney representing the property owners in said Plat, suggesting that labor costs in this installation be assumed by the City. Said communication received and filed.

Nelson-Matheson. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this project.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

151. Mr. Fred Sarne, owner of properties at 647 and 675-7 Lovett Ave., appeared before the Commission, requesting that grass be replaced after the street improvement at City expense.

The City Manager explained the City's policy in this matter.

152. Commissioner Matheson was excused at this time.

153. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed installation of a water main extending from present main in Southshire Dr. to the Charles Bissell and Simon Oppenhuizen properties, Mr. Oppenhuizen was present.

Davidson-Sheperd. That this matter be tabled.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

154. Communication from the Planning Commission, recommending that variance request of I.W. Samuelson on Lot 235, Paris Park #1 (2230 Boston St.) be granted, subject to stipulation that it is granted for the sole purpose of constructing a permanent roof over the existing patio.

Collins-Davidson. That the variance request be granted as recommended by the Planning Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Sheperd, Richardson - 4  
Nays: Nelson - 1.

155. Report from the City Manager regarding sidewalks ordered in but not yet constructed.

Nelson-Sheperd. That the City Manager be authorized to proceed with construction of these walks, property owners to be billed for same.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

156. Communication from Messrs. Mitts, Smith, Haughey & Packard, attorneys for Albert Builders, Inc., regarding request for building permit for a dwelling on Lot 343, Paris Park #1.

Received and filed.

157. Petition signed by Benjamin Latt and 8 others, property owners on Coronado Dr., requesting the City to plant trees in front of the several houses on Coronado Dr. and Pinecrest Ave. now being improved.

Referred to City Manager for report.

158. Davidson-Collins. That Mayor Richardson be designated official delegate and City Manager Tholen alternate delegate, to attend the ~~the~~ Michigan Municipal League meeting at Mackinac Island on September 14th through 16th,

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

159. City Manager presented new Radio Maintenance agreement with the City of Grand Rapids for approval.

Collins-Davidson. That this agreement be approved and the Mayor authorized to sign same.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

160. Report from City Manager regarding weed control in Reeds Lake.  
Received and filed.

161. Notification from City Manager of date for presentation of the 1960 traffic inventory report, date to be September 14th.

162.  
BY COMMISSIONERS COLLINS-DAVIDSON:

RESOLVED, that the voter registration of all electors who have not voted, continued their registration, reinstated their registration or recorded a change of address on their registration within a period of two years, be suspended; provided that each such elector shall be mailed a Notice of Suspension of Registration, as provided in the Michigan Election Law.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

163. City Manager requested authority to advertise for bids on the construction of a sanitary lift station on Manhattan Rd.

Nelson-Sheperd. That the Manager be authorized to so advertise.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

164. Reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were read.  
Received and filed.

165. Nelson-Davidson. That the vouchers in amounts of \$121,390.46 and \$143,695.64 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

166. Sheperd-Davidson. That the City Manager be authorized to patch and repair Lakeside Dr. north of Greenwood Ave. at a cost of approximately \$2,500.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

167. Collins-Sheperd. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until August 21, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

*Louis F. Battjes*  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
August 21, 1961

The meeting was called to order by President Collins.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Waugh. Coms. Nelson and Sheperd  
arrived after meeting was in session.

Absent: Mayor Richardson.

168. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

169. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the installation of a water main in the Irving J. Bissell Plat, two bids were received, opened and read.

Davidson-Waugh. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Waugh, Collins - 4  
Nays: 0.

170.  
BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-WAUGH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 10th of July, 1961, declare the installation of a water main in the

IRVING J. BISSELL PLAT along the west side of Lots 9 and 10, the south side of Lot 9, and between Lots 7 and 8 in said Plat, together with the necessary hydrants,

to be a necessary public improvement, and designated a special assessment district to be assessed for the entire cost of said improvement; and caused estimates, plats and diagrams of the work and of the locality to be improved and of the district to be assessed to be made and filed in the City Clerk's office for public examination; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing, after due notice, was held on August 7, 1961, and objections thereto being given consideration, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid improvement be made and that the specifications, plats and diagrams on file with the City Clerk be approved and adopted, and that all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefiting thereby as shown by the plat and diagram on file in the City Clerk's office shall constitute and be a special assessment district to be known as "Irving J. Bissell Plat Water Main District No. 1"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the expense of said improvement, including the cost of such estimate, plats, diagrams and assessments incident thereto be and the same is hereby estimated at the sum of \$ 6,120.00 ; and that the entire expense of said improvement as herein estimated be assessed upon and against the lands and premises within said special assessment district according to benefits derived from said improvement by each of said lots, parts of lots and parcels of land, and that the amount so assessed against each lot or parcel of land be paid in full, with interest on all amounts unpaid after 20 days from date of confirmation of said assessment roll, at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Assessors be and are hereby directed to make such assessment forthwith upon all real estate within the district aforesaid, according to benefits derived therefrom and as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Waugh, Collins - 4  
Nays: 0.

171.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-WAUGH:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the installation of a water main in the

IRVING J. BISSELL PLAT along the west side of Lots 9 and 10, the south side of Lot 9, and between Lots 7 and 8 in said Plat,

together with the necessary hydrants, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Irving J. Bissell Plat Water Main District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, September 11, 1961 at 5:15 p.m. be fixed as the time and the Commission Room of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be the place the said Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to hear any objections thereto and appeals therefrom; and it is

ORDERED, that the City Clerk give proper notice by publication in the Grand Rapids Press of the filing of said assessment roll in his office and of the time and place the Commission and Board of Assessors will meet to review the assessment and to hear objections thereto and appeals therefrom.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Waugh, Collins - 4  
Nays: 0.

172. Commissioner Nelson arrived at this time.

173. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary lift station on Manhattan Rd., five bids were received, opened and read.

Davidson-Waugh. Referred to the City Manager and Engineer for report.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Collins - 5  
Nays: 0.

174. Report of City Clerk on fleet insurance bids received, recommending that the low bid of Travelers Insurance Co. be accepted.

Nelson-Waugh. That the bid of Travelers Insurance Co. be accepted.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Collins - 5  
Nays: 0.

175. Mr. Simon Oppenhuizen appeared before the Commission regarding the matter of water main running from the present main in Southshire Dr. east and south to serve his property and the property formerly owned by Charles Bissell. The City Manager stated the cost of the main if same were run from Lake Drive. It was suggested by the City Attorney that Mr. Oppenhuizen file a formal petition for the project. Mr. Oppenhuizen did so verbally, this to be followed by submission of a written request.

The matter was then again tabled until the next meeting.

176. Communication from Mr. Andrew Sloomaker, 205 Rexford Dr., complaining of two large holes in the street near his property.

Received and filed.

177. Protest signed by A.B.C. Woodman and 15 others, property owners at the east end of Reeds Lake in Grand Rapids Township, regarding excessive removal of water from Reeds Lake.

Received and filed.

178. Verbal report of City Manager on the Breton Rd. extension.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

179. Communication from Supt. of Schools George Ruwitch regarding the possibility of incorporating a bomb and fallout shelter in the new high school building.

Received and filed.

180. Commissioner Sheperd arrived at this time.

181. City Manager reported that Mr. Richard Brooks wished improvement of Manhattan Rd. this fall, and requested authority to advertise for bids for grading, gravel base, storm drain and basins in Manhattan Rd. from approximately 300 feet south of Pioneer Club Rd. to the west end of cul-de-sac in Manhattan Beach Plat, funds for this project to be advanced by Mr. Brooks at this time, the balance of the improvement to be completed next year by customary special assessment proceedings.

Manager authorized to so advertise for bids.

182. Commissioner Davidson discussed the matter of cleaning the sidewalk in front of business district at Wealthy and Lovett.

183. City Manager and Chief of Police to make check on traffic situation in East Grand Rapids and report.

184. Nelson-Davidson. That the vouchers in amount of \$94,173.79 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 6  
Nays: 0.

185. Commissioner Waugh suggested the establishing of a right turn lane for westbound traffic at Lake Drive and Lakeside, and a left turn lane for northbound traffic at Breton and Hall.

186. Davidson-Matheson. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until September 11, 1961.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Collins - 6  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
September 11, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

187. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

188. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice to bidders and registration notice on file in his office.

189. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for the installation of water main in the Irving J. Bissell Plat, Mr. Wadsworth Bissell was present, representing the Irving J. Bissell Estate, and made no objections. Mr. Willard Schroeder and Mr. Miller Siegel were present and made objection to the amounts of their assessments.

Bids were left on the table and the hearing adjourned until the next meeting.

190. Communication from the Planning Commission, recommending approval of the community renewal program as set forth by the Grand Rapids Planning Commission, and further recommending to the City Commission financial participation to the extent of \$2,250.

Mr. Knapp, chairman of the Planning Commission and Mr. Paul Jones, Grand Rapids Planning Consultant, were present and discussed the matter, citing some phases in which this could serve the City.

Com. Sheperd and City Manager Tholen also spoke in favor of participation in the program.

191.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-WAUGH:

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Rapids is contemplating entering into an expanded Community Renewal Program under new and broadened concepts within the Federal Urban Renewal Administration, wherein the problems of blight and deterioration are studied on an area basis; and

WHEREAS, the East Grand Rapids City Commission is aware that blight and deterioration do not conform to the limit lines of units of government; and

WHEREAS, it is therefore essential that all units of government within the metropolitan area work together toward the identification and location of problems of blight and deterioration and further to cooperatively set forth and implement corrective action, both public and private; and

WHEREAS, the East Grand Rapids City Commission recognizes that blight and deterioration represent an economic problem of the total metropolitan area and that therefore the cost of the program should be shared by all units of government within the area rather than to be totally resident upon taxpayers within the City of Grand Rapids;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the East Grand Rapids City Commission in regular session assembled on this 11th day of September, 1961 hereby offers its participation in the contemplated Community Renewal Program as described by the Grand Rapids Planning Director, to the extent of the specified maximum estimated cost of \$6,750.00, for the initial planning phase, of which it is understood the Federal government will assume 2/3 or \$4,500.00.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

192. City Manager reported on bids for the grading, graveling, storm drain and catch basins in Manhattan Rd. from approximately 300 feet south of Pioneer Club Rd. to the west end of cul-de-sac in Manhattan Beach Plat, recommending that the lowest and best bid submitted by Bultema Bros. be accepted.

Davidson-Nelson. That the bid of Bultema Bros. be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

193. Petition signed by Patrick D. and Betty Ryan and James A. and Susanne W. Smith, requesting vacation of that portion of Coronado Dr. (formerly Ford St.) extending west 136.3 feet from San Jose Dr.

Referred to Planning Commission.

194. City Manager reported on bids for sanitary lift structure in Manhattan Rd., recommending that the lowest and best bid submitted by Owen-Ames-Kimball Co. be accepted.

Collins-Davidson. That the bid of Owen-Ames-Kimball Co. be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

195. Recommendation from the City Manager that the bid of H.A. Vander Veen in amount of \$1,218.02 for construction of curb on Lakeside Dr. from Wealthy St. north be accepted.

Nelson-Matheson. That the bid of H.A. Vander Veen be accepted and contract awarded, cost to be paid from the Street Construction Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

196. Request from H.J. Vander Veen for extension of completion dates on his paving contracts.

Nelson-Waugh. That this request be denied.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

197. Request from Lake Shore Club Apartments for extension of time on leasing signs to January 1, 1962.

Collins-Davidson. That this request be granted, subject to all other signs being removed.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

198. Request of City Manager for authorization to purchase two salt spreaders at cost of approximately \$1,400 from Don F. Nickel Equipment Co.

Collins-Sheperd. Request of the City Manager granted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

199. Petition signed by Vito Battaglia on his own behalf and Mr. M. Jones, for the improvement of Elmwood Rd. from Cascade Rd. to south end of property line.

Received and filed.

200. Nelson-Collins. That the City Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

201. Request of Daniel E. Bergsma, 3051 Woodcliff Ave., being Lot 37, Mary M. Bonnell's Subdivision, for sideyard variance to permit construction of attached two-stall garage.

Hearing set for next meeting on September 25, 1961.

202. Nelson-Collins. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

203. Extensive discussion was had on the sale of certain City-owned property in the Lake Drive-Breton Rd. area, to the School Board.

Matheson-Sheperd. That these lots be sold to the School Board at cost, the improvement of Breton Rd. extension to be assessed to the abutting property after this sale, the City to assume the cost of the extra width.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

204. Communication from Douglas C. Arno, 3155 Lake Drive, requesting that petition for water main for fire protection to his property be dropped inasmuch as he does not feel this service is necessary. Mr. Simon Oppenhuizen was present and also asked that the matter be dropped.

205. Reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

206. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$106,061.24 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh, Sheperd, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

207. Collins-Sheperd. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until September 25, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
September 25, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh and Mayor Richardson.  
(Com. Collins arrived after meeting was in session).

Absent: 0.

208. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

209. Reports from Cecil Simmons, Grand Rapids Traffic Engineer, regarding turn lanes at Lake Drive and Lakeside and at Hall St. and Breton Rd.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

210. Petition of Edward Griffin and Robert Smith, requesting annexation to East Grand Rapids of that portion of their property in Woodcliff Park lying in Grand Rapids Township.

Petition received and tabled, pending report from the City Attorney at the next meeting.

211. Davidson-Matheson. That the City Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Zoning Appeals.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

212. This being the time and place set for hearing on the request of Daniel E. Bergsma for sideyard variance on Lot 37, Mary M. Bonnell's Subdivision (3051 Woodcliff Ave.) to permit construction of an attached, two-stall garage, no objections were presented.

Report from the Planning Commission was read, recommending that this variance be granted.

Davidson-Matheson. That this variance request of Daniel E. Bergsma be granted.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: Nelson - 1.

213. Davidson-Matheson. That the Board of Zoning Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

214. Communication from the Michigan Department of Health, stating that Edward Sprite was recently granted T and M-Fluoridation Water Treatment Plant Certificates.

Received and filed, the Commission acknowledging Mr. Sprite's accomplishment.

215. This being the time and place set for continuation of the hearing on the assessment roll for water main in the Irving J. Bissell Plat, Dr. Pedden and Mr. Willard Schroeder were present and discussed the roll, it being their contention that the City should assume some of the cost of this main.

Com. Collins arrived during this discussion. Various members of the Commission stated their views in the matter.

216. Richardson-Shepard. In connection with this improvement and this assessment roll, that any portion of the Contingencies Fund not expended as a cash expenditure from the Fund after completion of the work be returned to those assessed in proportion to their assessments on the roll.

Yeas: Collins, Sheperd, Richardson - 3  
Nays: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Waugh - 4.

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Mr. Schroeder stated he was withdrawing his objection to the project.

218. Bids on the water main in the Irving J. Bissell Plat were taken from the table at this time.

Nelson-Matheson. That the bid of Roosien Brothers being the lowest and best bid submitted, this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

219.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the assessment roll to defray the expense of installing a water main in the

IRVING J. BISSELL Plat along the west side of Lots 9 and 10, the south side of Lot 9, and between Lots 7 and 8 in said Plat,

together with the necessary hydrants, and objections to said roll being presented and considered, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessments shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach his warrant commanding the Treasurer to collect from each of the persons assessed in said roll the amount set opposite his or her name therein, with interest on all sums not paid within 20 days after date of confirmation of said assessment roll at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of the Irving J. Bissell Plat Water Main District No. 1 Fund as soon as collected, and that said Treasurer make return of said roll and of said warrant and of his doings thereon to the City Clerk within thirty days after date of confirmation of said roll; and be it further

RESOLVED, that when and as said assessment roll has been returned to the City Clerk showing all assessments paid in full, or when and as moneys equal to the total assessments have been deposited with the City Treasurer with authority to use the same in paying the estimated cost of said improvement, that said public improvement be made and the work be done by the City of East Grand Rapids under the direction of the Public Service Director, in accordance with the detailed estimates, plans and specifications heretofore filed and approved by the City Commission, and that the entire cost thereof be paid out of the Irving J. Bissell Plat Water Main District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

220. The matter of building permits for fall-out shelters was discussed.

Waugh-Collins. That the building permit fee be waived on these structures.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

221. Communication from the Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System regarding the annual meeting to be held in East Lansing October 1961, and requesting designation of delegates to attend the meeting.

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Davidson-Nelson. That Louis F. Battjes be authorized to attend the meeting as officer delegate and that Robert Baldwin and Richard Wells, members elected by the employee group, be authorized to attend as employee delegate and alternate, respectively.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

222. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$37,884.43 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

223. Matheson-Waugh. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until October 9, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
October 9, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

224. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

225. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice of special assessment, election notice and notice of bond sale on file in his office.

226. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the \$83,000 Special Assessment Bond Issue, three bids were received, opened and read.

227.

BY COMMISSIONERS MATHESON-COLLINS:

WHEREAS, Monday, October 9, at 5:15 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, has been set as the date and time for opening bids for the purchase of \$83,000.00 1961 Special Assessment Street Improvement Bonds of the City of East Grand Rapids, County of Kent, Michigan;

AND WHEREAS, said bids have been publicly opened and read;

AND WHEREAS, the following bids have been received:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Maturity</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Premium</u>
Old Kent Bank & Trust Co.	Oct. 1, 1962 thru 1965	2-1/4%	\$ 4.15
Kenower, MacArthur & Co.	Oct. 1, 1962 thru 1963	2-1/2%	
	Oct. 1, 1964 thru 1965	2-1/4%	\$ 49.80
Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis	Oct. 1, 1962 thru 1963	2-1/2%	
	Oct. 1, 1964 thru 1965	2-3/8%	\$ 11.15

AND WHEREAS, the bid of Old Kent Bank & Trust Co. has been determined to produce the lowest interest cost to the City;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The bid of Old Kent Bank & Trust Co., as above stated, be and the same hereby is accepted.
2. Checks of the unsuccessful bidders be returned to each bidder's representative or by registered mail.
3. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same hereby are rescinded.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh,  
Richardson - 7.

Nays: 0.

228. Communication from Bruce Dutcher in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. O.A. James, requesting release of the East 22 feet of the East One-Half of vacated Conlon Ave. adjoining Lot 218, Meyering Land Co.'s Lake Drive Estates, on the west, to permit construction of part of the house, driveway and garage on the vacated portion.

Mr. Van Sickle of Dutcher Realty Co. was present and discussed the matter.

Request tabled.

229. Mayor Richardson recommended appointment of the following:

Health Officer - Dr. Dugald S. MacIntyre

Housing Board of Appeals:

Dr. Dugald S. MacIntyre	- Health Officer
Howard J. Coleman	- Chief of Police
John F. Terpstra	- Fire Chief
Mrs. Peter Wege	- Term ending May, 1962
Watson Page	- Term ending May, 1962
S. Bradford Williams	- Term ending May, 1963
George William Clements	- Term ending May, 1963

Davidson-Nelson. That the appointments as recommended by the Mayor be confirmed.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

230. Communication from Zimmer Bros. Engraving Co. requesting permission to install the additional word "Zimmer's" to the sign that identifies their store in the Ramona Shopping Center.

Tabled until next meeting.

231. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

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232. Commissioner Davidson suggested a meeting be held at the High School sometime for the benefit of civics classes.

233. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$45,523.33 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

234. Commissioner Waugh wished it specifically understood that engineering costs normally charged to the Contingencies Fund were not to be included in the Contingencies Fund mentioned in Item 216 of the September 25th minutes.

235. Matheson-Sheperd. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until October 23, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

*Louis F. Battjes*  
CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
October 23, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, and Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

236. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

237. Verbal report of the City Attorney regarding signs in the Ramona Shopping Center, with the recommendation that to eliminate conflict and confusion now existing in the Ordinance Code, all provisions pertaining to signs be consolidated into the Sign Ordinance.

238. Request of Zimmer Brothers for permission to add "Zimmer's" to the sign on their store in the Ramona Shopping Center was taken from the table at this time.

Davidson-Sheperd. Permission granted, the sign to extend not more than 18 inches from the building.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

239. Opinion of the City Attorney stating that the Griffin and Smith properties in Woodcliff Park may be annexed to East Grand Rapids following appropriate resolution of the City Commission and the Township Board.

Received and filed.

240. Commissioner Davidson was excused from the meeting at this time.

241. Recommendation of the City Manager that the Commission authorize the hiring of an additional employee to perform meter reading and repair functions.

Collins-Matheson. Recommendation of the City Manager concurred in.

Yeas: Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

242. Recommendation of the City Manager that the tree planting program be commenced for trees to be planted early next spring, the property owner to pay for the tree itself and the City to assume planting costs, species to be limited to the European sycamore, Norway maple and sugar maple.

Waugh-Nelson. Recommendation of the City Manager concurred in, with expenditure limited to \$2,000 the first year, with a limit of 5 trees to any one owner, planting to be only on lots on which houses are built.

Yeas: Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

243. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$42,749.20 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

244. Waugh-Sheperd. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until November 6, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: 0.

  
CITY CLERK

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
November 6, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: None

245. Minutes of the previous meeting approved.

246. City Clerk reported affidavit of publication of notice to bidders on file in his office.

247. Surveys of the Edward Griffin and Robert Smith properties in Woodcliff Park were submitted by the City Manager.

Received and filed.

248. Report from City Manager regarding communication from Attorney Paul Goolian concerning bus service to the Ramona Medical Building.

249. Report from City Manager regarding deed from Wm. Rottschafer for lots on Beechwood Dr.

This was discussed and the matter referred back to the City Manager.

250. Verbal report from the City Manager regarding the tree program.

251. Communication from the East Grand Rapids Schools requesting that a patrol officer be assigned to the Lake Drive-Breton Rd. corner during certain hours.

Referred to the Committee-of-the-whole.

252. Request of Roosien Brothers that the contract dated April 18, 1961 for construction of a sanitary sewer in Andover Rd. from Richards Dr. to Boston St. be cancelled.

Referred to City Attorney for report to the Committee-of-the-whole.

253. Claim from Mrs. P. Gates in amount of \$68.60 for injuries suffered by her son while playing in the outlawn on Cambridge Blvd., the child falling on a pipe protruding from the ground.

Referred to Attorney for opinion.

254. Monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

255. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$99,780.32 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

256. Request of Kent County Road Commission for a 20-foot easement across the north line of Outlot C, Woodcliff Park.

Referred to the City Manager.

257. Matheson-Waugh. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until November 20, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

*Louis J. Battjes* CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
November 20, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, and  
Mayor Richardson.

Absent: 0.

258. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

259. City Clerk reported receipt of a certified copy of resolution adopted November 7, 1961 by the Grand Rapids City Commission, affirming the prior annexation of certain property lying in Section 2 of Paris Township to the City of East Grand Rapids.

Received and filed.

260. The City Clerk reported receipt of deed to the City of East Grand Rapids, dated November 14, 1961, from the Silver Creek Land & Investment Co., of Lots 207 and 208, Meyering Land Company's Lake Drive Estates, and also deed to the City of East Grand Rapids from the Silver Creek Land and Investment Co., dated January 4, 1962, of Lots 227 and 228, Meyering Land Company's Lake Drive Estates.

Nelson-Davidson. That these deeds be accepted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, and Mayor Richardson. - 7

Nays: 0.

261. Request from the Kent County Road Commission for easement for drainage purposes over the north 20 feet of Outlot "C", Woodcliff Park.

Richardson-Sheperd. That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to execute easement as requested.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Mayor Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

262. Collins-Davidson. That an ordinance setting up civil defense requirements and entitled as follows, be placed on first reading: "An Ordinance to Amend the Code of the City of East Grand Rapids by Adding a New Chapter, which said Chapter Shall Be Designated as Chapter 7 of Title I of said Code."

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Mayor Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

263. Report and opinion of the City Attorney regarding claim of Mrs. Peter Gates for injuries suffered by her son while playing in outlawn on Cambridge Blvd.

Collins-Nelson. That this claim be denied, in accordance with opinion rendered by the City Attorney.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

264. Report and opinion of City Attorney regarding request of Roosien Brothers for cancellation of contract dated April 18, 1961 for the construction of sanitary sewer in Andover Rd. from Richards Dr. to Boston St.

Waugh-Davidson. That contract with Roosien Brothers dated April 18, 1961 for construction of sanitary sewer in Andover Rd. from Richards Dr. to Boston St. be hereby cancelled and all former action of the City Commission regarding this improvement be hereby rescinded; and that payments made on the special assessment roll for this project be refunded, together with interest.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7

Nays: 0.

265.

BY COMMISSIONERS DAVIDSON-SHEPERD:

WHEREAS, considerable controversy has existed in Kent County as a result of certain methods used to accomplish annexation to the City of Grand Rapids during the past two years; and

WHEREAS, such annexations have created serious problems for suburban townships and school districts from which territory has been detached, and in addition, problems have been created for the City of Grand Rapids, who must provide services to these annexed areas; and

WHEREAS, this situation points out the serious need in Michigan for complete revision of existing annexation law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the East Grand Rapids City Commission, in regular session assembled this 20th day of November, 1961, respectfully urges the Kent County Board of Supervisors to adopt a resolution calling upon the Legislature of the State of Michigan to provide a complete revision of Michigan annexation law, incorporating standards, enforceable by judicial action, requiring that need, ability to serve, and reasonableness of the proposed annexation area be established as a prerequisite to the accomplishment of any annexation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the East Grand Rapids City Commission considers the attached policy statement as explanation and support of its position in this matter; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution and policy statement be distributed to members of the Kent County Board of Supervisors Legislation-Investigation-Judicial Committee and Special Annexation Committee, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, Township Supervisors, Mayors, and to the State Senator and Representative for this district.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

266. Communication from Nick Wawee, Jr., requesting permission to build swimming pool to within 5 feet of his west lot line at 2550 Indian Trail. The request was accompanied by letter from Harold Fletcher, Jr., owner of the adjacent lot, stating he had no objections to this location of the swimming pool.

That this request be denied.

267. Report from the East Grand Rapids Schools regarding tax rate.

Received and filed.

268. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$96,681.93 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

269. Request of Duane Van Duzen on behalf of Lake Shore Club Apartments, Inc., for permission to erect a sign facing Wealthy St. at the apartment site, in accordance with the plans submitted with the request.

Sheperd-Collins. That this permission be granted.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: Nelson - 1.

270. Matheson-Waugh. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until December 4, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

*Louis F. Battjes* CITY CLERK.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting Held  
December 4, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd and Mayor Richardson.  
(Coms. Collins and Waugh arrived after meeting was in session)

Absent: 0.

271. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as mailed.

272. Communication from Albert Homes, Inc., requesting improvement of Laurel St. from Heather St. to Elmwood Dr., accompanied by sketch of proposed plat of the area.

Nelson-Davidson. That this plat be referred to the Planning Commission.

Yeas: Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Richardson - 5  
Nays: 0.

273. Commissioners Collins and Waugh arrived at this time.

274. Communication from Central Seventh-day Adventist Church requesting permission to use sound cars playing Christmas carols while soliciting funds for their welfare and rehabilitation work.

Nelson-Sheperd. That this request be denied.

Yeas: Collins, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 6  
Nays: Davidson - 1.

275. Communication from residents on Mercer Drive, requesting the City to construct a water main at their expense to serve them with East Grand Rapids water.

Referred to Attorney and Manager for study and report.

276.

BY COMMISSIONERS NELSON-MATHESON:

WHEREAS, the owners of record of the property described below have petitioned in writing for the inclusion of all thereof in the City of East Grand Rapids; and

WHEREAS, authority to annex property is vested in said City by virtue of Act 279 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1909, as amended, and

WHEREAS, it appears in the best interest of said City to act favorably upon said petition and that all of said property shall be a part of said City, be it

RESOLVED, that the part lying East of the East line of Section 34, Town 7 North, Range 11 West, of the below described property, presently located in the Township of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, be, and the same hereby is, annexed to and made a part of the City of East Grand Rapids, subject only to compliance with the statute in such case made and provided, by the Township of Grand Rapids:

That part of Lot 72, Woodcliff Park, described as commencing at the Southwest corner of said Lot; thence Northerly along the West line said Lot (East line Bonnell Ave.) to the Northwest corner said Lot; thence Northeasterly along the North line said Lot a recorded distance of 258.6 feet to an angle in said North line; thence Southerly 136.2 feet to the South line said Lot at a point 207.25 feet Easterly from beginning; thence Westerly to beginning;

and

That part of Lot 73, Woodcliff Park, described as commencing at the Southwest corner said Lot, thence Northerly along the West line of said Lot (East line Bonnell Ave.) to the Northwest corner said Lot; thence Easterly along the North line said Lot 207.25 feet; thence Southerly 123.15 feet to the South line said Lot at a point 169.35 feet Easterly from beginning; thence Westerly to beginning.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

277. Report of City Manager regarding bids on public liability insurance.

Referred to Committee-of-the-whole.

278. Verbal report of City Manager regarding tree bids.

Report received, the Manager to make further investigation.

279. Collins-Davidson. That the following proposed ordinance be placed on second reading and adopted by this Commission:

AN ORDINANCE  
TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS BY ADDING  
A NEW CHAPTER, WHICH SAID CHAPTER SHALL BE DESIGNATED AS  
CHAPTER 7 OF TITLE I OF SAID CODE.

CHAPTER 7  
CIVIL DEFENSE DEPARTMENT

1.220 - DEFINITIONS

(a) "Civil Defense" shall mean the preparation for and the carrying out of all emergency functions, other than functions for which the military forces are primarily responsible, for protection against and to minimize and repair injury and damage resulting from enemy attack, sabotage, or other hostile action or by natural disaster.

(b) "Natural Disaster" shall mean any condition seriously affecting or threatening public health, welfare, or security as a result of severe fire, explosion, flood, tornado, hurricane, or similar natural or accidental cause and which is beyond the control of public or private agencies ordinarily responsible for the control or relief of such conditions. Riots, strikes, insurrections, or other civil disturbances shall not be included within the meaning of "Natural Disaster".

(c) "Emergency" shall mean a condition resulting from actual or threatened enemy attack or natural disaster which cannot be handled by normal operating personnel and facilities.

(d) "Civil Defense Volunteer" shall mean any person who serves without compensation in the civil defense organization.

1.221 - DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL DEFENSE

A Department of Civil Defense is hereby created utilizing to the fullest extent personnel and facilities of existing city departments and agencies. The City Manager shall be responsible for its organization, administration, and operation. The organization shall consist of the following:

(a) A Department of Civil Defense within the executive department of the City government. There shall be an executive head of the Department of Civil Defense, appointed by the City Commission, who shall be known as the Director of Civil Defense, and such assistants, clerical help, other employees and civil defense volunteers as are deemed necessary to the proper functioning of the organization.

(b) Five Deputy Directors with responsibility for Financial Services, Law Enforcement, Fire Control, Engineering Services, and Health and Medical Services, appointed by the City Manager. These shall, so far as possible,

be additional duty assignments to existing personnel, and it is the intent of this ordinance that civil defense and disaster assignments shall be as nearly consistent with normal duty assignment as possible.

(c) The employees, equipment, and facilities of all city departments, and agencies suitable for or adaptable to civil defense and designated by the City Manager to participate in the civil defense activity.

(d) Civil Defense volunteers, including persons and private agencies or governmental units offering services to the organization.

#### 1.222 - POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE MAYOR

(a) In the event of actual or threatened enemy attack or natural disaster, the Mayor, or in his absence or inability to serve, the President of the Commission, as conservator of the peace, shall:

(1) Declare a state of emergency within the city, thereby placing in effect the civil defense and disaster control plan required by this ordinance.

(2) As soon as may be thereafter, convene the City Commission to perform such legislative and administrative functions as the situation may demand. The Commission shall have the power to terminate the state of emergency.

(3) Request the State, its agencies or political subdivisions to send aid if the situation is beyond the control of the regular and emergency city forces.

(4) Have the power to command services and the use of equipment, and facilities for such work and duties as the city may require to aid the regular and volunteer city forces in time of emergency.

(5) Promulgate such emergency regulations as may be deemed necessary to protect life and property and conserve critical resources, and such regulations may be invoked when necessary for tests of civil defense and disaster plans. All such regulations shall be subject to approval of the Commission as soon as practicable subsequent to promulgation.

(b) The Mayor, or in his absence or inability to serve, the President of the Commission, shall have power to order civil defense forces to the aid of the state or political subdivisions thereof subject to Commission review as soon as practicable.

#### 1.223 - POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE CITY MANAGER

(a) The powers and duties of the City Manager shall consist of the following:

(1) The City Manager, through the Director of Civil Defense, shall maintain general supervision over the planning and administration for the civil defense organization and the execution of the civil defense and disaster plans. He shall coordinate the civil defense activities and make emergency assignments of civil defense duties and civil defense forces in order to meet situations not covered in the normal duties of such forces.

(2) The City Manager may take all necessary action to conduct tests of the civil defense and natural disaster plans.

(3) When a state of emergency has been declared, the City Manager shall assemble and utilize civil defense forces and prescribe the manner and conditions of their use.

(4) The City Manager shall designate a line of succession among his department heads to carry out the powers and duties of this sub-section in the event of his absence or inability to serve.

(b) The City Manager is hereby authorized to exercise the powers granted to the Mayor in Section 3 hereof, either in the absence or inability to serve of the Mayor and the President of the Commission, or where delay in the exercise of such powers would be contrary to the public interest.

1.224 - POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

(a) The Director shall be executive head of the Department of Civil Defense, and shall have responsibility for the organization, administration, and operation of the civil defense and disaster control organization subject to the direction and control of the City Manager.

(b) The Director of Civil Defense shall be responsible for public relations, information, and education regarding all phases of civil defense.

(c) The Director shall be responsible for the development of a civil defense and disaster control plan, and upon adoption, shall be responsible for such implementation and revision of the plan as to maintain it on a current state of readiness at all times.

(d) The Director shall coordinate all activities for civil defense and disaster control, and shall maintain liaison and cooperate with all other interested and affected agencies, public and private.

(e) The Director shall coordinate the recruitment and training of volunteer personnel and agencies to augment the personnel and facilities of the City for civil defense purposes.

(f) The Director may issue proper insignia and papers to civil defense workers and other people directly concerned with civil defense.

1.225 - CIVIL DEFENSE AND DISASTER CONTROL PLAN

As soon as practicable after the enactment of this ordinance, a comprehensive civil defense and disaster control plan shall be adopted by resolution of the Commission upon the recommendations of the City Manager. In the preparation of this plan as it pertains to city organization, it is the intent that the services, equipment, facilities and personnel of all existing departments and agencies shall be utilized to the fullest extent. When approved it shall be the duty of all municipal departments and agencies to perform the functions and duties assigned by the plan and to maintain their portion of the plan in a current state of readiness at all times.

1.226 - CONFLICTING ORDINANCES, ORDERS, RULES AND REGULATIONS SUSPENDED

At all times when the orders, rules and regulations made and promulgated pursuant to this ordinance shall be in effect, they shall supersede all existing ordinances, orders, rules and regulations insofar as the latter may be inconsistent therewith.

1.227 - EFFECTIVE DATE

Passed and approved by the City Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, in regular session held on Monday, December 4, 1961, to take immediate effect.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

280. Monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief, and Assessor were read.

Received and filed.

281. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$50,947.28 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

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282. Sheperd-Collins. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until December 18, 1961.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

*Louis F. Battjes*  
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Regular Meeting Held  
December 18, 1961

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Richardson.

Present: Coms. Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, and  
Mayor Richardson.

283. Minutes of previous meeting approved as corrected.

284. Rev. Lickey of Central Seventh-day Adventist Church again  
appeared before the Commission requesting permission to solicit funds  
for their welfare work, stating they would eliminate the sound truck.

Collins-Davidson. Request granted without sound truck.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Nelson, Waugh, Richardson - 5  
Nays: Matheson, Sheperd - 2.

285. Report from City Attorney regarding method of payments for  
Mercer Drive water main.

Referred to City Manager to contact the property owners to discuss  
method of financing and negotiate the necessary agreements.

286. Communication from City Manager regarding tree planting bids,  
and recommending contract be awarded to Trick Landscaping Service in the  
total amount of \$4,803.00.

Davidson-Waugh. That contract with Trick Landscaping Service be  
authorized, and the City Manager contact the various property owners prior  
to planting time.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

287. Communication from City Manager regarding proposals received  
for public liability insurance, recommending that the proposal from Michigan  
Mutual Liability Co. be accepted, payment to be appropriated from the Contingent  
Fund.

Nelson-Collins. That contract be awarded Michigan Mutual Liability  
Co. on a \$500 deductible basis for property damage.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

288. Communication from Simon Oppenhuizen requesting approval of  
his proposed plat as submitted, and specifically Lots 1, 2 and 3, which  
fall within the East Grand Rapids city limits.

Collins-Sheperd. Referred to the Planning Commission.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

289. Communication from Harvey Vander Ark, requesting sanitary sewer  
and street improvements in Andover Road from Boston St. to Albert Dr.

Nelson-Davidson. Request denied because of insufficient property  
represented in the petition.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

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290. City Manager reported receipt of resolution adopted by the City of Wyoming regarding annexation.

291. Nelson-Matheson. That the vouchers in amount of \$308,992.37 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

292. Sheperd-Waugh. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor, until January 8, 1962.

Yeas: Collins, Davidson, Matheson, Nelson, Sheperd, Waugh, Richardson - 7  
Nays: 0.

  
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