

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

Regular Meeting Held
January 9, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Searl, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe - 6
Absent: 0.

192. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

193. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

194. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$32,646.35 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Searl, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe - Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

195.
BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-HIBBARD:

Commissioner Searl's resignation as City Commissioner was presented at this time.

Commissioner Searl was appointed to this Commission on April 27, 1942 to fill vacancy created by the resignation of John W. Dregge, and since that time has brought to the Commission an understanding and keen interest in civic affairs, giving generously of his time and advice, serving on several important committees and representing the City as a Supervisor. The discontinuance of his services is a real loss to the Commission and City, and it is with regret that the Commission accepts the resignation of Commissioner Searl.

Yeas: Hibbard, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

196. Commissioner Finch recommended Harry L. Bowles to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Commissioner Searl.

Finch-O'Keefe. That Mr. Harry L. Bowles be appointed as Commissioner to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. Searl, to serve until the next city election.

Yeas: Hibbard, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

197. Bidwell-Weigle. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
January 23, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

198. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

199. Petition from Albert Associates, Inc. for water mains, sewers, black-top and sidewalks on Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to Audabon Dr. and on Audabon Dr. to the end of Paris Park #2.

Referred to City Manager to investigate these improvements.

200. Communication from Fred N. Searl, presenting his resignation as Supervisor from the City of East Grand Rapids.

O'Keefe-Weigle. That the resignation of Fred N. Searl as Supervisor be accepted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

201. City Manager submitted operating statement for eight months' period ended December 31, 1949.

202. City Manager read letter from the City Attorney regarding accident on unimproved portion of Burchard St.

Finch-Hibbard. That this matter be settled as recommended by the City Attorney.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

203. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$201,066.79 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

204. Hibbard-Finch. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis F. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
February 6, 1950

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe - 6
Absent: 0.

205. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

206. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of registration notices on file in his office.

207. Communication from H. Blake Vinkemulder requesting installation of sanitary and storm sewers, water main and graveling of Monterey Dr.

Referred to City Manager to investigate these improvements.

208. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

209. City Manager made a verbal report regarding plumbing inspections.

Bidwell-Finch. That the City Manager be instructed to try to locate a man eligible to make plumbing inspections.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

210. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$13,184.48 approved by the Ways and Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order by the Treasurer on their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

211. Hibbard-Bidwell. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
February 20, 1950

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Finch - 1.

212. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

213. Communication from Michigan Public Service Commission regarding application of Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. for authority to modify its rules and regulations specifying the heating value of natural gas distributed.

Received and filed.

214. Petition of Harold T. Fletcher for grading and graveling with asphalt seal coat on Gladstone Dr. from Hall St. to Seminole Rd.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

215. Petition of Harold T. Fletcher and other property owners on Raymond Avenue, asking that the street name be changed to Pinecrest Ave.

Hibbard-Bowles. That this matter be discussed at hearing to be held March 6, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

216. City Clerk reported affidavit of publication of election notice on file in his office.

217. City Manager submitted operating statement for nine months' period ended January 31, 1950.

218. City Manager made verbal report regarding proposed water mains, sanitary sewers and improvement of Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of Plat and Audabon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Plat.

219.
BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the installation of water mains in

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat

including the necessary specials, valves and 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 the lots and parts of lots abutting upon Eastlawn Road between Estelle Dr. and south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat and upon Audabon Drive between Eastlawn Rd. and west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, benefiting thereby.

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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

220.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the installation of water mains in

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat,

including the necessary specials, valves and 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 \$7,035.00; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6th, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

221.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the construction of sanitary sewers in

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat,

including the necessary manholes and laterals, 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 and parts of lots abutting upon Eastlawn Road between Estelle Dr. and south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, and upon Audabon Drive between Eastlawn Rd. and west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, benefiting thereby; 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

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222.
BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the construction of sanitary sewers in

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat

including the necessary manholes and laterals, 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 \$3,675.00; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6th, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

223.
BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Road to west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat,

including the necessary storm sewers, basins, manholes and sidewalks, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Eastlawn Rd. between Estelle Dr. and south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat and Audabon Drive between Eastlawn Rd. and west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat; 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

224.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Drive to south end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park No. 2 Plat,

including the necessary manholes, storm sewers, basins, and sidewalks, 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 \$10,827.25, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 6th, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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 all objections thereto.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

225. Weigle-Bowles. That the vouchers in amount of \$9,471.31 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

226. Hibbard-Bidwell. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis F. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
March 6, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe - 6
Absent: 0.

227. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

228. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of election notice and notices of special improvement.

229. Communication from Michigan Liquor Control Commission regarding 1950 licenses.

Received and filed.

230. Communications from L.A. Woodward and Thomas Kindel regarding traffic on Lake Drive and Wealthy St. near the school.

Referred to Traffic Commission.

231. O'Keefe-Bidwell. 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, 1950.

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 wards of said City on Monday, the twentieth day of February, A.D. 1950:

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 one hundred ninety-six (196); and they were given for the following persons, viz: Donald W. O'Keefe, one hundred thirty-three (133); John D. Rose, sixty-three (63).

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 Six Hundred seventy-seven (677); and they were given for the following persons, viz: Thomas G. Ford, four hundred thirty-four (434); and Harry L. W. Bowles, two hundred forty-three (243).

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 one hundred (100); and they were given for the following person, viz: Russell J. Weigle, one hundred (100).

OFFICE OF TREASURER
(One to be elected)

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Treasurer was eight hundred forty-one (841); and they were given for the following person, viz: Charles P. Kelm, eight hundred forty-one (841).

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 wards thereof, on Monday, the twentieth day of February, A.D. 1950.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter of said City, adopted June 19th, 1927, and the laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, that Donald W. O'Keefe 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 Donald W. O'Keefe is elected to the office of Commissioner to the First Ward for the term ending May 1, 1952.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter and said laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, that Thomas G. Ford 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 G. Ford is elected to the office of Commissioner to the Second Ward for the term ending May 1, 1952.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter and said laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, that Russell J. Weigle 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 and declare that the said Russell J. Weigle is elected to the office of Commissioner to the Third Ward for the term ending May 1, 1952.

We do hereby further certify, in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter and said laws of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, that Charles P. Kelm received a majority of all the votes cast at said primary election for candidates for the office of Treasurer, and we do hereby determine and declare that the said Charles P. Kelm is elected to the office of Treasurer for said City for the term ending May 1, 1951.

(Signed) CLIFFORD T. NELSON
 HENRY PETTER
 LEWIS V. CHAMBERLIN

BOARD OF CANVASSERS FOR THE
 CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
 COUNTY OF KENT) ss.

On this 24th day of February, A.D. 1950, personally appeared before me, City Clerk of the City of East Grand Rapids, the above named Henry Petter, Clifford T. Nelson and Lewis V. Chamberlin, 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, 1950, 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 their certificate therein, and I herewith attest the same as being such true and correct statement.

(Signed) LOUIS F. BATTJES, City Clerk"

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
 Nays: 0.

232.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-BOWLES:

WHEREAS, petition was presented to this Commission on February 20, 1950 signed by property owners, requesting that the names of Raymond Avenue and Newport Road be changed to Pinecrest Avenue; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to direction of this Commission, notice was given of the proposed change in name to persons owning property on said streets, and hearing was held and no objections presented to said proposed change;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the name of said streets heretofore known as Raymond Avenue and Newport Road be and the same are hereby changed to Pinecrest Avenue.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

233. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed construction of sanitary sewers in Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and in Audabon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, no objections were presented.

234. O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

235. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed installation of water mains in Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and in Audabon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, no objections were presented.

236. O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

237. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement consisting of grading, graveling and seal coat on Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and on Audabon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, no objections were presented.

238. O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

239. City Manager made verbal report regarding sanitary sewer and grading and graveling suitable for black top on Monterey Drive from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.

240.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.

including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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 and parts of lots abutting upon Monterey Drive between El Dorado Dr. and Argentina Dr. benefitting thereby; 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

241.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

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

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.

including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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 \$2464.00; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 20th, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Bidwell, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

242.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of
MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Drive,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins and sidewalks, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Monterey Drive between El Dorado Dr. and Argentina Dr., 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

243.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins and sidewalks, 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 \$7,430.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, March 20th, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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 all objections thereto.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

✓ 244. Request of the City Assessors that the 1950 City Tax Roll be turned over to the Board of Review.

Hibbard-Bidwell. That this request be concurred in and said tax roll be authorized to be turned over to the Board of Review.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

245. City Manager read monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

246. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$9,200.40 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

247. Commissioner Bidwell tendered his resignation as First Ward Commissioner at this time.

O'Keefe-Bowles. That this resignation be tabled.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0. (Com. Bidwell, not voting).

248. Finch-Hibbard. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis F. Batjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
March 20th, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

249. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

250. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice to taxpayers, notice of bids and notice of special improvements on file in his office.

251. Communication from Mrs. J.K. Keating, Sr., regarding accident on Kenesaw Dr.

Referred to City Manager and Attorney.

252. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the installation of a water main in Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and in Audabon Drive from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, seven bids were received, opened and read.

Bowles-O'Keefe. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll April 3d, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

253.
BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 20th of February, 1950, declare the installation of a water main in

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary specials, valves and 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 March 6th, 1950, 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 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 the "EASTLAWN ROAD and AUDABON DRIVE WATER MAIN DISTRICT NO. 1"; and be it

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 \$5,760.00; 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 the benefit derived from said improvement by each of the 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 per annum; 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 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

254.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-O'KEEFE:

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

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary specials, valves and hydrants, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Eastlawn Road and Audabon Drive Water Main District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 3, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Finch, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

255. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to the south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and in Audabon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to the west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, seven bids were received, opened and read.

Bowles-O'Keefe. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll April 3d, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

256.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 20th day of February, 1950, declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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, 1950, at which hearing no objections were 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 benefiting thereby and extending back to the rear line of said lots and parcels of land 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 "Eastlawn Road and Audabon Drive 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 \$3,480.00, 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 the 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 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 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 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 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

257.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-O'KEEFE:

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

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

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

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 3, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6.
Nays: 0.

258. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the grading and graveling, suitable for asphalt top, of Eastlawn Road from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and Audabon Drive from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, seven bids were received, opened and read.

Bowles-O'Keefe. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll April 3d, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

259.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 20th of February, 1950, declare the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary storm sewers, basins, manholes and sidewalks, 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, 1950, 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Eastlawn Road between Estelle Dr. and south end of Paris Park #2 Plat and Audabon Drive between Eastlawn Rd. and west end of Paris Park #2 Plat, 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 Eastlawn Road and Audabon Drive Grading and Graveling 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 \$8,579.45; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

260.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-O'KEEFE:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the grading and graveling of

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDABON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary storm sewers, basins, manholes and sidewalks, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Eastlawn Road and Audabon Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, April 3, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

261. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed construction of a sanitary sewer in Monterey Drive from El Morado Dr. to Argentina Dr., no objections were presented.

262. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

263. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed grading and graveling of Monterey Drive from El Morado Dr. to Argentina Dr., no objections were presented.

264. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

265. Hibbard-Weigle. That the application of Charles Poisson for renewal of tavern license at Lakeside Gardens be approved.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

266. Petition signed by Amelia Hall and eleven others regarding property at 737 Cambridge Blvd.

Received and filed.

267. Petitions regarding appointment of a successor to Commissioner Bidwell.

Received and filed.

268. Finch-Weigle. That the proposed 1950-51 Budget be turned over to the Budget Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

269. Finch-Weigle. That the City Manager be authorized to transfer \$6,074.00 from the Contingent Fund to the Appropriation Accounts listed as follows:

<u>Administrative:</u>			
A-19 Misc. Unclassified		\$ 300.00	
<u>General:</u>			
B-6 Plumbing Inspections		225.00	
<u>Police:</u>			
E-3 Gas and Oil	\$	100.00	
E-10 Insurance		7.00	
E-19 Misc. Unclassified		10.00	117.00
<u>Fire:</u>			
F-1 Salaries	\$	85.00	
F-10 Insurance		12.00	
F-15 Supplies		25.00	
F-22 New Equipment		165.00	287.00
<u>Street:</u>			
H-1 Salaries	\$2,900.00		
H-3 Gas and Oil	500.00		
H-4 Auto Maintenance	210.00		
H-7 Light & Heat	65.00		
H-10 Insurance	120.00		3,795.00

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I-1	Salaries	\$ 1,100.00	
I-4	Auto Maintenance	150.00	
I-5	Repairs to Equipment	75.00	
I-10	Insurance	25.00	<u>1,350.00</u>
			<u>\$ 6,074.00</u>

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

270. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$21,033.82 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

271. Finch-Weigle. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
April 3, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5.
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

272. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

273. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice of special assessment on file in his office.

274. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Water Main Special Assessment Roll, no objections were presented.

275. Bids on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Water Main were taken from the table at this time.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6.
Nays: 0.

276.
BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

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

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDOBON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary specials, valves and hydrants, and no objections being presented, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the said special assessment roll be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed and the assessment shall be collected directly therefrom; that the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach thereto 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 Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Water Main Special Assessment 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 the 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 Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Water Main Special Assessment District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

277. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Sanitary Sewer Assessment Roll, no objections were presented.

278. Bids on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Sanitary Sewer were taken from the table at this time.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

279.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

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

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AULOBON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, and no one appearing and objecting thereto, 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 is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach thereto 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 Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. 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 the 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 Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Sanitary Sewer Special Assessment District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

280. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Grading and Graveling Assessment Roll, no objections were presented.

281. Bids on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Grading & Graveling were taken from the table at this time.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

282.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the said assessment roll to defray expense of grading and graveling

EASTLAWN ROAD from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park #2 Plat, and
AUDOBON DRIVE from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park #2 Plat,

including the necessary storm sewers, basins, manholes and sidewalks, and no person appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Grading & Graveling 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 the 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 Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Grading & Graveling District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

283. City Clerk reported that the Board of Review had met and completed its work on the city assessment roll in accordance with the provisions of the law, and that the completion of said roll had been certified by a majority of the Board of Review ~~and the City Clerk~~; and that the Board of Review submits herewith a brief report for the purpose of filing:

The new valuations were fixed as follows: Real Estate, \$14,734,800.00; Personal, \$286,200.00; Total, \$15,021,000.00.

Hibbard-Weigle. That the report of the Board of Review be accepted and the same be received and filed.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

284. Communication from Graded School District #3 Fractional Townships of Grand Rapids and Paris regarding meeting to be held April 18, 1950 to consider combining therewith all the territory of School District #11 Fractional lying within the City of East Grand Rapids.

Received and filed, and that the Commissioners make every effort to attend this meeting.

285. City Manager read monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

286. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$10,224.38 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

287. O'Keefe-Finch. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
April 24, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

288. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

289. City Clerk reported affidavit of publication of notice for bids on file in his office.

290. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Monterey Drive from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr., three bids were received, opened and read.

Bowles-Weigle. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll May 15th, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

291.
BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 6th day of March, 1950, declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Drive to Argentina Drive,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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 20th, 1950, at which hearing no objections were 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 benefiting thereby and extending back to the rear line of said lots and parcels of land 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 "Monterey Drive 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 \$ 1,815.00 ; 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 the 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 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 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 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 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

292.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

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

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Drive to Argentina Drive,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Monterey Drive Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

293. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the grading and graveling of Monterey Drive from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr., three bids were received, opened and read.

Bowles-Weigle. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll May 15th, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

294.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 6th day of March, 1950, declare the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Dr. to Argentina Dr.,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins and sidewalks, 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 20th, 1950, 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Monterey Drive between El Dorado Drive and Argentina 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 Monterey Drive Grading and Graveling 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 \$6,191.06; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

295.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the grading and graveling of

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Drive to Argentina Drive,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins and sidewalks, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Monterey Drive Grading and Graveling District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

296. City Manager made verbal report regarding improvement of Princeton Blvd. from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north with crushed stone base, curbs, sidewalks and valve chambers and of Gladstone Drive from Hall St. to Seminole Rd. with crushed stone base, storm sewer, water services, valve chambers and sidewalks.

297.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

PRINCETON BOULEVARD, from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north, including the necessary valve chambers, curbs and sidewalks, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of

the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Princeton Blvd. between Lake Drive and approximately 750 feet north; 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, Bidwell, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

298.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

PRINCETON BOULEVARD, from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north, including the necessary valve chambers, curbs and sidewalks, 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 \$13,300.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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 all objections thereto.

Yeas: Hibbard, Weigle, Finch, Bowles, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

299.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of GLADSTONE DRIVE from Hall St. to Seminole Rd.

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins, valve chambers and sidewalks, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Gladstone Dr. between Hall St. and Seminole Rd., 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: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, ~~Bidwell~~, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

300.

BY COMMISSIONERS BOWLES-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

GLADSTONE DRIVE from Hall St. to Seminole Rd.,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins, valve chambers and sidewalks, 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 \$4,598.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, May 15, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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 all objections thereto.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

301. Communication from Mrs. Sarah Ivanek regarding driveway across City property on Ross Court.

Referred to City Manager.

302. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the application of Wilder Hillard for renewal of tavern license at the Ramona Cafe be approved.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

303. Finch-Weigle. That the City Clerk be authorized to advertise for bids on City printing, garbage collection and bank depository for the coming year, bids to be presented at the meeting to be held May 15, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

304. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$14,492.89 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6.
Nays: 0.

305. Finch-Weigle. That Ernst & Ernst be authorized to proceed with the audit of the City's books and records for the fiscal year ended April 30, 1950, at a price of \$600.00.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

306. City Attorney made verbal report regarding property at 737 Cambridge Blvd.

307. Report of resolutions adopted by School District No. 11, report of joint meeting of Kent County Board of Education, the City Commission and four-member Committee of the Board of Education of Graded School District #3 Fractional, together with new district map.

Received and filed.

308. Hibbard-Finch. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Special Meeting Held
April 24, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins for the purpose of considering the Budget for the year 1950-51.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

309. Communication and recommendation from the Budget Commission relative to the 1950-51 Budget.

Finch-Bowles. That the 1950-51 Budget as recommended by the Budget Commission be referred to the incoming Commission for their consideration.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

310. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Bowles, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
May 1, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

1. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

2. Copy of Communication from City Attorney Brvant to Mr. Leo W. Walsh, attorney for the Catholic Diocese, regarding property at 737 Cambridge Blvd.

Received and filed.

3. Communication from Albert Associates, Inc. requesting improvements in Richards Drive from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

4. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

5. Communication from members of the Fire Department.

Hibbard-O'Keefe. That this communication be received and filed.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

6.

BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-FORD:

RESOLVED, that the following budget be adopted as the annual budget of the City of East Grand Rapids for the year 1950-51:

Administrative Fund	\$ 36,234.20
General Fund	46,190.00
Contingent Fund	1,657.40
Engineering Fund	4,896.00
Police Fund	32,915.40
Fire Fund	29,285.00
Street Fund	42,925.60
Sewer Fund	6,635.00
Capital Fund	1,499.40
Serial Bond & Interest Requirement	3,025.84
Special Assessment Bond & Interest Requirement	<u>45,974.16</u>
	\$ 251,238.00
Anticipated Revenues	41,000.00
Amount to be raised by taxation	<u>\$ 210,238.00</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 \$210,238.00 and the tax rate per \$1,000.00 valuation is hereby determined to be \$14.00.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6

Nays: 0.

7. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$9,806.13 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

8. Mayor Collins recommended the following appointments:

PRESIDENT OF THE COMMISSION - Russell J. Weigle.

WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE

Lee W. Finch, Chairman
Donald W. O'Keefe
Russell J. Weigle

UTILITIES COMMITTEE

Russell J. Weigle, Chairman
John D. Hibbard
Thomas G. Ford

POLICE & FIRE COMMITTEE

John D. Hibbard, Chairman
Thomas G. Ford

ORIGINANCE COMMITTEE

Thomas G. Ford, Chairman
Donald W. O'Keefe
Lee W. Finch

STREETS, SIDEWALKS, PARKS
AND TREES COMMITTEE

Donald W. O'Keefe, Chairman
Russell J. Weigle

SUPERVISORS

John A. Collins
J. Brayton Deane
Russell J. Weigle
Lewis M. Lockley

BOARD OF REVIEW

Lewis M. Lockley
H.G. Daverman
J. Harper Moore
John D. Hibbard
Thomas G. Ford

TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Edward H. Brink, Chairman ✓
R. B. White ✓
John A. Collins
S. George Graves ✓
Lewis M. Lockley
Edward M. Deane, Jr. ✓
Robert V.V. Rice ✓
Gerald R. Ford, Sr. ✓

ELECTION COMMISSION

Lewis V. Chamberlin ✓
Henry J. Petter ✓
Dr. Clifford T. Nelson ✓

BUDGET COMMISSION

~~H. W. Tinkler, Chairman~~
Harold T. Fletcher ✓
George H. Waring ✓
George V. Brandt ✓
Howard B. Tuthill
John A. Cleveland
Clifford Buchanan

PLANNING COMMISSION

Frederick Vogt, Chairman
Dr. H.J. Vandenberg
Mrs. Howard Sluyter
Glenworth Young
John Ansey
John A. Collins
John D. Hibbard
L. Henry Gork
Warren Rindge

CITIZENS' WATER COMMITTEE

George H. Waring, Chairman
Melville R. Bissell, Jr.
C.O. Ransford
Joseph H. Martin ✓
Herbert C. Kemien ✓

ELECTION INSPECTORS

FIRST WARD:

Clara Gyax
Bess Vandersluis
Helen Nichols

SECOND WARD:

Morris C. Ryan
Bessie Young
Lillian Porter

THIRD WARD:

Albert R. Hermode
Bernice Cheney
Hugo Burnham

CITY MANAGER
CLERK-COMPTROLLER
ATTORNEY
HEALTH OFFICER
ASSESSOR
ASS'T. ASSESSORS
CLERK IN ASSESSORS'
OFFICE

- L. Henry Gork
- Louis F. Battjes
- Harold W. Bryant
- Dr. Abel J. Baker
- Lewis M. Lockley
- H.G. Daverman
- J. Harper Moore
- Helen E. Kelm

CHIEF OF POLICE - Howard J. Coleman
FIRE CHIEF - John R. Weber
HARBORMASTER - John Uhl
FORESTER - Henry Koopman
ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR- Carl J. Vander Schoor

Hibbard-Finch. That these recommendations be concurred in.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

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9.
Hibbard-Finch. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of
the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Weigle, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis H. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
May 15, 1950

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, -5
Absent: Com. Bidwell - 1.

10. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

11. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of special assessment, notices of special improvement and notice for bids on file in his office.

12. This being the time and place set for hearing on Monterey Dr. Sanitary Sewer Assessment Roll, no objections were presented.

13. Bids on the Monterey Dr. Sanitary Sewer were taken from the table at this time. Mr. Blake Vinkemulder, petitioner for the work, recommended that the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted.

Ford-Weigle. That the bid of Bowen Engineering & Construction Co. be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted, provided they can start work within ten days, otherwise the job to be awarded to the next lowest bidder.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

14.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-WEIGLE:

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

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Drive to Argentina Drive,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, and no objections being presented thereto, 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 is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach thereto 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 Monterey Drive 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 the 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 Monterey Drive Sanitary Sewer Special Assessment District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

15. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Monterey Dr. grading and graveling, special assessment roll, no objections were presented.

Ford-Weigle. That the bid of Bowen Engineering & Construction Co. be accented and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

16.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the said assessment roll to defray the expense of grading and graveling

MONTEREY DRIVE from El Dorado Drive to Argentina Drive,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins and sidewalks, and no objections being presented thereto, 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 is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach thereto 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 Monterey Drive Grading & Graveling 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 the 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 Monterey Drive Grading & Graveling Special Assessment District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

17. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of grading and graveling of Princeton Blvd. from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north, no objections were presented.

Ford-Weigle. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

~~18.~~ This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of grading and graveling Gladstone Drive from Hall St. to Seminole Rd., no objections were presented.

Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

19. City Manager made verbal report regarding proposed sanitary sewer, grading, graveling, black top and sidewalks in Richards Dr. from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd. and water main in Richards Dr. from Lake Grove Ave. to Conlon Rd.

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BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd., including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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 and parts of lots abutting upon Richards Drive between Lake Grove Ave. and Andover Rd. benefiting thereby; 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

21.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

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

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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 \$ 6,040.00 ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 5, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

22.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

RESOLVED that the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer, manholes and sidewalks, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Richards Drive between Lake Grove Avenue and Andover Road; 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

23.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

RICHARDS DRIVE, from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer, manholes and sidewalks, 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 \$ 15,330.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 5, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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 all objections thereto.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

24.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

RESOLVED, that the installation of a water main in

RICHARDS DRIVE from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary valves, hydrants and specials, 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 and parts of lots abutting upon Richards Drive between Conlon Road and Andover Road, benefiting thereby.

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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

25.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

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

RICHARDS DRIVE from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd.

including the necessary valves, hydrants and specials, 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 \$ 2,530.00 ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 5, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

26.

Communication from the Peoples National Bank of Grand Rapids regarding bank depositary.

27.

BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, there may now be in and may hereafter from time to time come into the hands of Charles P. Kelm, 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, Charles P. Kelm, 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 following bank:

Peoples National Bank of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

28. Bids of The Star and Alliance and the Grand Rapids Legal News on city printing were read.

Weigle-Ford. That the bid of Grand Rapids Legal News be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Weigle, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

29. Bid of Harold Fitzsimmons for garbage collection was read.

Finch-Ford. That the bid of Harold Fitzsimmons be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

30. Communication from Mr. Melvin D. Anderson of the Grand Rapids Police Reserve.

Received and filed.

31. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$5,336.43 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller be authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

32. O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the resignation of Commissioner Bidwell be taken from the table and accepted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

33.

BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-FORD:

WHEREAS, James O. Craig appeared before the City Commission and petitioned for the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

GLADSTONE DRIVE from Alexander Rd. to Seminole Rd., and
FISK ROAD from the West City Limits to east side of Gladstone Dr.,

together with the necessary storm sewer, catch basins, water services and sidewalks,

AND WHEREAS, the said James O. Craig has represented to this Commission that he can privately contract for and complete the above described improvement more advantageously and at a lower cost than would be the case through soliciting of public bids; and further, that he is the owner of a majority of the property which would be included in a special assessment district for such public improvement; Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that based upon the above representation, the City consent to the said James O. Craig improving Gladstone Dr. from Alexander Rd. to Seminole Rd. and Fisk Rd. from the West City Limits to the east side of Gladstone Dr. as a private improvement and at his sole expense; said improvement to become a part of the City system on final inspection of the City Engineer's office and its approval of the same in accordance with plans and specifications on file with the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City's cost of engineering in connection with said private improvement shall be paid to the City by James O. Craig.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a written contract in accordance with this resolution be entered into between the City of East Grand Rapids by the City Manager and the said James O. Craig and wife.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

34. Petitions recommending the appointment of Francis C. Warren as successor to Commissioner Bidwell, presented.

Received and filed.

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35. Finch-Hibbard. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
June 5, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe - 4
Absent: Com. Finch - 1.

36. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

37. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice for bids on file in his office.

38. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement of Princeton Blvd. from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north, one bid was received, opened and read.

O'Keefe-Hibbard. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll June 19th, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

39.
BY COMMISSIONERS O'KEEFE-HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 24th of April, 1950, declare the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

PRINCETON BOULEVARD, from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north,

including the necessary valve chambers, curbs and sidewalks, 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 15, 1950 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Princeton Boulevard between Lake Drive and approximately 750 feet north, 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 Princeton Boulevard Grading & Graveling 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 \$ 12,491.85 ; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

40.

BY COMMISSIONERS O'KEEFE-HIBBARD:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the grading and graveling of

PRINCETON BOULEVARD from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north,

including the necessary valve chambers, curbs and sidewalks, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Princeton Boulevard Grading & Graveling District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 19th, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

41. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement of Gladstone Drive from Hall St. to Seminole Rd., one bid was received, opened and read.

O'Keefe-Hibbard. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll June 19th, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

42.

BY COMMISSIONERS O'KEEFE-HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 24th of April, 1950, declare the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

GLADSTONE DRIVE from Hall St. to Seminole Rd.,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins, valve chambers and sidewalks, 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 was held, after due notice, on May 15, 1950 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Gladstone Drive between Hall St. and Seminole 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 Gladstone Drive Grading & Graveling 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 \$ 5,208.69; 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 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 per annum (6%); 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

43.

BY COMMISSIONERS O'KEEFE-HIBBARD:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the grading and graveling of

GLADSTONE DRIVE from Hall St. to Seminole Rd.,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins, valve chambers and sidewalks, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Gladstone Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, June 19th, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

44. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Richards Drive from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd., no objections were presented.

O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, O'Keefe, Weigle, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

45. This being the time and place set for hearing on the installation of a water main in Richards Drive from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd., no objections were presented.

O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, O'Keefe, Weigle, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

46. This being the time and place set for hearing on the grading and graveling of Richards Drive from Lake Grove Avenue to Andover Rd., no objections were presented.

O'Keefe-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, O'Keefe, Weigle, Collins - 5

Nays: 0.

47. Petition for sanitary sewer in Boston St. from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd., signed by A.G. Carter and two other property owners.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

48. Petition submitted by H. Blake Vinkemulder for asphalt seal coat on Santa Barbara Dr. from San Lu^{Rae} Dr. to Argentina Dr.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

49. Petition submitted by H. Blake Vinkemulder for sidewalks on the north side of Argentina Dr. from San Lucia Dr. to San Jose Dr.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

50. Communication from the Grand Rapids Motor Coach Co., together with report of Owen-Ames-Kimball Co., regarding inspection of the Derby Racer.

Received and filed.

51. Communication from the City Treasurer regarding special assessment taxes ninety days delinquent.

Weigle-Ford. That the Board of Assessors be instructed to reassess same on the 1950 City Tax Roll.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

52. Communication from Chas. M. Kindel and six other property owners regarding the use of booster pumps on sprinkling systems by certain citizens.

53.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-FORD:

RESOLVED, that the Rules and Regulations of the Water Department be amended to include the following: that the use of booster pumps now attached to the East Grand Rapids Water System be and is hereby prohibited, and that no new installations of booster pumps shall be permitted; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that before any water connection can be made to the East Grand Rapids Water System, a written permit must be obtained from the East Grand Rapids Water Department and a \$1.00 fee charged for inspection.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

54. Communication from Michigan Public Service Commission regarding application of Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. for permission to suspend the approval of certain applications for space heating service.

Received and filed.

55. Communication from Attorney Menso R. Bolt in behalf of Mrs. Sarah Smitter, who claims she suffered injuries due to a defective sidewalk in front of 802 San Jose Dr.

Referred to City Manager and Attorney for report.

56. Petition of Albert Associates, Inc. for the improvement of Anderson Drive from Pinecrest Avenue to Hall St. and a storm sewer in Anderson Drive from Pinecrest Avenue to Eastlawn Rd.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

57. Petition of Albert Associates, Inc. for construction of sidewalks on Rosalind Rd. from Breton Rd. to Estelle Dr. and on Estelle Dr. from Rosalind Rd. to the end of Paris Park #2 Plat.

Referred to City Manager to investigate.

58. Communication from the Special Citizens Water Committee recommending that the City Commission enter into negotiations with Grand Rapids for supplying water to the City of East Grand Rapids, and also recommending installation of a water tank in the southeast section of the City. Mayor Collins made verbal report that he had contacted the City of Grand Rapids regarding this matter.

59. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

60. Weigle-O'Keefe. That the vouchers in amount of \$28,459.40 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

61. O'Keefe-Hibbard. That Mr. Francis C. Warren be appointed to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Seth R. Bidwell as First Ward Commissioner.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

62. Commissioner Hibbard suggested that the Second Ward be divided into two voting precincts.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-HIBBARD:

RESOLVED, that the Second Ward of the City of East Grand Rapids be divided into two election precincts, and the numerical order of said precincts and the boundaries thereof shall be as follows:

Precinct One shall consist of the area commencing at the intersection of Lovett Avenue and Wealthy Street, thence running easterly along the center line of Wealthy Street to the westerly shore of Reeds Lake, thence continuing along the southerly shore of Reeds Lake to the East City Limits; thence south along the east city limits to the center line of Hall Street, thence west on the center line of Hall Street to the intersection of Hall Street with San Jose Drive; thence north along the center line of San Jose Drive to Lake Drive, thence continuing north along the center line of Lovett Avenue to the intersection of Lovett Avenue with Wealthy Street, the place of beginning;

Precinct Two shall consist of the area lying south of the center line of Hall Street extending to the east, west and south city limits; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk give public notice of this action by the City Commission by the publication of this resolution in the Grand Rapids Herald at least once for two successive weeks and not less than sixty days prior to any election or primary in said City of East Grand Rapids; further resolved that the City Clerk promptly transmit a like notice to the County Clerk of Kent County, State of Michigan; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk is hereby authorized to purchase an additional voting machine for use in Precinct Two.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

63. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, O'Keefe, Collins - 5
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK

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

Regular Meeting Held
June 19, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: 0.

64. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

65. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of special assessments on file in his office.

66. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Gladstone Drive Grading & Graveling Special Assessment Roll, no objections were presented.

67. Bid on Gladstone Drive grading and graveling was taken from the table at this time.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

68.
BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE_HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the said assessment roll to defray the expense of grading and graveling

GLADSTONE DRIVE from Hall St. to Seminole Rd.,

including the necessary water services, storm sewer, catch basins, valve chambers and sidewalks, and no person appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Gladstone Drive Grading & Graveling 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 the 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 Gladstone Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

69. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Princeton Blvd. Grading & Graveling Special Assessment Roll, no objections were presented.

70. Bid on Princeton Blvd. Grading & Graveling was taken from the table at this time.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

71

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the said assessment roll to defray the expense of grading and graveling

PRINCETON BOULEVARD from Lake Drive to approximately 750 feet north, including the necessary valve chambers, curbs and sidewalks, and no persons appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Princeton Boulevard Grading & Graveling 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 the 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 Princeton Boulevard Grading & Graveling District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

72. City Manager made a verbal report regarding asphalt seal coat on Santa Barbara Drive from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr. and from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr.

73.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

RESOLVED, that the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr.

is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Santa Barbara Dr. between Argentina Dr. and San Lu Rae Dr; 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

74.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr.

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 \$ 1834.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 10, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

75.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

RESOLVED, that the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr.

is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Santa Barbara Drive between Argentina Dr. and El Dorado Dr., 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

76.

BY COMMISSIONERS WEIGLE-HIBBARD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr.

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 \$ 744.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 10, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

77. City Manager made verbal report regarding sanitary sewer in Boston St. from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd.

78.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

RESOLVED, that the construction of a sanitary sewer in

BOSTON STREET from Lake Grove Avenue to Groton Road

including the necessary wyes and manholes, 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, benefitting 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 and parts of lots abutting upon Boston St. between Lake Grove Ave. and Groton Rd. benefitting thereby; 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

79.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

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

BOSTON STREET from Lake Grove Avenue to Groton Road

including the necessary wyes and manholes, 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 \$ 1300.00 ; and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 10, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

80. City Manager made verbal report regarding sidewalks on the north side of Argentina Dr. from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr.

81.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

RESOLVED, that the improvement consisting of sidewalk construction on the north side of

ARGENTINA DRIVE from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr.

is a necessary public improvement; and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of all lots and parts of lots abutting upon said improvement according to foot frontage. And be it further

RESOLVED, that a special assessment district for said improvement is hereby established consisting of all lots, parts of lots and parcels of land lying on the north side of Argentina Dr. between San Jose Dr. and San Lucia Dr.; 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

82.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement consisting of sidewalk construction on the north side of

ARGENTINA DRIVE from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr.

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 \$ 880.00 and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 10, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

83. City Manager made verbal report regarding improvement of Anderson Drive from Pinecrest Ave. to Hall St.

84.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

RESOLVED, that the grading and graveling of

ANDERSON DRIVE from Pinecrest Avenue northeasterly to Hall St.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer, manholes, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 Anderson Drive running northeasterly between Pinecrest Avenue and Hall St; 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

85.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the grading and graveling of

ANDERSON DRIVE from Pinecrest Avenue northeasterly to Hall St.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer, and manholes, 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 \$ 9,980.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the cost be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 10, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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 all objections thereto.

86. Request of Police Chief Coleman for authority to attend the Michigan Police Chiefs' convention at Harbor Springs June 28th to 30th.
Finch-Hibbard. Request granted with expense not to exceed \$50.00.
Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

87. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$11,944.19 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

88. Dr. Don Turner and Mr. Don DeVries appeared before the Commission regarding black top, sidewalks and curb on San Jose Dr. from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.

89.
BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-FORD:

RESOLVED, that the improvement with black top of

SAN JOSE DRIVE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.

including the necessary catch basins, valve chambers, sidewalks and curbs, is a necessary public improvement, and that the entire expense of same shall be paid by special assessment levied upon a special assessment district consisting of the lands and premises, excepting public highways and alleys, abutting upon 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 San Jose Drive between Hall St. and El Dorado Dr., 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

90.
BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-FORD:

WHEREAS, the City Commission has declared the improvement with black top of

SAN JOSE DRIVE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,

including the necessary catch basins, valve chambers, sidewalks and curbs, is a necessary public improvement; and now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Commission does estimate the cost of such improvement at the sum of \$ 6000.00, and directs that the specifications, plats, diagrams and estimates of the costs be filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination; and

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 10, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

91. Commissioner Ford brought up the matter of extension of bus service.

Referred to the Traffic Commission.

92. Commissioner Hibbard suggested as a matter of courtesy that Mayor Collins be excused from voting on the following resolution:

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-FINCH:

The City Commission having been advised that the Catholic Diocese of Grand Rapids, Michigan, proposes to use the residence property located at 737 Cambridge Boulevard, S.E. for purposes other than permitted under the applicable Zoning Ordinance,

NOW THEREFORE, the City Commission directed and authorizes the City Attorney to take the necessary legal proceedings to enforce the applicable use provisions of the Zoning Ordinance, in order to limit the use of the property at 737 Cambridge Boulevard, S.E., in the City of East Grand Rapids as a private dwelling by but one family alone; further, the City Commission authorizes the employment of the legal services of the firm of Uhl, Bryant, Slawson & Wheeler in connection with such legal proceedings as may be deemed necessary and advisable.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Nays: 0.

93. Weigle-Hibbard. That a suitable resolution regarding the death of Harley W. Tinkler, who served the City (formerly Village) as Trustee, Commissioner, Mayor and Chairman of the Budget Commission, for many years, be drawn up and sent to his family.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

94. Weigle-O'Keefe. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
July 10, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: O.

95. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

96. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice of bids, notices of special improvements, water works annual report, notice to property owners and notice to citizens regarding precinct division of Second Ward.

97. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the grading and graveling of Richards Drive from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd., one bid was received, opened and read.

Warren-O'Keefe. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll July 24th, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

98.
BY COMMISSIONERS WARREN-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 15th of May, 1950, declare the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer, manholes and sidewalks, 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 June 5, 1950, 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Richards Drive between Lake Grove Ave. and Andover 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 "Richards Drive Grading & Graveling 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 \$18,078.94; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

99.

BY COMMISSIONERS WARREN-O'KEEFE:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the grading and graveling, suitable for black top, of

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Avenue to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer, manholes and sidewalks, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Richards Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 1; Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 24, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

100. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Richards Drive from Lake Grove Avenue to Andover Road, two bids were received, opened and read.

Warren-O'Keefe. That these bids be placed on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll July 24, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

101.

BY COMMISSIONERS WARREN-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 15th of May, 1950, declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, 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 June 5, 1950, 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 benefiting thereby and extending back to the rear line of said lots and parcels of land 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 "Richards Drive Sanitary Sewer District No. 2"; 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 \$ 10,600.00 ; 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 the 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 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 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 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 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

102.

BY COMMISSIONERS WARREN-O'KEEFE:

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

RICHARDS DRIVE from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary laterals and manholes, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Richards Drive Sanitary Sewer District No. 2 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 24, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

103. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the installation of a water main in Richards Drive from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd., two bids were received, opened and read.

Warren-O'Keefe. That these bids be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll July 24, 1950.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

104.

BY COMMISSIONERS WARREN-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 15th of May, 1950, declare the installation of a water main in

RICHARDS DRIVE from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary valves, hydrants and specials, 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 June 5, 1950 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 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 the "Richards Drive Water Main District No. 1"; and be it

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 \$ 3,240.00 ; 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 the benefit 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 per annum; 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 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

105.

BY COMMISSIONERS WARREN-O'KEEFE:

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

RICHARDS DRIVE from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd.,

including the necessary valves, hydrants and specials, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Richard Drive Water Main District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, July 24, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

106. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of Santa Barbara Dr. from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr. with asphalt seal coat, no objections were presented.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

107. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed improvement of Santa Barbara Dr. from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr., with asphalt seal coat, no objections were presented.

Weigle-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

108. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Boston St. from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd., no objections were presented.

Ford-Finch. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

109. This being the time and place set for hearing on the construction of sidewalks on the north side of Argentina Dr. from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr., no objections were presented.

Hibbard-Weigle. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

110. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed grading and graveling of Anderson Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. to Hall St., no objections were presented.

Hibbard-Weigle. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

111. This being the time and place set for hearing on the proposed asphalt seal coat improvement of San Jose Dr. from El Dorado Dr. to Hall St., no objections were presented.

Finch-Ford. That the City Manager be authorized to advertise for bids on this improvement.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

112. Request of Mr. H.S. Harkness that he be allowed to grade and gravel El Dorado Dr. from Kenyon Avenue to Santa Cruz Dr., in accordance with City specifications and under City supervision.

Finch-Ford. That Mr. Harkness be authorized to do this work under City supervision.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

113. Communication from School District #3 regarding election of June 12, 1950.

Received and filed.

114. Communication from Michigan Public Service Commission regarding application of Michigan Bell Telephone Co. for change in rates.

Received and filed.

115. City Manager read monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

7/10/1950

116. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$21,259.11 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

117. City Manager made verbal report regarding water being wasted in the City.

Hibbard-Finch. That the City Manager write to property owners requesting them to conserve use of water.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

118. Finch-Weigle. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis F. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
July 24, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: O.

119. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

120. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of special assessments and notices for bids on file in his office.

121. This being the time and place set for hearings on the Richards Dr. Sanitary Sewer Special Assessment Roll, Richards Dr. Water Main Special Assessment Roll and Richards Dr. Grading and Graveling Special Assessment Roll, a communication from Albert Builders, Inc. was read, recommending acceptance of Ernest Mauzy's bid but stating they were withholding deposit pending clarification of the present economic situation.

Finch-Ford. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be left on the table and the bidding bonds of other bidders be returned to them.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

122. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the asphalt seal coat improvement of Santa Barbara Dr. from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr., one bid was received, opened and read.

Hibbard-Weigle. That this bid be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

123.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 19th of June, 1950, declare the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr.,

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 July 10, 1950 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Santa Barbara Dr. between Argentina Dr. and San Lu Rae 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 Santa Barbara Drive 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 \$ 1,834.00 ; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

124.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr.

be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Santa Barbara Drive Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, August 7, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

125. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the asphalt seal coat improvement of Santa Barbara Dr. from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr., one bid was received, opened and read.

Hibbard-Weigle. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

126.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 19th of June, 1950, declare the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr.,

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 July 10, 1950 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Santa Barbara Dr. between Argentina Dr. and El Dorado 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 Santa Barbara Drive Paving District No. 2; 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 \$ 743.93 ; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

127.
BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr.,

be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Santa Barbara Drive Paving District No. 2 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, August 7, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

128. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Boston St. from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd., one bid was received, opened and read.

Ford-Finch. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

129.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 19th of June, 1950 declare the construction of a sanitary sewer in

BOSTON STREET from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd.,

including the necessary wyes and manholes, 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 July 10, 1950, at which hearing no objections were 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 benefiting thereby and extending back to the rear line of said lots and parcels of land 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 "Boston Street 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 \$ 1,322.00 ; 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 the 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 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 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 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.

130.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

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

BOSTON STREET from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd.,

including the necessary wyes and manholes, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Boston Street Sanitary Sewer District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, August 7, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

131. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of sidewalks on the north side of Argentina Dr. from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr., one bid was received, opened and read.

Hibbard-Weigle. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

132.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 19th of June, 1950, declare the improvement consisting of sidewalk construction on the north side of

ARGENTINA DRIVE from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr.

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 July 10, 1950, 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 upon the north side of Argentina Dr. between San Jose Dr. and San Lucia 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 Argentina Dr. Sidewalk 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 \$ 1,109.49 ; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

133.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement consisting of sidewalk construction on the north side of

ARGENTINA DRIVE from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr.

be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Argentina Drive Sidewalk District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, August 7, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

134. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the grading and graveling of Anderson Dr. from Pinecrest Ave. northeasterly to Hall St., one bid was received, opened and read.

Ford-Finch. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

135.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 19th of June, 1950, declare the grading and graveling of

ANDERSON DRIVE from Pinecrest Ave. northeasterly to Hall St.,

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer and manholes, 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 July 10, 1950, 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 upon and adjacent to either side of Anderson Drive between Pinecrest Ave. and Hall St., 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 Anderson Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 2; 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 \$ 9,545.71 ; 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 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; 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 as provided in the City Charter and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

136.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the grading and graveling of

ANDERSON DRIVE from Pinecrest Ave. northeasterly to Hall St.

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer and manholes, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "Anderson Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 2 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, August 7, 1950, at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

137. Mr. Jordan Sheperd in behalf of James O. Craig, appeared before the City Commission regarding routing of a proposed water main installation in Fisk Rd.

Request denied.

138. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$14,382.25 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

139. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
August 7, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 5
Absent: Com. Weigle - 1.

140. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

141. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notices of special assessments and notices of bids on file in his office.

142. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the improvement with asphalt seal coat on San Jose Drive from El Dorado Dr. to Hall St., one bid was received, opened and read.

Ford-Finch. That this bid be laid on the table until after the hearing on the assessment roll.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

143.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission did on the 19th of June, 1950 declare the improvement with asphalt seal coat of

SAN JOSE DRIVE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,

including the necessary catch basins, valve chambers, sidewalks and curbs, 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 July 10, 1950 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 upon and adjacent to either side of San Jose Drive between Hall St. and El Dorado 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 San Jose Drive Paving 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 \$ 8,887.22 ; 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 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 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 as provided in the City Charter, and when said assessment roll is completed they shall report the same to this Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

144.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

RESOLVED, that the assessment roll covering the improvement with asphalt seal coat on

SAN JOSE DRIVE from Hall St. to El Dorado Dr.,

including the necessary catch basins, valve chambers, sidewalks and curbs, be filed in the office of the City Clerk and marked "San Jose Drive Paving District No. 1 Special Assessment Roll"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Monday, August 21, 1950 at 5:30 o'clock 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 Herald 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: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

145. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for asphalt seal coat on Santa Barbara Dr. from San Lu Rae Dr. to Argentina Dr., no objections were presented.

146.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the special assessment roll to defray the expense of an asphalt seal coat on

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to San Lu Rae Dr.

and no persons appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Santa Barbara Drive 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 the 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 Santa Barbara Drive Paving District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

147. This being the time and place set for hearing on the assessment roll for asphalt seal coat on Santa Barbara Dr. from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr., no objections were presented.

148. Bid on Santa Barbara Dr. asphalt seal coat was taken from the table at this time.

Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the bid of Michigan Colprovia Co. be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

149.

BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-O'KEEFE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the special assessment roll to defray the expense of an asphalt seal coat on

SANTA BARBARA DRIVE from Argentina Dr. to El Dorado Dr.

and no persons appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 roll at the rate of six per cent per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Santa Barbara Drive Paving District No. 2 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 the 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 Santa Barbara Drive Paving District No. 2 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

150. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Boston St. sanitary sewer assessment roll, no objections were presented.

Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be left on the table.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

151. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Argentina Dr. sidewalk assessment roll, no objections were presented.

Ford-Finch. That the bid of Wm. J. Kloote be left on the table.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

152. This being the time and place set for hearing on the Anderson Dr. grading and graveling special assessment roll, no objections were presented.

Finch-Ford. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be left on the table.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

153. City Manager read monthly reports of the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

154. Finch-O'Keefe. That the vouchers in amount of \$121,739.33 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

155. Petition from the Kent County Fair Rent Committee requesting de-control of rents.

Referred to the Ordinance Committee.

156. Finch-Hibbard. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis F. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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Reference Only

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

Regular Meeting Held
August 21, 1950

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe - 5
Absent: Com. Warren - 1.

157. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

158. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice of special assessment and registration notice on file in his office.

159. This being the time and place set for hearing on the San Jose Drive special assessment roll for asphalt seal coat etc., no objections were presented.

Weigle-O'Keefe. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be left on the table.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

160. Bid on Anderson Drive grading and graveling from Pinecrest Ave. northeasterly to Hall St. was taken from the table at this time.

Ford-Finch. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

161.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the special assessment roll to defray the expense of grading and graveling

ANDERSON DRIVE from Pinecrest Ave. northeasterly to Hall St.

including the necessary water services, catch basins, storm sewer and manholes, and no persons appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 roll at the rate of six per cent per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Anderson Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 2 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 the 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 Anderson Drive Grading & Graveling District No. 2 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

162. Communication from Mrs. S.S. Ivanek, expressing wish to purchase a portion of city-owned property on Ross Court for a driveway.

Ford-Finch. That, inasmuch as this property may be needed in future water works expansion, the request of Mrs. Ivanek be denied and no rights-of-way be granted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

163. Finch-Ford. That the Commission adjourn, and reconvene as Board of Appeals.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

164. Communication from Mary Coye Harrett for building permit to erect a two-stall garage at 330 Rosewood Ave.

Finch-Ford. Request denied.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

165. Finch-Ford. That the Board of Appeals adjourn, and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

166. Communication from School District #3 regarding tax rate.

Received and filed.

167. City Manager submitted operating statement for three months' period ended July 31, 1950.

168. City Manager requested authority to purchase a truck for the Street Department, cost not to exceed amount in the Street Dept. budget for new equipment.

Finch-Hibbard. That the City Manager be authorized to purchase a truck as requested.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6.
Nays: 0.

169. Finch-Weigle. That the audit of municipal records as prepared by Messrs. Ernst & Ernst for the year ended April 30, 1950 be approved and accepted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

170. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$16,142.87 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

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171. City Attorney recommended that the City Manager be authorized to settle claim of Mrs. Smitter for \$75.00.

Hibbard-Finch. That the Manager be authorized to settle this claim as recommended.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

172. Hibbard-Weigle. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Collins - 6
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Battjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
September 5, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: O.

173. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

174. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of registration and election notices on file in his office.

175. Bid of Boston Street Sanitary Sewer was taken from the table at this time.

Ford-Finch. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy for this project be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

176.
BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

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

BOSTON STREET from Lake Grove Avenue to Groton Road

including the necessary wyes and manholes, and no one appearing and objecting thereto, 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 is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of said roll to the City Treasurer and to attach thereto 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 Boston 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 the 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 Boston St. Sanitary Sewer Special Assessment District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

177. Bid on San Jose Drive improvement was taken from the table at this time.

Ford-Finch. That the bid of Ernest Mauzy be accepted and contract awarded according to terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

178.

BY COMMISSIONERS FORD-FINCH:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the special assessment roll to defray the expense of an asphalt seal coat on

EAN JOSE DRIVE from Hall St. to El Dorado Drive

including the necessary catch basins, valve chambers, sidewalks and curbs, and no persons presenting objections thereto, 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 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 per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of San Jose Drive 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 the 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 Ravids 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 San Jose Drive Paving District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Weigle, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

179. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief.

Received and filed.

180. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$20,565.24 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller be authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Weigle, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

181. Request of Mr. J.O. Craig for permission to improve Fisk Rd. from Gladstone Dr. to the West City Limits and route storm sewer from West City Limits to Gladstone Dr. with dry basins at Fisk Rd. and Gladstone Dr.

Referred to Utilities Committee and City Manager.

182. Hibbard-O'Keefe. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis J. Pattjes
CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
September 18, 1950

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: 0.

183. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

184. City Clerk reported affidavit of publication of election notice on file in his office.

185. Communication from the Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System requesting the naming of delegates to the annual meeting.

Hibbard-Ford. That City Manager L. H. Gork and Marshall DeYoung be named as delegates to attend this meeting.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

186. Communication from the Utilities Committee, recommending improvement consisting of storm sewer in Fisk Rd. according to specifications by the City Engineer.

Weigle-Hibbard. That this report be adopted and recommendation concurred in.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

187. Report of the Ordinance Committee regarding rent control, recommending that controls remain until the end of the present year.

Ford-Finch. That this report be adopted and its recommendation be concurred in.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

188. City Manager submitted operating statement for four months period ended August 31, 1950.

189. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$11,193.59 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

190. Mr. Robert Addison and Mr. Robert Stewart appeared before the Commission regarding extension of the bus line to serve the southeast section.

Ford-Finch. That the Mayor appoint a committee composed of members from the City Commission and the Citizens' Bus Committee to meet with the Grand Rapids Motor Coach Co. officials to discuss this matter.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

191. Mayor Collins appointed the following to serve on this Committee - Commissioners Ford and O'Keefe and Mr. Newton Levee and City Manager Gork.

192. O'Keefe-Weigle. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

Louis F. Battjes

CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
October 2, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: O.

192. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

193. Bid of Wm. J. Kloote on the Argentina Dr. sidewalk project was taken from the table at this time.

Hibbard-Weigle. That the bid of Wm. J. Kloote be accepted and contract awarded according to the terms submitted.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

194.
BY COMMISSIONERS HIBBARD-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, the City Commission and Board of Assessors, after due notice, met to hear objections to and appeals from the special assessment roll to defray the expense of construction of sidewalks on the north side of

ARGENTINA DRIVE from San Jose Dr. to San Lucia Dr.,

and no persons appearing and objecting thereto, 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 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 per annum, and deposit all sums so collected to the credit of Argentina Drive Sidewalk 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 the 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 Argentina Dr. Sidewalk District No. 1 Fund.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

195. Petition of Frank E. Ehrett and four other property owners requesting vacation or sale of a portion the right-of-way for El Dorado Dr.

Referred to the Planning Commission.

196. Communication from the City Manager recommending acceptance and final payment of the following improvements:

Santa Barbara Dr. asphalt seal coat from Argentina Dr. to	
El Dorado Dr. - - - - -	\$ 738.85
Santa Barbara Dr. asphalt seal coat from Argentina Dr. to	
San Lu Rae Dr. - - - - -	1,694.40
Boston St. Sanitary Sewer from Lake Grove Ave. to Groton Rd.	113.19

Princeton Blvd. Grading & Graveling, from Lake Dr. to approximately 750 feet north - - - - -	\$ 2,713.15
Gladstone Dr. Grading & Graveling from Seminole Rd. to Hall St. - - - - -	558.70
Total	\$ 5,818.29

Finch-Weigle. That these improvements be accepted and final payments authorized.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

197. Communication from the Planning Commission regarding request of the pastor of St. Stephens Church.

198. Finch-Weigle. That the City Commission adjourn, and reconvene as Board of Appeals to consider this matter.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

199. BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-WEIGLE:

WHEREAS, James A. Bryant, pastor of St. Stephen's Parish, has made application to the City Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids, that the property lying north of the present property occupied by St. Stephen's Church and School, and extending to Reed Street on the north, Rosewood Avenue on the east, and Gladstone Avenue on the west, all in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, be designated and fixed for church and school uses, and

WHEREAS, owners of twenty-seven residential properties situated in the immediate vicinity of the St. Stephen's Church and School property, viz: in the 600 and 700 blocks of Rosewood Avenue and Gladstone Avenue and in the 1600 block on Reed Street, have filed their petition requesting that the City Commission so designate said above described lands for church and school uses, and

WHEREAS, said application has been considered by the City Planning Commission of the City of East Grand Rapids and its formal recommendation for the granting of such application has been filed with the City Commission, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission sitting as a Board of Appeals under the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance, having given due consideration to the character of the district in which such premises are situated, their suitability for the proposed uses and purposes, the conservation of property values, the general trend of the building and population development of the City, and other matters bearing upon preservation of the public health, safety and general welfare, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that any or all of Lots 65 to 73, both inclusive, and Lots 120 to 127, both inclusive, of Sherman Park Plat, situated in the City of East Grand Rapids, Michigan, either now owned or hereafter acquired by St. Stephen's Parish, are hereby generally designated and fixed for church and school uses and purposes of St. Stephen's Church and School, including use of same for playground and parking incident only to St. Stephen's Church and School and convent uses for teachers in St. Stephen's School, subject, however, to first filing with and securing the approval of the City Commission of East Grand Rapids sitting as a Board of Appeals under the Zoning Ordinance, of all plans, information and data relating to the proposed exact location of structures on said premises and the proposed uses of said lands and buildings, in conformity with the laws of the State of Michigan and the charter and ordinances of the City of East Grand Rapids.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

200. Weigle-Finch. That the Board of Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

201. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

202. Weigle-Finch. That the vouchers in amount of \$24,373.79 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

203. O'Keefe-Ford. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

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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
October 16, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: O.

204. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

205. City Clerk reported affidavit of publication of registration notice on file in his office.

206. Weigle-Warren. That the Commission adjourn and reconvene as Board of Appeals.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

207. Communication from Calvin Christian Reformed Church regarding permission to erect a church on the property located at the northwest corner of Plymouth Rd. and Hall St; also communication from the Planning Commission regarding a similar request concerning this same property.

Weigle-Warren. WHEREAS, the Planning Commission has taken a poll regarding the construction of a church at the northwest corner of Plymouth Rd. and Hall St., which showed that the majority of the property owners in this vicinity were opposed to the construction of a church on this corner; therefore, hearing on this petition is denied and in accordance with the recommendation of the Planning Commission, permission to construct a church on this property is hereby denied.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

208. Ford-Hibbard. That the Board of Appeals adjourn and reconvene as City Commission.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

209. Communication from City Manager, recommending acceptance and final payments of the following improvements:

Water Main in Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park $\frac{1}{2}$ Plat, and in Audobon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park $\frac{1}{2}$ Plat	\$ 650.00
Sanitary Sewer in Eastlawn Rd. from Estelle Dr. to south end of Paris Park $\frac{1}{2}$ Plat and in Audobon Dr. from Eastlawn Rd. to west end of Paris Park $\frac{1}{2}$ Plat	\$ 434.60
Total	\$ 1,084.60

Finch-Weigle. That these improvements be accepted and final payment authorized.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

210. Communication from Seth R. Bidwell, representing Mr. Max Lassman, regarding the moving of storm sewer on property purchased by Mr. Lassman.

Finch-Hibbard. That this request be denied.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: O.

211. City Manager submitted operating statement for five months period ended September 30, 1950.

212. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$18,600.95 approved by the Ways & Means Committee, be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

213. Hibbard-Finch. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

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

Regular Meeting Held
November 6, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: 0.

214. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

215. City Clerk reported affidavit of publication of election notice on file in his office.

216. Communication from the Liquor Control Commission regarding transfer of ownership of 1950 SDD and SDM from Casper Lutmers Estate (Margaret Lutmers, executrix) to Ely Remes, and also transfer of location from 2138 Wealthy St. to 2130-32 Wealthy St.

Hibbard-O'Keefe. That this transfer of ownership and location be approved.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

217. Communication from the International City Managers' Association regarding annual conference to be held at Houston, Texas November 26 to 29, 1950.

Finch-O'Keefe. That the City Manager be authorized to attend this conference with expenses paid.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

218. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

219. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$21,542.20 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

220. Ford-Weigle. That the Manager contact school authorities regarding the painting of numerals on Ross Court Water Tank by East Grand Rapids students.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

221. Finch-Hibbard. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

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CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
November 20, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: 0.

222. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

223. Communication from Albert Associates, Inc., requesting installation of water main, taps and services in Richards Dr. from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd. and sanitary sewer including laterals in Richards Drive from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Rd.

Ford-Finch. That the bids of Ernest Mauzy formerly presented on the above improvements be taken from the table and rejected, and that all former action except Resolutions 1 and 2 be rescinded, and that the City Manager be authorized to re-advertise for bids on the sanitary sewer and water main.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

224. Communication from the City Manager recommending acceptance and final payment on the Eastlawn Rd. and Audobon Dr. Grading and Graveling improvement.

Warren-O'Keefe. That this improvement be accepted and final payment authorized.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

225. City Manager submitted operating statement for six months' period ended October 31, 1950.

226. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$14,984.49 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

227. Commissioner Ford reported extension of bus service to Breton St. and Berwyck Rd. at 5¢ extra fare from Lakeside Dr. and Lake Drive, to commence December 4th, and recommended that the Commission approve this route and extra fare, subject to review in ninety days.

Ford-Finch. That this route and fare be approved, subject to renegotiation in ninety days.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 6
Nays: Weigle - 1.

228. O'Keefe-Finch. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

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CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
December 4, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6
Absent: 0.

229. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

230. City Clerk reported affidavits of publication of notice to taxpayers and notice for bids on file in his office,

231. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the construction of a sanitary sewer in Richards Drive from Lake Grove Ave. to Andover Road, one bid was received, opened and read.

Finch-Ford. That this bid be laid on the table pending further decision by the petitioners.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

232. This being the time and place set for opening bids on the installation of a water main in Richards Dr. from Conlon Rd. to Andover Rd., one bid was received, opened and read.

Finch-Ford. That this bid be laid on the table pending further decision by the petitioners.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

233. City Manager read monthly reports of Police Chief, Fire Chief and Health Officer.

Received and filed.

234. Weigle-Finch. That the vouchers in amount of \$41,449.43 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

235. Finch-Weigle. That the City sell 1-1/8% U.S. Certificates of Indebtedness due January 1, 1951, and purchase 1 1/4% U.S. Certificates of Indebtedness maturing November 1, 1951 to net approximately 1.46%.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

236. Finch-Hibbard. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

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CITY CLERK.

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

Regular Meeting Held
December 18, 1950.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins.

Present: Coms. Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren - 6

Absent: O.

237. Minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

238. Communication from Hamilton, Weeber & Ward regarding fluorination of water supply.

Received and filed.

239. Report of the Citizens' Water Committee, recommending augmentation of our water supply.

Received and filed.

240. City Manager submitted operating statement for seven months' period ended November 30, 1950.

241. Finch-Weigle. That the vouchers in amount of \$98,882.01 approved by the Ways & Means Committee be allowed, and the Comptroller authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7

Nays: O.

242.

BY COMMISSIONERS FINCH-O'KEEFE:

That the following proposed ordinance be placed on first, second and final reading and adopted by this Commission:

AN ORDINANCE
TO FIX THE SALARY OF THE TREASURER OF THE
CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS.

THE CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. The salary of the City Treasurer of East Grand Rapids for his services for the current year 1951-52 is hereby fixed and determined at the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$3,700.00).

SECTION 2. A public emergency is hereby declared to exist.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately, in order that the salary of the City Treasurer may be determined before the primary election which is to be held on February 19, 1951, and for the reason that the same provides for the operation of the departments of the City government.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7

Nays: O.

243/ Commissioner Ford discussed rent decontrol in East Grand Rapids and the City Attorney made verbal report regarding same.

244. Ford-O'Keefe. That public hearing on decontrol be set for January 8, 1951 at 5:30 o'clock P.M. and that notice of hearing be published in the Grand Rapids Herald.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7

Nays: O.

245. The Mayor at this time appointed the following as a special liaison committee to negotiate with the City of Grand Rapids regarding water supply: Francis Warren, chairman, George Waring and the City Manager.

O'Keefe-Finch. That the appointment by the Mayor be concurred in.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

246. Finch-Weigle. That the Commission adjourn, subject to the call of the Mayor.

Yeas: Hibbard, Ford, Weigle, Finch, O'Keefe, Warren, Collins - 7
Nays: 0.

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