

CITY OF RENSSELAER
IN
COMMON COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY EVENING 1936

REGULAR MEETING

The council convened at _____ o'clock P. M. and was called to order by Pres. Clark.

The roll being called the following answered to their names.

Pres. Clark ✓
Alderman Hayford ✓ Alderman Raymond X
Hoogkamp ✓ Redden ~~X~~ ✓
Distell ✓ Whish ✓
Whalen ✓ Alderman Pratt ✓ Waugh ✓
Alderman *Whalen* moved that the minutes be adopted as printed subject to correction

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR
HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND CITY OFFICES

The clerk reports that the Mayor had approved of all resolutions passed at the last meeting of the board.

Treasurers report
Charity Commissioners report

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS
REMONSTRANCES AND COMMUNICATIONS

PRESENTATION OF ACCOUNTS

The Alderman moved that all bills be referred to the auditing committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The auditing committee reports the following bills correct.

Alderman moved that the report of the auditing committee be received and all bills be allowed and ordered paid. Also the street pay roll.

*Alton
Veto*

Top girl
Committee on Whalen Distell Hayford.
report next meeting. report later in evening
Committee on Police Car Hoogkamp Pratt Whish
report next meeting
Committee on 4 wheel Drive ^{Truck} Redden Pratt Hayford.
tabulate & report at next meeting.
Committee on Roller. Distell, Raymond Waugh.
tabulate & report at next meeting.



CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

WELFARE COMMISSIONER

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

MELVIN H. SMITH
WELFARE COMMISSIONER

September 16th, 1936.

Honorable Mayor, President and
Members of the Common Council,
Rensselaer, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

The following is a resume of the cost of Home Relief
for the month of August, 1936.

	COST	Percent Reimbursable	
Admn. Payroll	\$1020.34	65%	\$663.22
" Costs	208.67		
Home Relief	<u>3280.32</u>	40%	<u>1312.13</u>
	4509.33		\$1975.35
 Net Cost to City	 2533.98		
 State Contribution			 1975.35
 Total	 4509.33		

Total number of cases	---	151
Number of families	---	112
Number of non-families	---	39
Number of Individuals	---	495

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOGKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

Respectfully submitted

Melvin H. Smith,
Welfare Commissioner

MHS:MHS

W. *By Ald. Raymond Hoogkamp*
 Submit to Common Council list of all men
 on home relief so that we can see those
 available for WPA.

Bills to be Audited September 16, 1936.

9720	Josephine Robins Service Sealer Wts. Measures	40.00
9721	Albany & Rens. Paint Co.	1.75
9722	George Kraus Sup. Fire Dept.	30.50
9723	M. Goode Gas Police	51.67
9724	Ross Boyd Gas.	7.26
9725	Edwin Maggs Gas	11.06
9726	John Yonkers Dog Warden	67.00
9727	New York Power & Light Co. Street Lts. May.	2,575.88
9728	New York Power & Light Co. Traffic Lts. May.	63.45
9729	Henry Meurs. Supplies	83.46
9730	Henry Meurs. Supplies	1.80 1.80
9731	George Brown. Plumbing Rprs.	31.70
9732	Boston Albany R. R. Repairs Fire Alarm	16.53
9733	Rensselaer Water Co Service	15.00
9734	Raymond Higgins Picking up Hose	2.00
9735	William Cook Picking up hose	2.00
9736	R. G. Stewart Supplies fire dept,	14.35
9737	William Reckerfeller Burial	55.00
9738	E. F. Hunting & Son Supplies	3.00
9739	Burrough Adding Mach. Co. Sup. Treasurer	2.15
9740	New York Telephone Co. Service to Aug. 16/36	80.92
9741	Johnson Press Supplies	160.00
X 9742	William De Meyer Insurance	845.82
9743	Morgan Linen Co. Service	27.90
9744	Gamewell Co Supplies Fire alarm	9.82
9745	Sampson Murdock Co. Directories.	32.00
9746	Townsend Furnace Co Basin Grate	Voie.
9747	Katherine B. Sanderson Office supplies	91.32
9748	William Clifford Gas	24.37
9749	M. F. Dollard Brick	50.00
9750	Joseph Moran Cleaning Windows.	10.00
9751	W. Y. Lansing Materials.	15.65
X 9752	William Heffern Supplies	171.39
X 9753	William Heffern Supplies	34.20
X 9754	William Heffern Supplies	47.15
9755	Robert Morgan Supplies.	8.85
9756	Marshall Rose. Supplies	15.40
9757	Peter Mc Cabe Crushed Stone	13.00
9758	A. E. Bonacker Sand.	21.35
9759	J. J. Dunn Gravel	89.70
9760	John Moore Picking up hose	22.00

*Alld Whalen
pay all bills
also street payroll*

*except #9742 Wm De Meyer 845.82
#9752, #9753, #9754 William Heffern*

*Claid out
also street payroll*

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOBKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH		✓
E. WAUGH		✓
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL	8	2

W. P. A. Bills.

To be Audited September 16, 1936.

272	Herbert Mallett Engineer service	72.00
273	Anthony Hill Pipe rail	222.25
274	Anthony Hill Tool repairs.	32.90
275	William Mineker Trucking	64.00
276	Ross Boyd Gas	2.13
277	Henry Meurs Materials	12.19
278	Marshall Rose Materials	35.67
279	Fred Meisner Trucking	112.00
280	William Clifford Gas.	.95
281	J/ J/ Dunn Gravel	61.20
282	R. B. Wing Pump Crank.	1.75
283	R. B. Wing Paint	44.85
284	M. J. Maloney Kerosene	62.00
285	W..Y. Lansing Materials	26.10
286	M. F. Dollard Brick	80.00
287	William La Grange Fence	145.00
288	Ready Mixed & Sup. Concrete	5.81
289	Ready Mixed & Sup. Concrete	6.26
290	Ready Mixed & Sup Concrete	5.81
	George March Sewing Materials	138.15
292	Townsend Furnace & Mach Co. Traps & Grates	102.00
293	Wm. Farley Trucking	39.00
294	Wm. Farley Trucking	18.00
295	Wm. Farley Trucking	27.00
296	Wm. Farley Trucking	73.00
297	Wm. Farley Trucking	14.00

Bills to be Presented Srpt. 16, 1936.

9761	G. A. March	1 Doz. Flags	\$ 3.00
9762	Ross Boyd	Supplies to City Depts.	12.69
9763	R. G. Stewart Drug Co.	" for playground	11.09
9764	John Yonkers	Dog Warden	61.00
9765	Leonard Hospital	Care of sick	45.00
9766	Frank Roger Kanō	Supplies to playground	45/16
9767	Albany Hospital	Care of Sick	620.00
9768	St. Peters Hospital	" " "	537.00
9769	John J. Dunn	Gravel	66.30
9770	W. Yates Lansing	Supplies to City Depts.	14.89
9771	" " "	" " " "	30.73
9772	Henry Meurs	" " " "	3.95
9773	" " "	" " " "	38.40
9774	Joseph Horan	Cleaning Windows, City Bldg.	10.00
9775	Henry Meurs	500 lbs. Red Calibar Fiber	100.00
9776	James W. McGee	Gas to Police Dept.	25.44
9777	" " "	" " " "	4.38
9778	Shell Eastern Pet. Prod. Inc.	9790 Gal Road Oil	310.61
9779	" " " " "	500 Gal Fuel Oil	30.00
9780	R. B. Wing & Son Corp.	Supplies to City Depts.	6.42
9781	Armand Champagne	Oil	12.39
9782	" " "	"	14.23
9783	Chas. W. Gray	Supplies to City Depts.	60/95
9784	R. G. Stewart Drug Co.	Supplies	23.36
9785	" " " " "	"	32.45
9786	N. Y. Power & Light Corp.	St. lighting month of Aug.	2,570.50
9787	" " " " " "	Traffic Signals month of Aug.	63.45
9788	N. Y. Telephone Co.	Service City Depts. to Aug. 26	15.73
9789	Bussey & McGinn	Granite Cutter 3 hrs.	4.50
9790	J. & B. Van Acker	Supplies	19.30
9791	Broadway Tire & Battery Serv.	" to City Depts.	39.33
9792	" " " " " "	" " " "	9/77
9793	Lieberman Pharmacy	Supplies	93.74
9794	R. G. Stewart Drug Co.	Medical Supplies	27.60
9795	Guilfoil Bros.	Supplies to City Depts.	6.83
9796	Howard Boniface	Picking up hose	2.00
9797	Ed. J. Mink	" " "	2.00
9798	Townsend Machine Corp.	One Gutter Basin Frame & Grate	25.00

Bills to be presented Sept. 16, 1936.

W. P. A. Bills.

297-A.	Anthony J. Hill	Tool Repairs.	\$ 69.65
298	W. Yates Lansing	Materials.	114.64
299	John J. Dunn.	Gravel.	139.40
300	Marshall C. Rose	Tools.	30.45
301	Henry Meurs	Materials	19.64
302	Fred. J. Weisner.	Trucking	123.00
303	Singer Sewing Machine Co.	Rental on Sewing machines.	20.68
304	F.O. Maloy.	Tool Repairs.	8.80
305	Ready Mix & Supply Corp.	Ready Mixed Concrete.	50.38
306	Townsend Machine Corp.	Manhole Frame & Cover.	17.50
307	M. F. Dollard.	Brick.	50.00
308	W. Yates Lansing.	Materials.	483.15
309	Chalker's Laundry	Laundry.	6.40

		Services as Election Insp.		
1	G. A. March	"	"	\$ 7.50
2	Mildred H. Hennessy	"	"	7.50
3	Paul Wessell	"	"	7.50
4	Margaret M. Eagan	"	"	7.50
5	James M. Maly	"	"	12.50
6	Erna M. DeJong	"	"	7.50
7	Margaret Walet	2	"	7.50
8	Helen Molasky	"	"	7.50
9	Florence Karrau	"	"	7.50
10	Pauline Bond	"	"	7.50
11	Bertha Hoffman	"	"	12.50
12	Edna Gibson	"	"	7.50
13	Anna Berry	"	"	12.50
14	Nettie Hartigan	"	"	7.50
15	Ella Gardner	"	"	7.50
16	Lillian Butler	"	"	12.50
17	Teresa D. Sherwood	"	"	7.50
18	Edward J. Flanigan	"	"	7.50
19	Katherine E. Turner	"	"	7.50
20	Minnie West	"	"	12.50
21	Mrs. Mildred Hardt	"	"	7.50
22	Clara B. Ryan	"	"	7.50
23	Edith M. Hughes	"	"	12.50
24	Rita Faurenkopf	"	"	7.50
25	Kathryn A. Becker	"	"	12.50
26	Evarard A. McAvoy	"	"	7.50
27	Mary A. Merkle	"	"	7.50
28	Martha J. Keeler	"	"	12.50
29	Doris M. Noonan	"	"	7.50
30	Kathryn A. Murray	"	"	7.50
31	George H. Ackerman	"	"	6.50
32	Loa M. Muller	"	"	7.50
33	Eleanor A. Denison	"	"	7.50
34	Eben Hidorn	"	"	12.50
35	Mary A. Welz	"	"	7.50
36	Ruth M. Whitbeck	"	"	7.50
37	Mildred Johnson	"	"	7.50
38	Sadie Weston	"	"	7.50
39	Alice Scully	"	"	7.50
40	Lottie M. Cross	"	"	7.50
41	Alice M. Biddle	"	"	12.50
42	Frances M. Benson	"	"	7.50
43	Howard M. Boniface	"	"	7.50
44	Katherine A. Sharkey	"	"	7.50

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Whelan

Refer to Auditing Com.

Report of the City Clerk on the tabulation of the Primary vote of Sept. 15, 1936.

The following is the result of the vote cast at the fall Primary held Sept. 15, 1936, in the City of Rensselaer N. Y.

The vote cast for the Republican Candidates are as follows.

Representative in Congress.	1,166
E. Harold Cluett	4
Llewelyn Jones	128
Carleton J. King	2
Matthew Heeran	
State Senator.	876
Clifford Hastings	
Member of Assembly	898
Maurice Whitney	
County Clerk	877
Lawrence J. Collins	
Sheriff	875
Alexander C. Dewar	
Alderman 6th. Ward	168.
Charles Buewell	

Delegates to State Convention..

E. Harold Cluett	955
W. Lealand Thompson	941
Lawrence J. Collins	940
Hugh E. Jarques.	940
Harry C. Werger	942
Fred W. Pickering	938
Lewis M. Lansing	941
Matthew J. Heeran	943
Maurice Isenbergh	939
Stanton B. Hull	939
Earl M. Waugh	943
John F. Williams	942
Herbert P. Chase	936

Alternate Delegates to the State Convention.

A. Kendall Roberts	868
Stella Jordan	867
Frank A. Massau	866
John W. Atwater	868
Harry B. Nugent	866
Carolyn Thomas	867
Charles M. Link	866
Herman Moch	867
Irving Hoag	866
Jessie Peabody	867
Lena Meek	867
Lewis V. Griffin	866
Amelia Windeknecht	866

The vote cast for the Democratic Candidates are as follows.

Representative in Congress	262
John J. Nyhoff	12
William G. Simpson	
State Senator	271
V. Briggs Shaw,	
Member of Assembly.	270
Earl Wilcox	

County Clerk
Jesse D. Vars. 258

Sheriff
John H. Clinton 271

Alderman 6th. Ward.
George D. Redden Jr. 103.

Delegates to State Convention

E. F. Henk	282
Joseph C. Behan	280
Michael Maloney	279
William Hutting	282
William Reagan	286
V. Briggs Shaw	280
Jesse D. Vars.	283
William Emmett	279

Alternate Delegates to State Convention.

Walters E Lyons	275
David S. Moore	275
William Canfield	275
Patrick J. Leahey	276
Frank J. Roshirt	275
Thomas Coleman	276
Mary Snell	275
Willian Nugent	275.

Socialist Vote.

State Senator
Clifford Hastings 1

County Clerk
Lawrence Collins 1

Sheriff
Alexander C. Dewar 1

Aleerman Whalen.

That the report of the City Clerk on tye Tabulation of the Primary Vote of Sept. 15, 1936 be adopted.

received and filed.



WILLIAM T. WRIGHT
MAYOR

CITY of RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

THE MAYOR

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

September 14, 1936

The Common Council and
The City Clerk
Rensselaer, New York

Gentlemen:

Kindly be advised that I hereby veto and return resolution No. 421 introduced by Alderman Whalen providing for the appointment of Alfred Kaufman as Supervisor and Director of all WPA projects in connection with the City of Rensselaer, at an annual salary of \$1800.00.

The resolution is of no avail because there is no appropriation made for the payment of such salary and I know of no moneys available for that purpose.

Very truly yours,

William T. Wright

WTW/
*Ord Whalen moved,
passed over mayors veto
L Redden*

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD		✓
W. HOOBKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH		✓
E. WAUGH		✓
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL	7	3



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MAYOR

CITY of RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

THE MAYOR

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

September 14, 1936

The Common Council and
The City Clerk
Rensselaer, New York

Gentlemen:

Kindly be advised that I hereby veto and return resolution No. 422 introduced by Alderman Whalen authorizing the City Clerk to secure liability and property damage on certain fire trucks. You will please be advised that this is a function of the Board of Public Safety and that Board will properly dispose of the matter at its next meeting.

Very truly yours,

William T. Wright

WTW/

*Alderman Whalen moved
to pass over mayors veto.
Raymond.*

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD		✓
W. HOOCKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH		✓
E. WAUGH		✓
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL	7	3



GEORGE E. HAYNES
CITY ENGINEER

CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF
THE CITY ENGINEER
RENSSELAER, N. Y.

September 16, 1936.

President and Members
of the Common Council,
City of Rensselaer, N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

I am including the name of G. Herbert Mallett on the street department payroll this period.

The Corporation Council has informed me that under the Wickes Act, monies raised on certificates by the city as the sponsors contribution of W. P. A. projects, can be expended for material and equipment only and not for salaries or wages.

The arrangement for carrying Mr. Mallett on the Street Department payroll is only temporary, since that fund is too small to carry any extra charges.

Unless some provision is made, by transfer, or otherwise, this man will have to let go.

Very truly yours,

George E. Haynes
City Engineer

GEH/

rec'd & filed

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By Alderman Raymond:

Resolved, that the Commissioner of Public Welfare submit to the Common Council a list of all men on Home Relief so that we can see those available for W.P.A.

Dated September 16th 1936

The petition of Geo. Smith respectfully shows;

That the petitioner is the ^{owner} of premises located at No. 317 Col St in the City of Rensselaer NyY. Blk. 230 Plot 7 as laid down on the Tax Map of the City of Rensselaer now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Assessment & Taxation, and which premises are located on the N side of Col. St. in the 9th Ward.

That the petitioner is desirous of erecting 1000 Tank and pump upon said premises to be located with respect to the lot and Street line as described.

That a public hearing in connection with this permit be dispensed with,

Wherefore; Your petitioner respectfully prays that they be granted permission to erect tank and pump as hereinbefore set forth.

George Smith

State of New York }
County of Rensselaer } SS
City of Rensselaer }

Geo. Smith being severally duly sworn, state that _____ are the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, that they have read said petition and the same is true to their own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as those matters they believe it to be true.

Sworn to before me this 16 day of Sept. 1936

George Smith

Charles F. Finkle

Commissioner of Deeds City of Rensselaer

Committee Pratt, Hoogkamp, Hayford

The petition of Frank Bedell respectfully shows,
That the petitioner is the owner of the premises located at
No. 1347 Bivney - in the City of Rensselaer N.Y. Blk. 157 Plot 5
as laid down on the Tax Map of the City of Rensselaer now on file
in the office of the Commissioner of Assessment and Taxation
and which are located on the W side of Bivney in
the 4th Ward.

That, The petitioner is desirous of erecting a garage upon said
premises to be located with respect to lot and Street line as
described, That a public hearing in connection with this permit
be dispensed with. Wherefore your petitioner respectfully prays
that they be granted permission to erect a garage as hereinbefore
set forth.

F. W. Bedell

State of New York)
County of Rensselaer) SS
City of Rensselaer)

Frank Bedell being severally
duly sworn, state that _____ are the petitioner named in the
foregoing petition, that they have read said petition and that
the same is true to their own Knowledge except as to matters
therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those
matters they believe it to be true.

F. W. Bedell

Sworn to before me this
16 day of Sept. 1936

Charles S. Frinkle

Commissioner of Deeds City of Rensselaer N.Y.

Committee Whalen, Distell, White.

Resolution by Alderman

Whalen

Resolved that the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized, empowered and directed to secure liability and property damage insurance on the following vehicles owned by the City. The coverage to begin on the dates set opposite each vehicle.

- Essex Roadster as of October 28, 1936
- Pumper No. 1. as of October 24, 1936
- Pumpers No.1, 2 and 3 as of November 6, 1936.
- Ford Coupe as of November 10, 1936
- Motor cycle as of November 10, 1936
- Essex Touring as of October 28, 1936
- Federal Trucks (2) as of November 10, 1936.
- Austin Sweeper as of November 10, 1936
- Grader as of November 10, 1936.
- Pumper No.1 and Pumper No. 3 as of November 10, 1936.

Mayor informed Com. Council that this was a duty of the Board of Public Safety

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. HAYFORD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
W. HOOGKAMP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
J. D. STILL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D. WHALEN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
F. RAYMOND	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
REDDEN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
F. WHISH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
E. WAUGH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
W. PRATT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL		

By Alderman Whalen:

Resolved, that the ~~ma~~ premises described as "Pythian Hall" be and such premises are hereby leased ~~for~~ for the purpose of providing quarters for the W.P.A. sewing project, at a ~~max~~ monthly rental of \$25.00 per month (unheated) on a monthly ~~max~~ tenancy; ~~it is~~ and be it further

Resolved, that the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a suitable agreement providing for such rental on the basis hereinbefore specified; and be it further

Resolved, That the aforesaid expenditure shall be defrayed

Dated Sept. 17, 1936.

Mayor informed C.C. that the N.Y. P & L Co will equip old Alb. Southern Bldg with metal furnace heat, light etc for \$30.00

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. HAYFORD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
W. HOOKAMP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
J. DISTELL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D. WHALEN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
F. RAYMOND	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
REDDEN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
F. WHISH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
E. WAUGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. PRATT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

440.

By Alderman Mahan:

Resolved, that the ~~sa~~ premises described as "Pythian Hall" be and such premises are hereby leased ~~for~~ for the purpose of providing quarters for the W.P.A. sewing project, at a ~~xxxx~~ monthly rental of \$25.00 per month (unheated) on a monthly ~~xxxx~~ tenancy; ~~xxxxxx~~ and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a suitable agreement providing for such rental on the basis hereinbefore specified; and be it further

Resolved, That the aforesaid expenditure shall be defrayed

Dated Sept. 17, 1936.

Ald Whalen moves.

That City Engineer and Corp. Counsel
report back on encroachment on Love Street.
at next meeting

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD		✓
W. HOOKKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH		✓
E. WAUGH		✓
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

Ald. Raymond moved
that a com. of five members of the
Com. Council be appointed to go into the
water situation and see what can be done
about it.

Com. Raymond
Distell
Pratt
Waugh
Whish.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. WYFORD	✓	
W. WOODKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

Resolution

By Alderman;

Pratt

Resolved;

That the Commissioner of Assessment and Taxation be and he is authorized to issue a permit to Geo. Smith Lesse of the premises described as 317 Col. St. for the installation of a 1,000 gallon gasoline tank and pumps adjacent to the building now located on said premises, provided however that said installation shall be subject to the approval of the City Engineer, it being further understood and agreed that this permission is a license only, and is revocable at the pleasure of the Common Council with or without cause.

Dated Sept 16 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Corp. Council

W. L. Pratt
W. W. Storkamp
Geo. H. Hayford

Report of the committee of petition of Frank Bedell
 We, the undersigned committee this day appointed to investigate
 the petition of Frank Bedell owner of the premises described
 as 1347 B' way, for permission to erect a garage upon said
 premises, hereby respectfully report that we have investigated
 the facts in connection therewith and we respectfully recommend
 that a public hearing be dispensed with and the desired
 permission granted.

Dick Whalum.
Joseph J. Distell
Fred O. Collins

By Alderman; Whalum

Resolved; That the annexed report of the committee
 dated _____ in relation to the petition to investigate
 the petition of Frank Bedell as owner of the premises
 described as 1347 B' way for permission to erect a garage
 upon said premises be and the same is hereby received and the
 recommendations therein contained be and the same hereby are
 adopted.

Dated _____ 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Corp. Council

By Alderman Redden:

Resolved, that the City Engineer be and he hereby is requested to gravel and oil Harrison Ave. from Seventh Street extending easterly from Seventh Street to the end thereof.

Dated Sept. 17, 1 936.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOBKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

By Alderman HOOGHKAMP:

Resolved, that the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and requested to make the following repairs and improvements:

(a) repair the settlements in the pavement in the vicinity of the westerly approach to the Third Ave., Bridge.

(b) seal the center seam of the pavement on Third Ave. between Adams and High Streets.

(c) widen the radius of the north-easterly and south-easterly corners of the intersection of Herrick and Washington Streets; and be it,

(d) Paint the curbing at the south-east corner of Broadway and fourth Ave.

Further Resolved, that the aforesaid improvements and repairs be completed ~~out-of-the~~ at a cost of not to exceed the sum of four Hundred fifty (\$450.00) Dollars, and that said expenditure be defrayed out of the budget fund entitled "Highways and Bridges," Code # 181.

Dated Sept. 17, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Richard Lewis
Corporation Counsel

ALDERMEN AYES NOES

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOGKAMP	✓	
J. BISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN *Waugh*

RESOLVED, That George McCarthy, residing at No. 1718 Fifth Street, be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, for a term commencing forthwith and expiring December 31st, 1937.

Dated, September 16th, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Robert O'Neil

CORPORATION COUNSEL.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOGCKAMP	✓	
J. DIST. LL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL	10	0

448

By Alderman Redden:

Resolved, that the City Engineer be and he hereby is requested to prepare suitable plans, specifications and the necessary project applications for the completion by the Works Progress Administration of the following improvements:

(a) The construction of concrete steps and gutters along John St. from fourth to fifth Streets

(b) The construction of concrete gutters along both sides of John Street between fifth and Sixth Streets.

Dated Sept. 17, 1936.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOBKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

449

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE PURCHASE OF A DUMP TRUCK FOR DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS AND FOR THE APPROPRIATION OF MONEY FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

BY ALDERMAN *Whalen*

THE CITY OF RENSSELAER IN COMMON COUNCIL CONVENEED DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. For the approval of the plans and specifications for the purchase of a dump truck.

SECTION II. For the purchase of a dump truck in accordance with the approved plans and specifications, after publicly advertising for sealed proposals at a cost of not to exceed the sum of \$ *1000.00*

SECTION III. That the cost of purchasing the aforesaid dump truck shall be defrayed by the issuance and sale of bonds, and pending the issuance and sale of such bonds, by the issuance and sale of Bond Sale Certificates of Indebtedness, which said Bonds and Bond Sale Certificates of Indebtedness shall in turn be paid by general assessment upon all of the taxable property and persons within the City of Rensselaer, all in the manner provided by law.

SECTION IV. For the advertisement by the Clerk of this Common Council in the official paper of the City of Rensselaer for sealed proposals, for the sale and delivery of said dump truck, to be submitted to this Common Council by delivery to said Clerk at or before the opening of the regular meeting to be held *Oct: 7* ~~September 16~~, 1936.

Dated, September 2nd, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

CORPORATION COUNSEL.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. WOOBKAMP	✓	
J. INSTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

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Dated, September 2nd, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

CORPORATION COUNSEL.

CITY OF RENSSELAER N.Y.

SPECIFICATIONS AND PROPOSALS FOR DUMP TRUCK for the DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS issued by the City Engineer. City Hall, City of Rensselaer N.Y.

Contract Period: Prompt Delivery

Date of bid Opening _____ 1936

Time of Bid Opening; 8.00 P.M. Daylight saving Time

Bid of; _____
Address; _____

NOTICE

Pursuant to resolution passed by the Common Council of the City of Rensselaer, N.Y. _____ 1936, sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk at his office in the City Hall, Rensselaer N.Y. for furnishing one (1) 1½ Ton Dump Truck.

Proposals must be executed in accordance with, and subject to the attached instructions and specifications. Forms will be furnished on request.

REQUIREMENTS

- 1 Only one copy of bid is required.
- 2 None of these sheets are to be detached.
- 3 Bids must be submitted on these forms.
- 4 Certified check, or cash for 5% of the total amount of the proposal must accompany bid.
Failure to comply with this requirement may result in rejection of bid.
- 5 Bids received later than the date and time specified will not be considered.
- 6 Amendments or withdrawals of bids received later than date and time of bid opening will not be considered.

It is understood and agreed that the signing of this proposal embraces all of the provisions and requirements of these specifications and attached proposals sheets

The undersigned agrees to allow cash discount as Follows.
For payment within ten days of delivery at destination _____ %
For payment within thirty days of delivery at destination _____ %

(Cash discount will not be considered in determining low bidder but will be taken into consideration in awarding tie bids)

Signature of bidder _____

(This proposal must be signed by individual as proprietor. both partners in partnership or authorized officer of corporation)

Owing to the difficulty in deciphering signatures, please insert below typewritten copy of signature...

INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS

The bidder must submit with bid, detailed specifications of equipment he proposes to furnish. If equipment offered differs from the provisions contained in these specifications, such differences must be explained in detail. Such bids will receive careful consideration, if such deviations do not depart from the intent of the specifications and are to the best interest of the City.

Equipment similar to that furnished must have been manufactured for a period of at least one year last passed. The unit delivered must be guaranteed against faulty materials and workmanship for the standard period of _____ from date of delivery. If required, the bidder agrees as a condition of award that he will sign and execute a proper agreement to cover this guarantee.

In connection with bid, bidder is required to guarantee the City discount that will be allowed from current list price on repair parts during the life of the equipment.

Proposals from manufacturers in bankruptcy or in the hands of receivers or their authorized agents shall be considered only when the bidder can satisfactorily prove that the manufacturer will not discontinue production. This restriction is necessary to insure the availability of a source of replacement parts during the life of the equipment.

QUANTITY

Quantities specified are units and the actual quantities of proposed purchase. Proposal must be submitted on the attached proposal blank. It is understood and agreed that the signing of this proposal embraces all of the provisions and requirements of the specifications and attached proposal sheets.

TAX

The City of Rensselaer is exempt from payment of taxes imposed by the Federal Government and/or the State of New York. Such taxes must not be included in bid price.

PROPOSAL AND PRICE

Price quoted shall include delivery of new equipment, all transportation charges prepaid to the point of delivery designated by the City Engineer, fully equipped as indicated under "General" of the specifications, and ready for operation.

To protect the interests of the City, bidders must guarantee that the equipment offered is standard new equipment, latest model of regular stock product, with parts regularly used for the type of equipment offered; that such parts are all in production and none likely to be discontinued; also that no attachment or part has been substituted or applied contrary to manufacturers recommendations and standard practice.

GUARANTEED DATE OF DELIVERY

Equipment is required as soon as possible and guaranteed date of delivery may be taken into consideration in making award.

AWARD OF CONTRACT

Award of bid will be made on the most advantageous bid, on a quality versus price basis, taking into consideration the responsibility of the bidder, and the materials, supplies or equipment deemed to be best adapted to the uses of the using agencies. Proper consideration will be given to modern accepted practice, engineering design, efficiency and workmanship, safety features, performance records, maintenance costs, serviceability and other pertinent data.

DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed specifications, circulars and all necessary data shall accompany each proposal.

REJECTION OF BID

The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids

PATENTED ARTICLES

The contractor shall hold and save the City, its officers and agents harmless from liability of any nature or kind for or on account of the use of any copyrighted or uncopyrighted composition, secret process, patented or unpatented invention, article or appliance furnished or used in the fulfillment of the contract.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR TRUCK FOR DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

GENERAL

The Truck shall be a 6 or 8 cylinder 1936 model 1½ Ton Dump Body Truck. It shall be equipped with front bumper, tool box, complete set of tools, tire pump, jack, spare tire with rim and tire carrier, pressure grease gun, automatic windshield wiper, electric horn, rear vision mirror, front and rear license brackets and gasoline gauge. Instrument board to have standard instruments including cooling water hear indicator, speedometer, ammeter, oil gauge, dash light and ignition and lighting switches. Electric lighting and starting system complete to be furnished including combination stop and tail light and headlights. Windshield and all windows shall be of shatterproof glass.

QUALIFICATION OF BIDDER

No bid will be considered unless the person or persons submitting the bid can meet the following conditions.

Evidence to be submitted with bid:

- (a) That it is bidding on a stock model truck which meets the requirements of the specifications without material changes or modifications and which is regularly advertised and sold.
- (b) That the manufacturer has in operation at the time of bidding a service station in this City or within a radius of 10 miles, equipped with machinery, tools, appliances and trained organization for making complete repairs and overhaul of its make of truck.
- (c) That it has in operation at the time of bidding a service station within reasonable distance of the using agent, equipped with spare parts, not assembled, which can be furnished within twenty-four hours.

The truck shall be the latest improved standard model of the manufacturer and the name and model of the equipment shall be entered on the proposal which shall be accompanied by specifications and catalogue showing equipment bid upon.

Dimensions of all parts shall be in accordance with standards adopted by the Society of Automotive Engineers.

Where any parts of the equipment is not described it shall be understood that what is usually incorporated in the manufacturers stock model is to be furnished.

REAR WHEELS Rear Wheels shall be dual type.

TIRES Tires shall be 32x6 8 ply Goodyear or Firestone heavy duty all around.

DUMP BODY AND HOIST The Dump Body shall be a Gar Wood, C 12c 2 Cu Yd. Body with D 6 Hydraulic Hoist or equal.

TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

The truck shall be equipped with reflectors and other devices as required by law. Tools and standard and special equipment shall be as listed on the proposal and in these specifications.

DESCRIPTION Bidders shall furnish complete general specifications and descriptive literature on equipment on which bid is submitted.

PAINT The truck shall be painted battleship gray with the words "CITY OF RENSSELAER" D. P. W. lettered neatly on each cab door.

REAR AXLE The rear axle shall be of the dual performance or two speed type

GUARANTEE

The bidder shall guarantee that the equipment offered is standard new equipment latest model of regular stock product with parts regularly used for the type of vehicle offered; that such parts are all in production and none likely to be discontinued; also that no attachment or part has been substituted or applied contrary to manufacturers recommendations and standard practice, and that the manufacturers standard **ninety day** guaranty against defects in design, materials or workmanship applies on all equipment delivered to the City. The manufacturer must guarantee service gratis within the **ninety (90) day** by his authorized representatives. Equipment is required as soon as possible and guaranteed date of delivery will be taken into consideration in making the award.

PROPOSAL

Department of Public Works

Price Delivered
all charges prepaid

Item

One 1½ Ton Truck with
Wood, C12 model 2 Cu Yd.
Dump Body with D 6 Hoist,
or equal, two speed rear
axle, Dual rear wheels
32x6 8 ply Goodyear or
Firestone heavy duty tires
Painted as set forth in
specifications

Guaranteed Date of Delivery

Allowance for payment within 10 days of delivery _____

Allowance for payment within 30 days of delivery _____

Name of Manufacturer _____

Place of Manufacture _____

Model _____

Discount from list price on repair parts _____

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO TABULATE BIDS FOR
THE PURCHASE OF TOP SOIL FOR VAN RENSSELAER PARK

We, the undersigned members of the committee this day appointed to tabulate bids this day submitted for supplying top soil for use in the construction of the pending W; P.A. Improvement at the Van Rensselaer Park in accordance with the advertisement for sealed proposals, hereby respectfully report ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ that we have tabulated said bids as follows:

Bidder	unit price	total
John J. Dunn	\$1.35	\$405.00

We, hereby further respectfully report that we find the bid of the said John J. Dunn in the aforesaid amount to be the lowest resposable bid submitted and respectfully reccommend award of a suitable contract to said bidder.

Dated Sept. 17, 1936

Committee

Joseph J. Distell
Dawhalin
Geo. A. Hayward

450

By Alderman Distell

Resolved, That the report of the committee this day made and filed in relation to the proposed purchase of 300 yards of top soil for use in connection with the completion of the Van Rensselaer Park Improvement in conjunction with the present W.P.A. project be received and filed; and be it further

Resolved that the contract for furnishing

~~THE~~ 300 yards of top soil in accordance with the proposal referred to in the annexed report and with the specifications heretofore adopted in connection therewith be and the same hereby is awarded to John J. Dunn in the sum of \$405.00; and that the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized and directed to enter into such contract on behalf of the city of Rensselaer; and be it further

Resolved, That the expense of purchasing the aforesaid materials be defrayed out of the funds heretofore authorized to be raised by the issuance and sale of certificates of indebtedness in connection with said improvement, there being a sufficient unencumbered balance now remaining in said fund.

Dated Sept. 17, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency.

[Signature]
Corporation Counsel

ALDERMEN		AYES	NOES
T. CLARK		✓	
G. HAYFORD		✓	
W. HOOEKAMP		✓	
J. DISTELL		✓	
D. WHALEN		✓	
F. RAYMOND		✓	
REDDEN		✓	
F. WHISH		✓	
E. WAUGH		✓	
W. PRATT		✓	
TOTAL			

JOHN J. DUNN
GENERAL CONTRACTOR

RENSELAER, N. Y., *Sept. 16, 1936.*

City of Rensselaer

Attention: George Haynes, Engineer

I hereby agree to furnish and deliver approximately 300 cu. yd. top soil at Rensselaer

300 cu. yd. top soil @ \$1.35 per cu. yd. \$405.00

John J. Dunn

*Walter
D. Steel
Haynes*

Mr. Henry Meurs. given privilege of floor spoke of hardship of having received Bid on Eastland Park Materials April 1936. He had to pay the bill within 30 days and this has been held since this time. Asks if it meets with approval of board to pay at this time. Is willing to post a bond to cover the bond.

#45

Ald. Whalen would refer to Finance Com.
 Waugh amend to include Law Com.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

Leo

so that there won't be any misunderstanding on the kaufman matter
it would be well to state that the reference to the wicke' s Act
which appeared in your letter was an error. The Wickes act has no
appliance to WPA. I referred to the act under which we raised
money for WPA

Leo

Old Pratt. moved

That City Eng' be authorized & directed
to repair holes in Reverside Ave south of
Port Property. also between Gen Amirie Property
& Port Property.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOBKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. PAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WIRSH	✓	
E. WAUGH	✓	
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

Whalen
adjourn.