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CITY OF RENSSELAIR  
IN  
COMMON COUNCIL  
WEDNESDAY EVENING *Feb 3 1934*  
REGULAR MEETING

The Council convened at *8* o'clock P.M. and was called to order by Pres. Distell.

The roll being called the following answered to their names:  
Pres. Distell ✓

Alderman Fedigan ✓  
Hoogkamp ✓  
Behan ✓  
Buono ✓

Alderman McGowan ✓  
Stewart ✓  
Ratcliffe ✓  
Reinann ✓  
Pratt ✓

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Public Works  
no one for  
or again*

*Hogkamp* moved that the minutes be adopted as printed subject to correction.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR  
HEADS OF THE DEPARTMENTS AND CITY OFFICES

The Clerk report that the Mayor had approved of all resolutions passed at the last meeting of the Board.

TREASURER'S REPORT

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS  
REMONSTRANCES AND COMMUNICATIONS

PRESENTATION OF ACCOUNTS

*Hogkamp* moved that all bills be referred to the auditing committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The auditing committee report the following bills correct.  
*Hogkamp* moved that the report of the auditing committee be received and all bills be allowed and ordered paid. Also the Street, Civil Defense and Dept. of Water payrolls.

	AYES	NOES
JOSEPH T. DISTELL	✓	
LAWRENCE FEDIGAN	✓	
WILLIAM HOOBKAMP	✓	
PAUL BEHAN	✓	
STEPHEN BUONO		
JAMES MC GOWAN	✓	
IRWIN STEWART	✓	
EDWARD RATCLIFFE	✓	
WILLIAM REIMANN		
WALTER S. PRATT		
TOTAL		

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*Cyclus chks 300.00*  
*5256.00*  
*La Manger chkd 259.50*  
*5190.00*

	AYES	NOES
JOSEPH T. DISTELL	✓	
LAWRENCE FEDIGAN	✓	
WILLIAM HOOBKAMP	✓	
PAUL BEHAN	✓	
STEPHEN BUONO		
JAMES MC GOWAN	✓	
IRWIN STEWART	✓	
EDWARD RATCLIFFE	✓	
WILLIAM REIMANN	✓	
WALTER S. PRATT		
TOTAL		

*Hogkamp balance bids*  
*Hogkamp Primar Busin*  
*Confman report last met*  
*work*

LEGAL NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

TAKE NOTICE, - That I, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Rensselaer, N. Y. will receive sealed proposals at my office in the City Hall, located at 505 Broadway, Rensselaer, N. Y. , until 8 O'clock P. M. eastern standard time March 3, 1954, for improving the floor system in the main Filter Room of the Water Supply Pumping Station located off of Forbes Road, Rensselaer, N. Y.

The work is to include reinforcing the existing beams and the installation of new flooring as shown on the plans therefor and as set forth in the specifications now on file in the office of the Water Commissioner.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, - That bids must be accompanied by cash, certified check or draft in an amount equal to 5% of the amount bid. Plans and Specifications for the proposed work may be obtained at the office of the Water Commissioner of the City of Rensselaer 505 Broadway, Rensselaer, N. Y. The Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Dated February 3, 1954

H. C. Youngmans  
City Clerk

ALFRED J. KAUFMAN  
CIVIL ENGINEER

February 3, 1954

Hon. Mayor, President,  
Members Common Council,  
Rensselaer, New York.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith plans and specifications for reinforcing the floor system in the Main filter room of the Rensselaer Pumping Station.

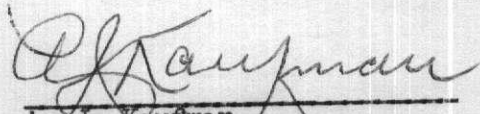
You will note that in preparing these plans I have departed from the original scheme which would cost \$6516.00.

In as much as the present station will in all probability become obsolete within the next 10 years or perhaps sooner, except for emergency purposes, I have devised a scheme which should save the City upwards of \$5000.00 and still be entirely adequate for that time or longer.

It is my considered opinion that this work should be done for something between \$1500.00 and \$2000.00 depending upon time limitations since the clear water basin must be empty in order to permit installation.

Very respectfully,

19-26

  
A. J. Kaufman  
Civil Engineer

DEPARTMENT OF WATER  
CITY OF RENSSELAER, N. Y.



CHARLES R. CLAFLIN, COMMISSIONER AND SUPERINTENDENT

February 3rd, 1954

Honorable Mayor and Members of Common Council:

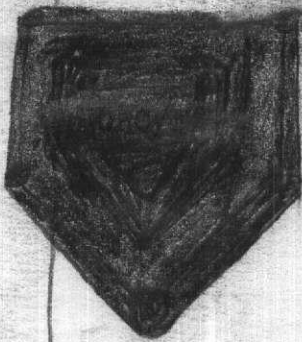
In accordance with your resolution dated February 3rd, 1953, ordering certain repairs to be made to our Filter Plant, one in particular a low-lift pump to be installed.

Due to slow deliveries of material and wiring, this installation was not completed until January 6th, 1954, and at that date the pump was put into operation.

Attached you will find an itemized list of labor and material covering this installation.

Yours very truly,

Charles R. Clafin  
Commissioner of Water Department



*Put in minutes  
Refer to assembly*

**DEPARTMENT OF WATER**  
CITY OF RENSSELAER, N. Y.



CHARLES R. CLAFLIN, COMMISSIONER AND SUPERINTENDENT

COST OF 40-HP MOTOR AND INSTALLATION AT PUMPING STATION

1 - 8x8 Type Kgg Aurora Pump	\$ 1,361.00
Electric equipment	706.00
Re-inforcing steel	83.71
1 - 8" Gate Valve	73.10
1 - 1" " "	6.75
2 - 1/2" " "	8.32
Special Fittings	329.16
11 cu.yds. Ready Mix concrete	183.75
3 bags cement	3.60
42-ft. - 1-1/4" Black Iron Pipe	8.82
20-ft. - 1" Galv. Iron Pipe	3.80
21-ft. - 1/2" " " "	1.81
9 - Floor Flanges	2.91
7 - Rail Fittings	5.50
1 - 1/2" Brass Nipples	.44
1 - 1" " "	.53
Lumber and Nails	58.24
Sheet Rubber Packing	30.32
Wire, conduit, fittings and labor to wire 40-HP, 2400 V. Motor	1,207.35
	4,075.11
Water Dept. labor	562.50
	\$ 4,637.61

(1)

at this time the mayor held a public hearing on the following local law for the year 1954

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There being no one who spoke for or against the same the mayor declared the hearing closed

(2) at this time the bids were opened for the furnishing a wire fence around the water storage basin on Pine Street. the following bids were submitted. Cyclone Fence Co 5256.00  
La Grange Fence Co 5190.00. all throughout

moved seconded by Brown that a committee of three be appointed with the consulting engineer to tabulate bids and report back at the next meeting

Votes -

Pres appointed Hougham, Plemann and Brown.

LOCAL LAW NO. 1 FOR THE YEAR 1954

A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND CHAPTER 69 OF THE LAWS OF 1915 ENTITLED "AN ACT TO REVISE THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF RENSSELAER," BY ADDING THERETO A NEW TITLE CREATING A DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS IN AND FOR THE CITY OF RENSSELAER, NEW YORK, AND SETTING FORTH THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS AND THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RENSSELAER, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Chapter 69 of the Laws of the State of New York for the year 1915, entitled, "An act to revise the Charter of the City of Rensselaer," as last amended, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new title to be known as "TITLE XVIII" thereof, to read as follows:

TITLE XVIII

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Section 369. Department of Public Works.

370. Powers and Duties of Commissioner of Public Works.

371. Oath and Official Bond.

SECTION 369. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. There is hereby created a Department of Public Works in and for the City of Rensselaer; the head of the Department of Public Works shall be the Commissioner of Public Works, who shall be appointed by the Mayor at an annual salary of not less than \$4,200.00, to be fixed and determined by the Common Council and whose term of office shall be the same as other appointive officers of this City as provided in Title II, Section 18 herein.

The Mayor may appoint and at pleasure remove, at an annual salary of not less than \$3,900.00, to be fixed and determined by the Common Council, a Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, who shall be authorized to act subject to the directions of the Commissioner of Public Works, generally for and in place of his principal and who shall perform all duties and possess all powers of the Commissioner of Public Works during the latter's absence or inability to act or in the event of a vacancy in such office.

SECTION 370. POWERS AND DUTIES OF COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS. The Commissioner of Public Works shall have the power and it shall be his duty:

1. To keep in his office books and records properly indexed, in which shall be entered a survey and map of every street, park, avenue, lane, sidewalk, water main and service pipe, sewer and sewer inlet and conduit,

with location and grade thereof as far as practicable, both those heretofore established and which may hereafter be established, which shall be and remain the property of the city and such books and records shall be transmitted with all other matter pertaining to his office to his successor.

2. To have the direction and control of the maintenance and ordinary alterations, repairs, grade, cleaning, paving, flagging, lighting and improvements of the streets, highways, sidewalks and public places of the city and the repair of all docks, bridges, sewers, sewer connections and drains and shall have the jurisdiction and authority to make ordinary repairs and improvements thereto and the flushing and cleaning thereof.

3. With the approval of the Mayor to employ such laborers, vehicles and equipment and incur such expenditures as may be authorized by the Common Council, or as otherwise provided by this act.

4. To have general supervision and control of all works performed under any contract of the city for local or other improvements subject to supervision of a licensed Civil Engineer, who shall be designated by the Common Council and the Mayor.

5. At each regular meeting of the Common Council, to present thereto a payroll in such form as the Common Council may prescribe, verified by his oath setting forth the work done by the City, under his charge since his last payroll, and specifying the name of each person employed thereon, the time he labored, his wages, the number of days and the amount due him, said payroll if correct, shall be audited at the meeting at which the same was presented without referring to the auditing committee and shall be paid from the proper fund of the city on account of which said work shall be performed, or such expenses incurred.

6. Except as otherwise provided herein or by law, ordinance, or resolution of the Common Council, to have all the jurisdiction and be charged with all the duties over streets and public places within the City of a Commissioner of Highways within the Towns of the State.

7. To possess such other powers and be charged with such other duties as may be prescribed by statute, the City Charter, ordinance, or resolution of the Common Council.

SECTION 371. OATH AND OFFICIAL BOND. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, before assuming office hereunder, take and fill the oath of office and make, execute and deliver a bond to the City as required by Sections 30 and 31, Title II herein.

SECTION 2. If any provision, sentence, clause, section or part of this Local Law or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall for any reason be adjudged by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such judgement shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this Local Law or the application thereof to other persons or circumstances, but shall be confined in its operation to the provision, sentence, clause, section or part of the Local Law and the persons and circumstances directly involved in the controversy in which said judgement was rendered. It is hereby declared to be the intent of the Common Council that this Local Law would have been adopted had such unconstitutional or invalid provision, sentence, clause, section, part or application not been included herein.

SECTION 3. This Local Law shall take effect immediately.

Dated: January 6, 1954.

Approved as to form and sufficiency  
this 6th day of January, 1954.

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James S. Milles  
Corporation Counsel

Bills to be presented Feb 3, 1954

2756	Sunset Auto -Electric Co	Supplies	75.03
2757	Sunset Auto -Electric Co.	Supplies	266.08
2758	Sunset Auto- Electric Co.	Supplies	345.50
2759	Otis Elevator Co.	Service(Jan.)	15.75
2760	Otis Elevator Co	Repairs	580.00
2761	Henry Meurs & Son, Inc.	Supplies	6.15
2762	M. J. Maloney	Oil	81.49
2763	M. J. Maloney	Oil	239.40
2764	Eastern Chemicals Inc	Calcium Chloride	60.00
2765	Richason Fuel Oil & Appliances	Oil	108.80
2766	Richason Fuel Oil & Appliances	Oil	108.80 +
2767	Rensselaer Builders Supply	Supplies	3.51
2768	Rensselaer Builders Supply	Supplies	31.94
2769	W. L. Coughtry Co	Prints	7.48
2770	Collins-Campbell	Supplies	25.50
2771	Anthony Ringler	Service &Supplies	404.10
2772	Fort Orange Dist. Co.,Inc.	Radio Equip.	78.33
2773	Lang Stamp Works, Inc.	Signature Stamp	5.29
2774	Lang Stamp Works, Inc.	Signs	33.00
2775	Lang Stamp Works, Inc.	Signs	37.50
2776	Redmond & Bramley Oil Co. Inc.	Fuel Oil	192.00
2777	Tech Supply Co.	Fire Extin.Rech.	3.25
2778	J. I. Holcomb Mfg Co.	Supplies	76.00
2779	Tripp & Sullivan, Inc	Supplies	15.40
2780	Albany-Renss. Paint & Glass Co	Supplies	78.77
2781	Socony Vacuum Oil Co. Inc	Mobilgas	168.96
2782	Leon Shapiro	Supplies	24.72
2783	In't Nat'l Business Machines Corp	Service	5.05
2784	Eugene Ramella	Service & Supplies	83.23
2785	A. E. Riley	Supplies	139.31
2786	Justin McCarthy Co.	Supplies	10.78
2787	Green's	Supplies	25.10
2788	Green's	Supplies	15.00
2789	Lang Stamp Works, Inc.	Supplies	49.00
2790	Lang Stamp Works, Inc.	Stamp	7.90
2791	Morgan Linen Co. Inc.	Linen Rental	76.75
2792	Niagara Mohawk Power Corp.	Service	291.83
Void 2793	Niagara Mohawk Power Corp.	Service	1712.08 Void
2794	Niagara Mohawk Power Corp	Service	25.42
2795	Jack Buchanan	Insurance	175.00
2796	Helen Hedrick	Insurance	36.00
2797	Charles Tracy	Lots	69.72
2798	John H. Warden	Expenses	3.00
2799	Raymond V Irish	Rubbish removed	19.25
2800	Albany Window Cleaning Co	Windows Cleaned	100.00
2801	Frank Deacy	Mileage(Jan.)	32.90
2802	City of Renss.-Water Dept.	Service	1015.26
2803	New York Telephone Co	Service	223.13
2804	Capital Distric Ambuland Serv	Service	45.00
2805	Richard Russell	Service & Labor	240.00
2806	John Heller	Photos	50.00
2807	Wolberg Electric Supply Co	Supplies	58.45
2808	Wolberg Electric Supply Co	Supplies	26.61
2809	Wolberg Electric Supply Co	Supplies	32.19
2810	Joe Tremblays Service Station	Labor & Supplies	24.25
2811	Henzel-Powers Inc.	Supplies	362.27

Water Dept.  
TO BE PRESENTED FEBRUARY 3, 1954

403A Alfred Terrille  
404 New York Telephone Co  
405 A. E. Riley  
406 W. L. Coughtry Co.  
407 P & B. Electric Co.  
408 Geo. H. Cole Supply Co.  
409 Joseph G. Pollard Co. Inc.  
410 Rensselaer Valve Co.  
411 Socony Vacuum Oil Co. Inc  
412 Krackeler & Campbell, Inc.  
413 Peck Pump & Equipment Co.  
414 L. Van Dyk Hardware  
415 Niagara Mohawk Power Corp

Garage Rent	5.00
Service	23.54
Supplies	35.90
Prints	2.24
Supplies	22.90
Supplies	6.80
Spools	15.24
Valves	17.45
Mobilgas	35.34
Soda Ash	122.00
Pump	368.00
Supplies	4.47
Service	1712.08

2718 Jane Carroll		
2719 Niagara Mohawk Power Corp		
2720 Hickey & Connolly		
2721 Hickey & Connolly		
2722 A. J. Eckert Co. Inc.		
2723 A. J. Eckert Co. Inc.		
2724 Puro Filter Corp of America	Oct1 -Dec 31	
2725 Jack R. Buchanan		
2726 Jack R. Buchanan		
2727 Geo. H. Mollenkopf		
2728 Geo. H. Mollenkopf		
2729 Green's		
2730 Green's		
2731 Green's		
2732 Lansing Lumber & Coal Corp		
2733 Lansing Lumber & Coal Corp		
2734 Socony Vacuum Oil Co. Inc.		
2735 L. Van Dyk Hardware		
2736 L. Van Dyk Hardware		
2737 Richason Oil Service		
2738 George Sam, Jr.		
2739 James Polsinello		
2740 Gar Wood Industries, Inc		
2741 Justin A. McCarthy Co		
2742 American LaFrance Foamite Corp		
2743 Burroughs Corp		
2744 Abalene Pest Control Service Inc	(City Bldg. Dec.)	
2745 Abalene Pest Control Service Inc.	(City Dump, Oct, Nov, Dec.)	
2746 The Lithograph & Envelope Co. Inc		
2747 Eastern Chemicals Inc.		
2748 New York Telephone Co		
2749 Raymond Delaney		
2750 Alfred Kaufman		
2751 Saunders Service Station		
2752 Morrissey Florist		
2753 Michael Cristo		
2754 Harvey C. Younghans		
2755 L. Van Dyk Hardware		
	Wreaths	15.00
	Service	2918.45
	Insurance	95.31
	Insurance	390.58
	Plumbing	592.30
	Plumbing	22.60
	Rental	229.50
	Insurance	183.32
	Insurance	212.70
	Supplies	14.69
	Supplies	192.95
	Supplies	17.10
	Supplies	6.60
	Supplies	69.95
	Supplies Coal & Cement	247.30
	Nuwood	9.60
	Mobilgas	98.56
	Supplies	31.77
	Supplies	44.66
	Oil	265.20
	Fuel Oil	192.00
	Chains	35.00
	Supplies	17.04
	Supplies	69.49
	Supplies	14.23
	Supplies	8.17
	Exterminating Ser.	10.00
	Exterminating Ser	
	(City Dump, Oct, Nov, Dec.)	62.50
	Paper	17.50
	Calcium Chloride	28.80
	Service	85.73
	Insurance	241.84
	Services	200.00
	Supplies	79.78
	Wreath	7.50
	Rental (Dump)	600.00
	Postage & Misc.	19.00
	Supplies	89.54

**WATER DEPT.**  
 Bills to be audited February 3, 1951

387 Albany-Renss Paint & Glass Co  
 388 Lansing Lumber & Coal Corp.  
 389 Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. Inc.  
 390 George Krauss  
 391 George Krauss  
 392 L. Van Dyk Hardware  
 393 Krackeler & Campbell, Inc.  
 394 Krackeler & Campbell, Inc.  
 395 W. A. Case & Son Mfg. Co  
 396 W. A. Case & Son Mfg. Co.  
 397 W. A. Case & Son Mfg. Co.  
 398 W. A. Case & Son Mfg. Co  
 399 Geo. H. Cole Supply Co  
 400 Water Works Supply Corp.  
 401 Geo H. Mollenkopf  
 402 James M. Caird  
 403 Geo. H. Mollenkopf

Supplies	4.19
Supplies	103.54
Mobilgas	35.20
Boots & Moccasins	9.95
" "	9.45
Screw driver & shovel	2.90
Soda Ash	122.00
Soda Ash	122.00
Supplies	9.96
Supplies	17.23
Supplies	41.89
Supplies	16.99
Coupling & Pipe	1.91
Flate Bolts	35.90
Supplies	7.76
Examination of Water	190.25
Supplies	25.26

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BY ALDERMAN HOOBKAMP:

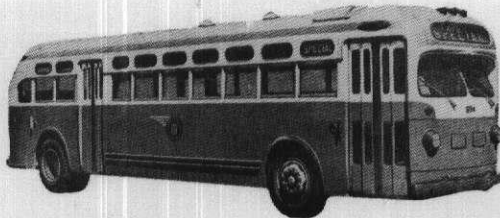
RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized and directed to advertise for bids for improving the floor system in the main filter room of the Water Supply pumping station located at Forbes Rd. Rensselaer, N. Y., Council shall reserve and hereby reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids, bids to be received March 3, 1954.

Feb/ 3rd, 1954

Approved as to form and sufficiency

James S. Millea  
Corp. Counsel

PHONES  
ALBANY — 3-4431  
TROY — ASHLEY 2-4070



ALBANY  
TROY  
COHOES  
WATERVLIET  
RENSSELAER

## UNITED TRACTION COMPANY

1197 BROADWAY

ALBANY 4, N. Y.

January 21, 1954

NEWTON R. CASS  
ATTORNEY

BUS TRANSPORTATION  
CHARTER AND  
SCHOOL SERVICE

Mr. Harvey C. Younghans, City Clerk  
City of Rensselaer,  
Rensselaer, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Younghans:

I am enclosing herewith petition for extension of consents to operate in the City of Rensselaer for an additional period of three months. The present consent expires February 5, 1954.

Mr. Riedy has taken this matter up with Mr. Millea Corporation Counsel, of the City of Rensselaer, who asked him to forward the petition direct to you.

I am enclosing original and duplicate of the petition.

Very truly yours,

*Newton R. Cass*  
Attorney

Enclosures

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TO THE HONORABLE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RENSSELAER, N. Y.:

The petition of United Traction Company respectfully shows:

FIRST: That United Traction Company is a corporation duly organized and existing under and in pursuance of the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office for the transaction of business at 1197 Broadway, Albany, N. Y.

SECOND: That on October 21, 1953, the Common Council of the City of Rensselaer, by ordinance adopted on that day, granted its consent to United Traction Company, its successors and assigns, to operate motor vehicle or bus lines in, over, upon, through and along the following streets, avenues, highways and public places in the City of Rensselaer, as follows:

Route 1. Commencing at the East City Line on the Rensselaer-DeFreestville highway, thence westerly along said highway to Washington Avenue, thence along Washington Avenue to Third Street, thence southerly along Third Street to Partition Street, thence westerly on Partition Street to Broadway, southerly on Broadway to the Parker Dunn Memorial Bridge, thence westerly on said bridge to the West City Line.

Route 2. Commencing at Broadway and Washington Avenue thence southerly on Broadway to Partition Street, thence easterly on Partition Street to East Street, thence southerly on East Street to Adams Street, thence easterly along Adams Street to Third Avenue, thence westerly on Third Avenue to the Parker Dunn Memorial Bridge, thence westerly along said bridge to the West City Line of the City of Rensselaer.

Route 3. Commencing at the South City Line on Riverside avenue, thence northerly along Riverside Avenue and Broadway to the Parker Dunn Memorial Bridge, thence westerly along said bridge to the westerly line of the City of Rensselaer;

In either direction on the route or routes above named.

THIRD: That your petitioner respectfully requests that the ordinance adopted October 21, 1953, be amended by extending the date of expiration of said consent for a period of three months.

UNITED TRACTION COMPANY

By D. D. Redy  
President

Dated: January 21, 1954.

**BUS ORDINANCE**  
AN ORDINANCE GIVING THE CONSENT OF  
THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
RENSSELAER TO THE OPERATION OF A  
MOTOR VEHICLE OR BUS LINE, IN, OVER,  
UPON, THROUGH AND ALONG THE FOLLOWING  
STREETS IN SAID CITY.

This ordinance is a renewal and extension of a certain Ordinance granted November 5, 1952.

THE CITY OF RENSSELAER IN COMMON COUNCIL CONVENED, ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1.** The City of Rensselaer hereby consents to the operation of a motor vehicle or bus line by the United Traction Company, in over, upon through and along the following streets in the City of Rensselaer.

**ROUTE 1.** Commencing at the east City Line on the Rensselaer-DeFreestville Highway, thence westerly along said highway to Washington Avenue, thence along Washington Avenue to Third Street, thence southerly along Third Street to Partition Street, thence westerly along Partition Street to Broadway, thence southerly along Broadway to the Parker Dunn Memorial Bridge, thence westerly on said bridge to the west city line.

**ROUTE 2.** Commencing at Broadway and Washington Avenue, thence southerly along Broadway to Partition Street, thence easterly on Partition Street to East Street, thence southerly on East Street to Adams Street, thence easterly along Adams Street, to Third Avenue thence westerly along Third Avenue to the Parker Dunn Memorial Bridge, thence westerly along said Bridge to the west city line of the City of Rensselaer.

**ROUTE 3.** Commencing at the south City Line on Riverside Avenue, thence northerly along Riverside Avenue and Broadway to the Parker Dunn Memorial Bridge, thence westerly along said bridge to the westerly line of the City of Rensselaer in either direction on the route or routes named.

**SECTION 2.** The maintenance and operation of said motor vehicle or bus line shall be in compliance with the requirements and obligations imposed by the provisions of the Charter of the City of Rensselaer and this consent is granted upon the express condition that the provisions of the Public Service Commission Law and the Transportation Corporations Law of New York thereto shall be complied with.

**SECTION 3.** United Traction Company, its successors or assigns, or the operators of said motor vehicle or bus line, shall at all times carry personal and property liability insurance or surety bond for the protection of their passengers and the public, in the sum of not less than \$25,000 in any one action in some solvent insurance company or surety policy or surety bond, the Company may establish or continue a fund for such purpose as authorized by order of the Public Service Commission.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance is granted upon the express condition and agreement upon the part of United Traction Company, their successors or assigns, that a system or transfers interchangeable be maintained by United Traction Company, its successors or assigns and upon the further express condition and agreement on the part of United Traction Company that the rate of fare for an continuous ride including transfer privileges shall always be the rate in effect.

**SECTION 5.** The number of motor vehicles employed in the operation of the bus lines above mentioned shall at all times be sufficient to operate upon such schedule as traffic from time to time may demand.

**SECTION 6.** That the busses and equipment shall be maintained in first class operation condition and shall be of the same character as that used in the Albany territory of said Company.

**SECTION 7.** The consent hereby granted shall be nonassignable without the consent of the Common Council of the City of Rensselaer.

**SECTION 8.** The said consent hereby granted is upon the further condition that the said United Traction Company shall, at its own expense, clear the snow and ice from the routes covered by its bus lines herein described in such manner as to permit the passage of two busses in opposite direction and to keep open crosswalks along its routes which may become blocked by said clearance of said snow and ice and shall cooperate with the City officials of the City of Rensselaer in the removal of snow and ice on the routes herein specified.

**SECTION 9.** The consent hereby granted shall be and continue for a three month period extending from February 5, 1954 to May 5, 1954.

**SECTION 10.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 11. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately pursuant to Section 88 of the Rensselaer City Charter.

February 3, 1954

Approved as to form and sufficiency

James S. Millea  
Corp. Counsel

	AYES	NOES
JOSEPH T. DISTELL	✓	
LAWRENCE FEDIGAN	✓	
WILLIAM HOGKAMP	✓	
PAUL DEHAN	✓	
STEPHEN DUONG	✓	
JAMES MC GOWAN	✓	
IRVIN STEWART	✓	
EDWARD BATCLIFFE	✓	
WILLIAM DENMANN	✓	
WALTER S. PRATT	✓	
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