

CITY OF RENSSELAER
IN
COMMON COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY EVENING *Oct 7* 1936

REGULAR MEETING

The council convened at *8:45* o'clock P. M. and was called to order by Pres. Clark.

The roll being called the following answered to their name.

Pres Clark.

Alderman Hayford
Hoogkamp
Distell
Whalen

Alderman Raymond
Redden ~~Livingston~~
Whish
Waugh

Alderman Pratt

Alderman *Raymond* 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

Received & filed.

Charity Commissioners report

Police report

Received and filed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS
REMONSTRANCES AND COMMUNICATIONS

PRESENTATION OF ACCOUNTS

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

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The auditing committee reports the following bills correct.

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

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

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

Minutes adopted as printed subject to corrections carried.

Moved by Alderman Raymond that Committee on tabulation of beds on roller be discharged and a new committee appointed to tabulate same 2nd by Pratt

Alderman Raymond
Pratt
Hayford

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. HAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOBKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL		✓
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND	✓	
REDDEN	✓	
F. WHISH		✓
E. WAUGH		
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL	7	2

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

Hoobkamp moved a committee of three be appointed to tabulate bed on 1 1/2 ton truck

Committee Whalen
Redden
Whish

Pratt moved that a committee be appointed to open underpass on Aiken Ave crossing so same can be used for passage. 2nd Redden

Committee Pratt.

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

Moved by [unclear] seconded by Pratt that

TRIAL BALANCE

REPORT FOR MONTH OF August 1936

Current Cash			
City & School Tax	406,329 .64		
State & County Tax	101,578 .41		
Tax Arrears			
Due County Treasurer	107,976 .32		
Estimated Revenues	184,958 .29		
Reserve for Arrears			
Current Revenues		107,976 .32	
Current Appropriations		929 .54	
Reserve for Unappropriated Revenues		605,201 .00	
		86,735 .80	
	800,842 .66	800,842 .66	
Assessment Cash			
" Receivable	6,979 .61		
" Interest on Loans	4,958 .26		
" Loans			
" Revenues		16,900 .00	
" Surplus		3 .34	
Old Granite Block Asst.	5,673 .76		
Reserve for Assessment Arrears	24,212 .01		
		24,920 .30	
	41,823 .64	41,823 .64	
Capital Cash			
City Properties	7,161 .11		
Public Improvement	1,476,800 .00		
Capital Appropriation	796,725 .93		
Authorized Construction		5,493 .91	
Temporary Loans	20,919 .50		
Reserve for Capital Obligations		20,919 .40	
Interest on Savings		2,389 .54	
Capital Loans		669 .01	
Capital Surplus		1,165,900 .00	
		1,106,234 .58	
	2,301,606 .44	2,301,606 .44	
Trust Cash			
Tax Sale Redemption	10,667 .67		
Charity Trust		1,842 .78	
Contractors Retainers' Fees		357 .44	
		8,467 .45	
	10,667 .67	10,667 .67	

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

Katherine B Sanderson
CITY TREASURER

Received & filed

CASH REPORT

AUGUST
1936

Balance on hand	\$110,743.08
Receipts for	359,806.22
Payments	470,549.30
	<u>399,411.27</u>
	431,138.03
Balance on hand General Fund Rensselaer County Bank	344,050.53
Tax Sale Redemption No. ### 16806	1,842.78
City Bonds Acct. No. 6326	19,510.19
Trust Cash Acct. No. 6847	357.44
1927 Curbing Acct. No. 10255	10.84
1928 Curbing Acct. No. 10568	158.77
1929 Curbing Acct. No. 11162	156.13
1930 Curbing Acct. No. 12812	215.57
1931 Curbing Acct. No. 13342	221.22
Refunding Reserve No. 12754	9,223.11
Capital Reserve No. 11601	974.29
Miscellaneous Funds No. 10781	38,485.88
Contractors Retainers No. 12440	8,467.45
Cash on hand, City and School	1,366.86
Cash on hand, State and County	120.21
School Fund Saving No. 12845	509.10
Special Checking W. P. A.	2,668.14
" "	2,799.52
	<u>\$431,138.03</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Katherine B. Sanderson
City Treasurer

Received & filed

CASH REPORT

~~September~~ 1936

Balance on hand	Sept 1, 1936		\$ 431,138.03
Receipts for	Sept		26,794.93
			457,932.96
Payments			50,304.99
			\$ 407,627.97
Balance on hand General Fund Rensselaer County Bank			300,350.44
Tax Sale Redemption No. 11950 # 16806			1,842.78
City Bonds Acct. No. 6326			19,510.19
Trust Cash Acct. No. 6847			357.44
1927 Curbing Acct. No. 10255			10.84
1928 Curbing Acct. No. 10568			158.77
1929 Curbing Acct. No. 11162			156.13
1930 Curbing Acct. No. 12812			215.57
1931 Curbing Acct. No. 13342			221.22
Refunding Reserve No. 12754			9,223.11
Capital Reserve No. 11601			974.29
Miscellaneous Funds No. 10781			56,997.57
Contractors Retainers No. 12440			7,314.17
Cash on hand, City and School			4,318.51
1935 curbing #16189			120.21
Cash on hand, State and County			
School Fund Saving No. 12845			509.10
Special Checking			2,799.52
"	"	W.P.A.	2,548.11
			\$ 407,627.97

Respectfully submitted,

Katherine Sanderson
City Treasurer

Received & filed

MONTHLY REPORT

OF THE

Chief of Police.

Rensselaer, N. Y., September 19 36

To the Police Commissioners of the City of Rensselaer :

Number of Persons Arrested,	27
Number of Prisoners Fined,	6
Number of Prisoners sent to Jail,	3
Number of Prisoners sent to House of Refuge,	
Number of Cases not Disposed of,	3
Number of Prisoners held for Grand Jury,	
Number of Prisoners Discharged,	4
Number of Prisoners turned over to Officers out of town,	1
Number of Prisoners on which Sentence was Suspended,	10
Number of Prisoners sent to Penitentiary,	
Number of Persons sent to State Institutions,	
Number of Persons sent to Humane Society,	

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Amount of Fines Collected by City Judge, - - -	\$ 40.00
Total Collected by City Judge, - - -	\$
Grand Total, - - - - -	\$ 40.00

Richard S. Goode

Chief of Police.

Received and filed



WILLIAM T. WRIGHT
MAYOR

CITY of RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

THE MAYOR

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

September 28th, 1936

The Common Council and
The City Clerk
Rensselaer, New York

Gentlemen:

In order to avoid any misunderstanding, I do hereby veto and return resolution No. 451 by Alderman Whalen providing for the appointment of an Acting City Clerk. The resolution is defective for the reason that there has been no appropriation made for the payment of the salary of \$150.00 per month provided for the newly created position.

I would also point out that your Council under the Charter as it now exists has no authority to appoint a deputy City Clerk and any assistant appointed at this time must necessarily limit his duties to merely clerical work.

Pending the proper appointment of an assistant to serve in this department during Mr. Younghan's illness, I have arranged for the other city officers to keep the office open and perform the routine clerical duties.

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

7 ✓

WTW/F

Very truly yours,

William T. Wright

*Motion by Raymond be passed over
mayor veto 2nd Hoogkamp.*



WILLIAM T. WRIGHT
MAYOR

CITY of RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

THE MAYOR

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

September 28, 1936

The Common Council and
The City Clerk
Rensselaer, New York

Gentlemen:

Kindly be advised that I hereby veto and return resolution No. 439 introduced by Alderman Whalen, which resolution purports to authorize the City Clerk to contract for certain insurance coverage. This resolution, as has been already pointed out to your body, is contrary to the provisions of the Charter and is therefore illegal.

Very truly yours,

William T. Wright

WTW/F

*Motion by Raymond 2nd by Hoogkamp
resolution be passed over mayor's veto*

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. HAYFORD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
W. HOOBKAMP	<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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. PRATT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL		



GEORGE E. HAYNES
CITY ENGINEER

CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF
THE CITY ENGINEER
RENSSELAER, N. Y.

Oct 7th, 1936.

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

Gentlemen:

I have omitted the name of G. Herbert Mallet from the street department payroll this time. I pointed out in a recent communication that this mans name could be carried only temporarily.

Thereis, today, I believe, an item of some \$900.00 in the surplus funds account. I have asked that an transfer resolution for this amount be prepared.

If this resolution is not to be passed at this time the time of this man will have to be cared for on the street payroll. This amounts to 144 hours @ \$0.75 totaling \$108.00.

Very truly yours,

George E. Haynes.
City Engineer.

Received & filed



GEORGE E. HAYNES
CITY ENGINEER

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CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF
THE CITY ENGINEER
RENSSELAER, N. Y.

October 7, 1936.

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

Gentlemen:-

I submit herewith a report of work done by the
Department of Public Works for the month of September,
1936.

I realize that this report is more or less incomplete
in its present form, but after we get a system of keeping
track of all data, in working order, a much more comprehensive
report will be possible.

Very truly yours,

George E. Haynes
City Engineer.

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GEORGE E. HAYNES
CITY ENGINEER

CITY OF RENSSELAER

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THE CITY ENGINEER
RENSSELAER, N. Y.

October 7, 1936.

REPORT OF WORK IN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1936.

<u>Street Repairs</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Labor</u>	<u>Material</u>
	Lansing Place	\$341.80	\$123.88
	3rd Ave., 4th Ave., Aiken Ave.		
	Mc Naughton Ave. , Broadway		
	John St., Lawrence St., Washington St.		
	High St., Riverside Ave., Central Ave.		
<u>Sewer Repairs</u>	<u>Location</u>	135.10	23.31
	Washington Ave., Washington St., Columbia St.		
<u>Cleaning Catch Basins and Sewers</u>		492.65	4.00
	Fourth Ave., East St., Adams St., Willow St., Third Ave., Second Ave., Washington St., Green St., Broadway, Pine St., Third St., Academy St., Walker St., Aiken Ave., Herrick St., Lawrence St., Dubuque St., Elm St., Washington Ave., St. John's Church.		
<u>Cutting Grass</u>		137.00	
	High St., Grove St., Second Ave., East St. Adams St., South St., Aiken Ave., Rensselaer St., Cambridge Ave., Walker St., Central Ave., Broadway, Fowler Ave., Willow St., Fourth Ave., First Ave., Washington Ave.		
<u>Street Sweeping</u>		202.40	
	260 miles of streets		
<u>Grading, Oiling and Sanding Streets</u>		410.63	77.58
	Second St., Walker St., Ring St., Glenn St., Aiken Ave., Birch St., Grove St., Washington St., Thomas St., Fifth St., John St., East St. Park, Lindbergh Ave., Central Ave.,		
<u>New Construction</u>		135.36	26.23
	Lawrence St., -Gutter Basin & Gutter Wilson St., -Gutter Basin & Gutter		



GEORGE E. HAYNES
CITY ENGINEER

CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF
THE CITY ENGINEER
RENSSELAER, N. Y.

D. P. W. REPORT Cont. Oct. 7, 1936

<u>City Buildings</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Labor</u>	<u>Material</u>
		\$ 68.20	\$ 40.95
	Cleaning Firehouse heating plants, Repairs No. 3, No. 1, City Hall Police Headquarters.		
<u>City Departments</u>		75.80	1.00
	Election Dept., Fire Dept., Cleaning Hose		
<u>Painting</u>		91.35	27.46
	Dump Signs, Street & Curb painting etc.		
<u>Equipment & Repairs</u>			
<u>D. P. W.</u>		118.40	
	Equipment of D. P. W.		
<u>Equipment (Other Depts)</u>		75.00	
	Police & Fire Depts.		
<u>Playground Equipment & Repair</u>		17.80	
	Repairing & Storing Equipment		

Received and filed



MELVIN H. SMITH
WELFARE COMMISSIONER

CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

WELFARE COMMISSIONER

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

1936
October
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Honorable President and
Members of Board of Alderman,
Rensselaer, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Regarding the resolution of Alderman Raymond which was passed at your last regular meeting, directing the Commissioner of Welfare to furnish your honorable body with a list of all men receiving relief.

I referred your resolution to the State TERA, a copy of whose reply is attached. I wish to cooperate with your honorable body and will be more than glad to go over the records of this office with each of you individually or collectively, but I feel that it is not fair to anyone who has had to apply for relief to have his name read off at a public meeting.

Alderman Distell upon a visit to my office went over the records pertaining to his particular ward and ascertained to his satisfaction that every employable member on relief in his ward is on, or has been assigned to W.P.A. I assure you that every courtesy will be shown any member of your honorable body who wishes to do likewise.

Yours very truly,

Melvin H. Smith
Melvin H. Smith,
Welfare Commissioner

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CITY OF RENSSELAER

OFFICE OF

WELFARE COMMISSIONER

RENSSELAER, N. Y.

MELVIN H. SMITH
WELFARE COMMISSIONER

September 19, 1936.

Mr. Melvin H. Smith,
Commissioner Public Welfare,
929 Broadway,
Rensselaer, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Smith:

This is in reply to your letter of September 18th in which you ask for an opinion concerning the request of the Board of Alderman that the list of men on home relief be submitted to them.

For your guidance in this matter we are submitting herewith a copy of a legal opinion prepared by Mr. Henry Epstein, Solicitor General, State of New York, under date of April 12, 1935.

Mr. Epstein's opinion clearly indicates that the members of the legislative body are entitled to information concerning the conduct of the Department of Public Welfare. The ruling states that "information respecting the receipt of public relief shall be considered confidential and shall be disclosed only at meetings of the legislative body.....".

In your letter you state that the meetings of the Board of Aldermen are public meetings. I feel confident that the Aldermen in your city would not disclose information concerning individual relief clients in one of their public meetings inasmuch as such action would be distinctly contrary to the intent of the law, which clearly emphasizes the confidential character of the records.

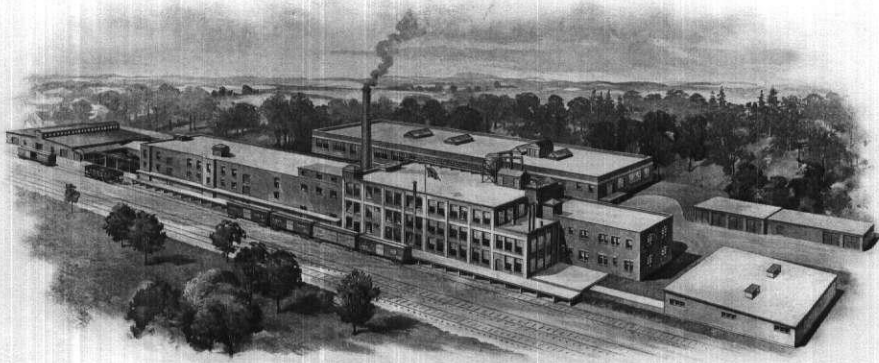
It is considered to be an unwise practice to present "lists" of relief clients to any one because a list is a tangible thing which can be carried about and unintentionally may reach the hands of persons for whom it was not intended.

I would advise that you inform your Board of Aldermen that they may confer with you and if necessary go over your records but that you think it distinctly inadvisable to give them a list.

Very truly yours,

Alden E. Bevier,
District Director

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Enc.



HENRY B. BARNET, PRES. & TREAS.
CHARLES M. STERN, VICE PRES.
F. EDWARD GUYETT, SECY.

ESTABLISHED 1898
CABLE ADDRESS
"BARNET-ALBANY"

MILLS AT RENSSELAER, N. Y.

WILLIAM BARNET & SON, INC.

MANUFACTURERS OF

REWORKED WOOLS

AND

Rayon · GARNETTED STOCKS · *Worsted*

ALBANY, N. Y.

October 7, 1936.

The Common Council,
Rensselaer, N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

It is quite possible we may want to expand our plant and with this idea in mind, we are asking you to offer for sale a small portion of the land north of the building erected by us in 1929, in accordance with a drawing to be submitted by Mr. Orvis, and we will be very glad if you can do this very promptly.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM BARNET & SON, INC.

Henry B. Barnett
President.

HBB:RU

Received & filed

MAIN OFFICE
1489 BROADWAY
RENSSELAER, N.Y.
TELEPHONE 5-2455
TROY TELEPHONE 5370
AVERILL PARK - ENTERPRISE 9750
CASTLETON - ENTERPRISE 9750

W. YATES LANSING

ESTABLISHED 1900

"EVERYTHING TO BUILD ANYTHING"

And Fuel to Heat it



September 23, 1936

LUMBER

A FULL LINE FROM ROUGH DIMENSION TO FINEST FLOORS AND FINISHES.

MILLWORK

A FULL LINE OF DOORS, WINDOWS AND TRIM.

MASON'S SUPPLIES

CEMENT, PLASTER, PLASTER BOARDS AND WALL BOARDS OF ALL SIZES. LIME.

HARDWARE

BUILDERS' HARDWARE OF EVERY KIND THAT GOES IN ANY BUILDING.

PAINTS

A FULL LINE OF OUTSIDE AND INSIDE GLOSS, FLAT ENAMELS, STAINS, VARNISHES, OIL, TURPENTINE, ETC.

ROOFING

ASBESTOS SHINGLES, ALL COLORS AND STYLES.
ASPHALT SHINGLES, ALL COLORS AND STYLES.
WOOD SHINGLES IN FOUR GRADES. IN PLAIN AND STAINED.
METAL ROOFING, THREE STYLES
ROLL ROOFING, ALL WEIGHTS AND STYLES.

FARM REQUIREMENTS

FERTILIZER, ALL GRADES; NITRATES, LAND LIME.
FARM AND POULTRY FENCES.

FUEL

HARD AND SOFT COAL, COKE, FIREPLACE AND KINDLING WOOD.

FEED

FOR EVERY ANIMAL ON THE FARM.

City of Rensselaer,
Rensselaer, N. Y.

Attention Acting City Clerk

Dear Sir:

I am informed that the City thru one of its Government projects is about to resurface Washington Avenue and that no provision has been made to take care of surface water from the street.

As building has progressed and is progressing along Washington Avenue the property owners are using every precaution naturally to turn all surface water from their properties fading the street into the street and this is causing a great volume of water at time of storms to rush down over my property on both sides of Washington Ave. which has caused me much expense and damage.

I have made no complaint nor claimed any damage costs to you, thinking of course at the time of improving the street that adequate provision would be made to take care of the situation.

At this time I therefore petition you that this matter be taken care of, and suggest that possibly a few man hole at low portions of the road might take care of it. As you undoubtedly know the City, at considerable expense made provision in the sewer system to take care of this condition.

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RENSSELAER, N.Y.
TELEPHONE 5-2455
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FEED

FOR EVERY ANIMAL ON THE FARM.

Please be further advised that if some provision is not made to take care of this surface water and it is disposed of by the City over my property, which is the present method, I shall feel forced to bring action against the City to recover damages to my property.

Very truly yours,

W. Yates Lansing

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Copy to City Engineer Geo. Haynes.

*Raymond
referred to City Engineer's
report next regular meeting*

Rensselaer, N.Y. Sept., 23-1936.

Mr. Wm. Wright

Hon. Mayor, City of Renss.

Also Hon. Board of Alderman
City of Renss.

Dear Sir

Referring to my letter of July 15th giving you detail and data, I appealed to you to please take action on Mr. Jos. Heffernan who is unlawfully obstructing and blocking off a Public Thoroughfare (LOVE ST.) with a large building and obstructions and barricades which he knowingly and wilfully built out on this street the full width of this street which closes up this street entirely for his own use and purpose.

Up to this present date he still has this street completely blocked off unlawfully. Will you please take action and compell him and his unlawfull blockades to be removed from this street immediately.

Yours Truly

Mr. & Mrs. John M. Colbert

1490 - Fourth St.

Rensselaer, N.Y.

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Rensselaer, N.Y. Oct, 7th, 1936

Mr. Wm. Wright, Hon. Mayor City of Renss. N.Y.
Also Mr. Clark Hon. Pres. Board of Alderman
Also Hon. Board of Alderman

Dear Sir

Referring to my previous letters appealing to you to please take action on Mr. Jos. Heffernan who is unlawfully obstructing and closing up a public thoroughfare (LOVE ST.) with a large Chicken house and barricades built on this street the full width and planting back of it and still further over on the south side on other peoples taped property and closing up this street entirely for his own use and purpose and by causing all this unlawfulness it causes a public nuisance which is a fire hazard menace with all these unlawfull obstructions in the way and also a menace to public health with this stinken Chicken house and manure within the City limits and if any person or property is injured by this unlawfulness it lays the City responsible and wide open for liability and it also devaluates or depreciates our property and prevents me from

(2)
Building a 2 car garage in the rear of my house and coming to and from this garage to this street which I have a perfect right to do. I have my lawful permit to build this garage since June 4th which all this unlawfulness is preventing me from doing and coming out upon this street.

The Hon Mayor personally saw all these unlawfull conditions but evidently dont seem to correct them or enforce the law, I spoke to the Mayor personally on several occasions and also wrote to him on May 18th, also May 25th, also June 7th, also June 25th. The Mayor kept telling he had the Corp. Council serve legal papers upon Mr. Hifferman to vacate but he is still there showing no evidence of ever having any legal papers served upon him - up to the present time and since May 18th.

I appeal to you all as an honorable body and also you as the proper authority to please take action and have this unlawfulness corrected and please have this man and his public nuisances removed at your earliest convenience.

Yours Truly
Mr & Mrs John M. Albert
1495 - Fourth St.
Rensselaer, N.Y.

Report of the committee of Elizabeth Coons

We, The undersigned committee this day appointed to investigate the petition of Elizabeth Coons owner of the premises described as 44 Col. St. for permission to erect a tank and pump 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.

Pratt
Brookcamp
Hayford

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By Alderman; Hayford

Resolved; That the annexed report of the committee dated _____ in relation to the petition to investigate the petition of Elizabeth Coons as owner of the premises described as 44 Col. St. for permission to erect a tank and pump upon said premises be and the same is hereby received and the recommendations therein contained be and the same are adopted.

Dated _____ 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Corp. Council

Com investigate above petition
Pratt Brookcamp Hayford

Prepared in accordance with Section 4, part 2, of the Building Code. To be filled out and submitted in duplicate.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS—CITY OF RENSSELAER

Rensselaer, N. Y. *Aug. 27, 1934*

To the Commissioner of Assessment and Taxation:

For Erection of Porches, Piazzas and Repairs.

Application is hereby made, as per detailed statement, of the specifications and plans for the erection of

*Gasoline Pump and 1000 gal tank
in yard Pump between sidewalk and
curb.*

building as required by the Building Code of the city of Rensselaer and submit for approval the following plans and detailed statement of the specifications, also plat plans, for such proposed structure, and.....do

hereby certify and agree that all provisions of the Building Code will be strictly complied with in the erection of saidwhether the same are specified herein or not.

(Signature of person filing) *Elizabeth Coons*

Name of Owner..... Address.....

Name of Architect..... Address.....

Location

Porches and piazzas: Feet front.....; feet deep.....; feet high.....;

Size of posts.....; Size of cross sills.....;

Floor timbers, size of.....; distance on centers.....; Roof rafters, size of.....; distance

on centers.....; Ceiling timbers, size of.....; distance on centers.....; Of what will

foundation be built.....; State kind of roofing materials

.....; Pipe columns, size of.....; How protected

How will cross sills be anchored at first story level.....

This is to certify that the within detailed statement of specifications and copies of plans relating thereto have been examined and are hereby approved.

Commissioner of Assessment and Taxation.

Ward 1 Block 227 Plot 44

Department of Public Safety

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BUREAU OF BUILDINGS

City of Rensselaer

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DETAILED STATEMENTS

For the

Erection of PUMP 1000 GAL TANK

Plan No. _____

Location

44 COLUMBIA ST.

Owner ELIZABETH DOONS.

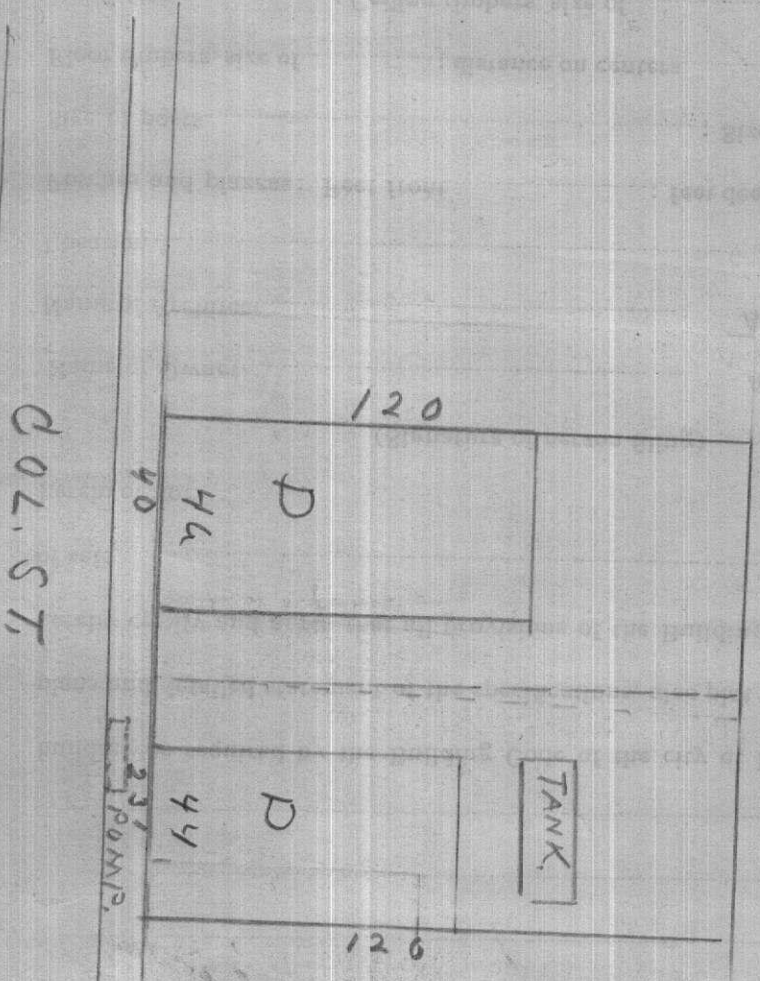
Architect _____

Carpenter _____

Mason _____

Estimated Cost _____

Report _____ favorably _____



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

The petition of Elizabeth Coons respectfully shows;

That the petitioner is the owner of premises located at No. 44 Col. St. in the City of Rensselaer N.Y. Blk. 227 Plot 46 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 South side of Col. St. in the First Ward.

That the petitioner is desirous of erecting _____ 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.

Elizabeth Coons

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

Elizabeth Coons 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
27 day of Aug. 1936

Elizabeth Coons

Charles S. Finkle

Commissioner of Deeds City of Rensselaer

Sept 16 1936

Alderman Hayford, a minority member of committee requested report of majority members on this petition.

Alderman Pratt asked if it were not true that the petitioner ran a saloon and asked that petition be given further consideration. Hayford reported that they were going to give up this business.

Pratt requested to lay on table until the time when the saloon was given up.

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN WHISH,

RESOLVED, That this Common Council do and it hereby does declare its intention of completing the improvement hereinafter referred to, in conjunction with the Works Progress Administration, and of defraying the cost of said improvement by the sale of bonds, and pending the issuance of said bonds, by the issuance and sale of temporary certificates of indebtedness in the manner provided by law as follows:

<u>Description of Improvement</u>	<u>Total Estimated Cost</u>	<u>Contribution City's Contri-</u>
concrete gutters on both sides and two gutter basins, rebuild roadway with gravel, crushed stone asphaltic oil, penetration method, for a distance of 900, more or less, on Barnet Road from Forbes Avenue north.	\$19,804.63	\$6,956.33;

and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized to sponsor the annexed project proposal, etc., and the City Treasurer to certify that the city's contribution will be available as and when needed.

Dated, September 2nd, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

CORPORATION COUNSEL

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

Whish - Waugh laid on table

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN WHISH,

WHEREAS, The City of Rensselaer did heretofore purchase and acquire from the Forbes Realty Company certain lands, including the parcel hereinafter described, which said premises are not now necessary and of particular benefit to the City of Rensselaer; and,

WHEREAS, William C. Barnet and Son, Inc., has requested that the City of Rensselaer offer those premises, hereinafter described, for sale at public auction; and,

WHEREAS, It appears advisable and to the best interests of the City of Rensselaer that it offer to sell and dispose by quitclaiming, all its right, title and interest in and to those premises more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the northerly property and boundary line of the lands of William Barnet and Son and the easterly line of the Barnet Road and runs from thence northerly and along the easterly line of the Barnet Road distant Three Hundred (300') feet to a point, thence easterly and at right angles with the easterly line of the Barnet Road distant Seventy-five (75') feet to a point, thence southerly and at right angles with the last mentioned line and parallel with the easterly line of the Barnet Road distant Two Hundred and ninety-three and seventy-seven one hundredths (293.77') to a point on the northerly property and boundary line of the lands of William Barnet and Son, thence westerly along the northerly property and boundary line of William Barnet and Son and with an included angle on the parcel conveyed of Ninety-four (94) degrees and forty-five (45) minutes, distant seventy-five and twenty-five one hundredths (75.25') feet to the easterly line of the Barnet Road at the point and place of beginning. The above described parcel of land is the northwesterly portion of a conveyance (25⁺ acres) by the Forbes Realty Company to the City of Rensselaer, N.Y., by a resolution of the Common Council passed June 17th, 1930, and said parcel contains fifty-one one hundredths (0.51) acres, more or less. NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer be and she hereby is authorized and directed to publicly advertise the said premises once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official paper of said City, and to thereafter

proceed to sell the City's interest therein as aforesaid according to law and on the following terms: ten percent of the purchase price at the time of tendering a quitclaim deed of the said interest of the City of Rensselaer as aforesaid by the City Treasurer thereof; no bids less than \$500.00 will be received, and the City Treasurer shall reserve the right to reject and refuse any and all bids as she may deem advisable; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the Mayor of said City be and he hereby is authorized directed and empowered to execute a quitclaim deed as aforesaid, approved by the Corporation Counsel upon the confirmation of said sale by the Common Council.

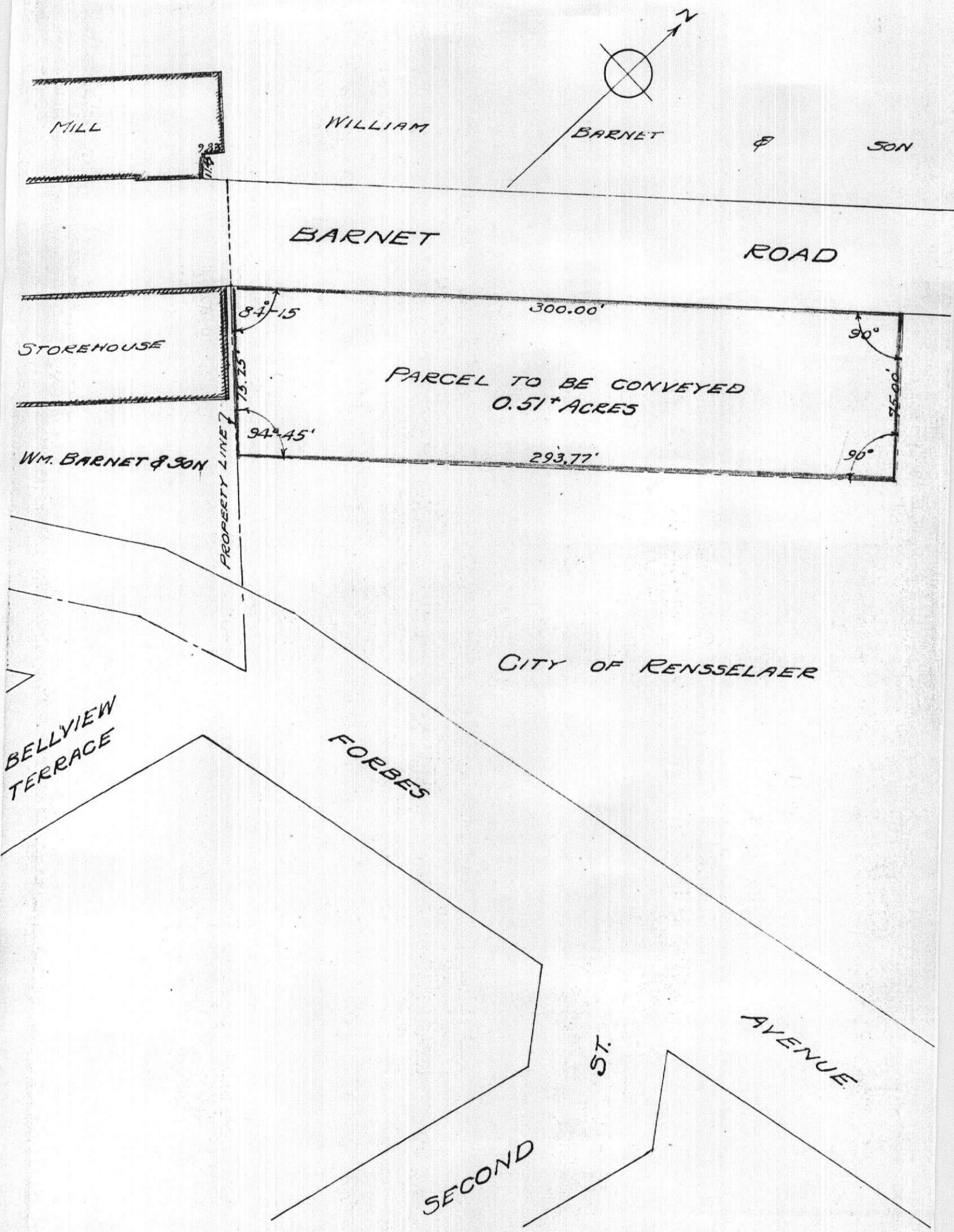
Dated, October 7th, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

William O. ...
 CORPORATION COUNSEL

*Raymond moved for Adaption
 2nd which*

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



MAP SHOWING PARCEL OF LAND ON THE
 EASTERLY SIDE OF THE BARNET ROAD, FROM THE
 WILLIAM BARNET & SON NORTHERLY PROPERTY LINE
 NORTHERLY 300.0 FEET. THIS PARCEL TO BE CON-
 VEYED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A RESOLUTION OF
 THE COMMON COUNCIL, CITY OF RENSSELAER, N.Y.
 PASSED OCTOBER 7, 1936.

MAP SHOWING PARCEL OF LAND ON THE
EASTERLY SIDE OF THE BARNET ROAD, FROM THE
WILLIAM BARNET & SON NORTHERLY PROPERTY LINE
NORTHERLY 300.0 FEET. THIS PARCEL TO BE CON-
VEYED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A RESOLUTION OF
THE COMMON COUNCIL, CITY OF RENSSELAER, N.Y.
PASSED OCTOBER 7, 1936.
THIS PARCEL IS THE NORTHWESTERLY PORTION OF
A CONVEYANCE (25⁺ ACRES) BY THE FORBES REALTY CO.
TO THE CITY OF RENSSELAER, N.Y. BY A RESOLUTION
OF THE COMMON COUNCIL PASSED JUNE 17, 1930.

SCALE 1" = 50'

OCTOBER 6, 1936

MAP BY *John D. Quinn*
N.Y. L.L.B. 1281. & L.S. NO. 1345

RESOLUTION

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BY ALDERMAN Pratt:

WHEREAS, The City of Rensselaer has heretofore duly approved the completion and caused the submission to the Federal Works Progress Administration as a W. P.A. project ^{# 10D.F.W.} the improvement consisting of the Coyne Memorial Athletic Field including the construction of tennis court, fences and bleachers

; and,

WHEREAS, It now appears necessary and advisable that a supplemental project in relation to said improvement be submitted to the said Works Progress Administration, NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to submit to the Works Progress Administration the annexed supplemental project in relation to the aforesaid improvement; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the aforesaid improvement be completed, in accordance with the provisions of the annexed supplemental project, at a total cost of \$ 1269.30 of which the City of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its contribution the sum of \$ 252.50 ; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That there be and there hereby is appropriated the sum of \$ 252.50 for the purpose of defraying the City of Rensselaer's share of the aforesaid improvement as a W.P.A. project pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933, as amended; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination

as the City Charter shall determine, dated October , 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of 4½% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten (10) days notice in writing to the holder thereof; and be it further,


RESOLVED, That said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within the City a tax sufficient for the payment thereof; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That all ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency


CORPORATION COUNSEL.

Said on table next week

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

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN Raymond

WHEREAS, The City of Rensselaer has heretofore duly approved the completion and caused the submission to the Federal Works Progress Administration as a W. P.A. project ^{#16 D.P.W.} the improvement consisting of of the construction of concrete steps along Lawrence Street between Partition and Wilson Streets

; and,

WHEREAS, It now appears necessary and advisable that a supplemental project in relation to said improvement be submitted to the said Works Progress Administration, NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to submit to the Works Progress Administration the annexed supplemental project in relation to the aforesaid improvement; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the aforesaid improvement be completed, in accordance with the provisions of the annexed supplemental project, at a total cost of \$ 1252.20 of which the City of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its contribution the sum of \$ 350.00 ; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That there be and there hereby is appropriated the sum of \$ 350.00 for the purpose of defraying the City of Rensselaer's share of the aforesaid improvement as a W.P.A. project pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933, as amended; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination

as the City Charter shall determine, dated October 15, 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of 4½% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten (10) days notice in writing to the holder thereof; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within the City a tax sufficient for the payment thereof; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That all ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

[Signature]
CORPORATION COUNSEL

*Raymond Adopted
Lond Pratt*

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

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN Whisch

WHEREAS, The City of Rensselaer has heretofore duly approved the completion and caused the submission to the Federal Works Progress Administration as a W. P.A. project^{No. 17} the improvement consisting of the construction of a storm water sewer along Birch, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Ash Streets

; and,

WHEREAS, It now appears necessary and advisable that a supplemental project in relation to said improvement be submitted to the said Works Progress Administration, NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to submit to the Works Progress Administration the annexed supplemental project in relation to the aforesaid improvement; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the aforesaid improvement be completed, in accordance with the provisions of the annexed supplemental project, at a total cost of \$ 3888.80 of which the City of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its contribution the sum of \$ 395.00 ; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That there be and there hereby is appropriated the sum of \$ 395.00 for the purpose of defraying the City of Rensselaer's share of the aforesaid improvement as a W.P.A. project pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933, as amended; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination

as the City Charter shall determine, dated October /5, 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten (10) days notice in writing to the holder thereof; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within the City a tax sufficient for the payment thereof; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That all ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Robert Curtis
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

*Which move adopted
Redden 2nd*

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. HAYFORD	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. HOGKAMP	<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
E. WAUGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. PRATT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL		

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN HOOGHKAMP:

WHEREAS, The City of Rensselaer has heretofore duly approved the completion and caused the submission to the Federal Works Progress Administration as a W. P.A. project ^{#19 DPW} the improvement consisting of the construction of a concrete retaining wall along Mill Creek extending from Second Ave. southerly a distance of approximately 140 feet

; and,

WHEREAS, It now appears necessary and advisable that a supplemental project in relation to said improvement be submitted to the said Works Progress Administration, NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to submit to the Works Progress Administration the annexed supplemental project in relation to the aforesaid improvement; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the aforesaid improvement be completed, in accordance with the provisions of the annexed supplemental project, at a total cost of \$ 1102.20 of which the City of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its contribution the sum of \$ 200.00 ; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That there be and there hereby is appropriated the sum of \$200.00 for the purpose of defraying the City of Rensselaer's share of the aforesaid improvement as a W.P.A. project pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933, as amended; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination

as the City Charter shall determine, dated October , 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of note exceed the sum of 4½% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten (10) days notice in writing to the holder thereof, and be it further,

RESOLVED, That said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within the City a tax sufficient for the payment thereof; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That all ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Robert C. ...
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

*Moved be adopted
2nd Raymond*

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

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Whalen

RESOLUTION BY ALDERMAN

RESOLVED that the City Treasurer be and she hereby is authorized,
empowered and directed to transfer the sum of One hundred fifty dollars
(\$150.00) from current revenues to fund Code 110 A-1 from which fund she is
authorized, empowered and directed to pay the salary of the acting City Clerk.

*Moved adoption
2nd Raymond*

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

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Resolution

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By Alderman Pratt;

Resolved;

That the Commissioner of Assessment and Taxation be and he is authorized to issue a permit to George J Bartley Lesse of the premises described as 540 South St. for the inatallation of a gasoline tank and pump adjacent to the building now loczated 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 Oct. 7, 1936.

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Corp. Cunsel

Moved be adopted
2nd Redden

W. S. Pratt
Pratt
Geo. H. Hayford
Hayford
J. J. Distell
Distell

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

Report of Committee Appointed to Tabulate Proposals
for Furnishing a Truck for the Highway Department.

We, the undersigned committee hereofre appointed for the purpose
of tabulating bids for furnishing a truck for the highway department
hereby respectfully report as follows:

That we have tabulated the several
proposals as set forth in the annexed schedule, marked shcedule "A".

That we find the proposal of the
Four Wheel Drive Sales Corp. for furnishing a F.W.D. Model M J-5 five
ton four wheel drive truck (4 yds. capacity) steel dump body with blades
for the contract price of \$8985.00 to be the lowest responsible bid submitted
and we do hereby reccommend award of contract accordingly.

Committee

Dated Oct. 3, 1936

George S. Reader Jr.

W. L. Pratt

Geo. H. Hayward

Received & filed

TABULATION OF BIDS ON FOUR WHEEL DRIVE TRUCK

NAME OF BIDDER	DESCRIPTION	PRICE
Four Wheel Drive Sales Co.	F.W.D. Model M.F. 6 5 ton four wheel drive truck 3½ yd steel dump, with blades	8675.00
Four Wheel Drive Sales Co.	Alternate F.W.D. Model M.J. 5 5-to-6 ton four wheel drive truck, 4 yds steel dump body, with blades	8985.00 ✓
Howe Brothers	Coleman 4 wheel drive truck 3½ yd dump, Wood steel Body 8426.00 Sargent One-way plow Model O-90-S 650.00 Good Roads Underbody Plow 700.00 Entire unit complete	9776.00

TABULATION OF BIDS ON FOUR WHEEL DRIVE TRUCK

NAME OF BIDDER	DESCRIPTION	PRICE
The Autocar Sales and Service Co. Inc.	<p>Proposal #1</p> <p>Chassis Model - 2 wheel drive</p> <p>3 yd dump body</p> <p>Front plow blade and side plow blade</p> <p>Hydraulic control for blades-- \$200.00 extra</p>	5338.00
The Autocar Sales and Service Co. Inc.	<p>Proposal #2</p> <p>Chassis Model - 2 wheel drive</p> <p>3 yd dump body, front plow blade and side plow blade</p> <p>Hydraulic control for blades-- \$200.00 extra</p>	6863.00
The Autocar Sales and Service Co. Inc.	<p>Proposal #3</p> <p>Chassis Model - 4 wheel drive</p> <p>3 yd dump body, front plow blade and center blade</p> <p>Hydraulic control for blades-- \$500.00 extra</p>	7565.00
The Autocar Sales and Service Co. Inc.	<p>Proposal #4</p> <p>Chassis Model - 4 wheel drive</p> <p>3 yd dump body, front plow blade and center blade.</p> <p>Hydraulic control for blades-- \$500.00 extra</p>	8565.00
The Autocar Sales and Service Co. Inc.	<p>Proposal #5</p> <p>Chassis Model - 4 wheel drive</p> <p>3 yd dump body, front plow blade and center blade.</p> <p>Hydraulic control for blades-- \$500.00 extra</p>	9315.00
The Autocar Sales and Service Co. Inc.	<p>Proposal #6</p> <p>Chassis Model - 4 wheel drive</p> <p>3 yd dump body, front plow blade and center blade</p> <p>Hydraulic control for blades-- \$500.00</p>	9815.00
Briggs Machinery Company	<p>4 wheel drive, 4 yd body, front and center blade</p> <p>Power Hydraulic control for blades ----- \$557.00 extra</p>	9458.00
Larkin Equipment Company	<p>International Model #C-60, with blades</p>	4978.00
Larkin Equipment Company	<p>Alternate (a) Model Cs-50 International</p>	3950.00
Larkin Equipment Company	<p>Alternate (b) Model T-A-40 Tractor with plow</p>	5600.00

The petition of W. Y. Lansing respectfully shows

That the petitioner is the owner of the premises located at
No. WASH AVE in the city of Rensselaer, N.Y. Blk. 110 Plot 50

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 S side of WASH AVE in
the 8 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.
W herefore; Your petitioner respectfully prays that they be granted
permission to erect garage as hereinbefore set forth.

W. Y. Lansing

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

W. Y. Lansing, 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 the matters therein stated to be
alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters they believe it to be
true.

Sworn to before me this
23 Day of Sept 1936

Charles S. Frick

W. Y. Lansing

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RESOLUTION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A NEW HEATING UNIT IN J. N. RING COMPANY FIRE BUILDING AND PROVIDING FOR THE COST THEREOF BY THE **ISSUANCE OF BONDS.**

BY ALDERMAN

Hayford

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

SECTION I. For the approval of the plans and specifications for the furnishing of materials and the performance of work, labor and services necessary to install a new heating unit in J. N. Ring Company Fire Building.

SECTION II. For the completion of the aforesaid improvement in accordance with said plans and specifications by contract after public advertisement for proposals at the cost not to exceed the sum of \$ *425,000* as estimated by the City Engineer.

SECTION III. That the cost of completing the aforesaid improvement shall be defrayed by general assessment upon all of the taxable persons and property within the City of Rensselaer, and that the said expense shall be defrayed by the issuance and sale of General Obligations Bonds in said amount and pending the issuance and sale of said bonds, that there shall be issued and negotiated by the City Treasurer Bond Sale Certificates of Indebtedness, all in the manner provided by law.

SECTION IV. For the advertisement by the Clerk of this Council in the official newspaper of this city for sealed proposals for the completion of said improvement to be submitted to this Common Council by delivery to the clerk thereof before the opening of the next regular meeting to be held September 16th, 1936, ~~which said notice of advertisement shall be substantially in the form of notice annexed hereto.~~

Dated, September 2nd, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

William Curtis
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK		
G. HAYFORD		
W. HOOKKAMP		
J. DISTELL		
D. WHALEN		
F. RAYMOND		
REDDEN		
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E. WAUGH		
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his house is complete*

SPECIFICATION
for
CHEMICAL No. 1
Rensselaer, N.Y.

City of Rensselaer,
New York.

CITY OF RENSSELAER, N. Y.

BUREAU OF ENGINEERING

CONTRACTOR POSSESSES FULL INFORMATION. The contractor further agrees that he is fully informed regarding all of the conditions affecting the work to be done and labor and materials to be furnished for the completion of this contract, and that his information was secured by personal investigation and research and not from the estimates of the City Engineer; and that he will make no claim against the City by reason of estimates, tests or representations of any officer or agent of the City.

DAMAGES TO PERSONS OR PROPERTY. The city shall be held blameless for any damage to persons or property arising from neglect on the part of the contractor or those in his employ, or from the action of the elements. The contractor shall place sufficient lights on or near the work, and keep them burning from twilight to sunrise, construct and maintain sufficient barricades and provide watchmen on the work when necessary. All loss and damage to the work during its progress, arising from floods, fires, storms or other natural causes, or from any hindrances, suspensions or delays from any cause whatsoever, or any unforeseen difficulties in the performance of the work, shall be borne by the contractor.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR WORK UNDER CONSTRUCTION. The contractor shall be held responsible for all materials or work during the progress of construction, and for all injury to existing structures met with in the prosecution of the work. He will be required to make good, at his own cost, any injury or damage which said materials, work or structures may sustain from any source or cause whatever before the acceptance of the same for final payment. The contractor shall make all necessary arrangements with the New York Telephone Co., the New York Power and Light Corp. for the suitable protection of any and all electric and telephone lines in the vicinity of this improvement which might be endangered or affected. This shall also include any gas lines or water lines etc. of the Rensselaer Water Company.

~~The contractor further agrees not to interfere with the contractor who is furnishing and laying granite curbing on the easterly and westerly side of SPRUCE STREET from Arden Avenue southerly approximately 500 feet, also construction of a concrete sidewalk on the westerly side only and also constructing the necessary receiving basins and other work necessary to complete the proposed improvement, any more than is reasonably necessary.~~

BEGINNING WORK AND COMPLETION DATE. The contractor further agrees that he will begin the work herein embraced not later than twenty-four (24) hours after the award and submission of the contract for execution, unless the consent of the Common Council in writing is given to begin at a later date, and that he will prosecute the same so that it shall be entirely completed and performed on or before the _____ day of _____ 1935.

TIME EXTENSION. No extension beyond the date of completion fixed by the terms of this contract shall be effective unless in writing signed by the City Engineer. Such extensions shall be fixed by the Common Council which may include a charge for engineering and inspection expenses actually incurred upon the work subsequent to the date on which the contract should have been completed.

AWARD OF CONTRACT. Award of contract will be made only to the lowest responsible bidder whose proposal shall comply with all the provisions required to make it formal. The Common Council reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if in its opinion the best interests of the city will thereby be prompted. The bidder must be prepared if requested by the Common Council to present evidence of experience, ability and financial standing, as well as a statement as to the plant and machinery all of which will be considered in awarding the contract. Time is of the essence of this contract and each of the proposals must clearly indicate the number of days within which he proposes to complete the contract and such conditions will likewise be considered in awarding a contract.

SUITS AND CLAIMS. The contractor expressly covenants and agrees that in the event of and damage resulting from the work as it progresses, or from any matter or thing connected therewith or arising therefrom to any person or property, he will pay and liquidate the same at his own expense and assume the liability therefor, and any person suffering damage shall have a cause of action against the contractor therefor; and in the event of any action or actions being brought against the City by the reason of, or growing out of said work, or its construction, or anything connected therewith, the said contractor will, at his own expense, defend the same, and will pay any judgement recovered therein and will in all respects, fully indemnify and save harmless and said City, its officers, agents and representatives from any and all cost, expense, payment or judgment, to be recovered or incurred in such action or actions.

BOND. A bond of an approved surety company for the faithful performance of the contract will be required in an amount equivalent to 100% of the contract price. This bond shall be security for the faithful performance of all the covenants and agreements on the part of the contractor contained in said contract and specifications.

LAWS AND ORDINANCES. In all the operations connected with the work herein specified, the contractor shall keep himself fully informed of, and strictly comply with, all City ordinances, State laws of the United States, controlling or limiting in any way the actions of those engaged on the work or affecting the materials used.

ASSIGNMENT, DRAFTS AND CLAIMS. The contractor agrees that he will not assign, transfer, convey, sublet or otherwise dispose of this contract, or of his right, title or interest therein, to any other person, company or corporation, or any of the work thereby agreed to be performed, or any of the moneys falling due or to become due under this contract, and that he will not issue any order or orders or drafts on the Treasurer of said City for any of the moneys due under this contract, unless by and with the consent of the Common Council first duly had and obtained; that no person, other than the party or parties signing this agreement as contractor, now has any claim thereunder, and that said contractor will punctually pay the workmen who shall be employed on the aforesaid work in cash current.

LABOR LAWS. And the said contractor hereby further stipulates and agrees that each and every mechanic, workman and laborer employed in the performance of this contract, either by the contractor, sub-contractor, or any other person, and all mechanics, workmen and laborers so employed upon such work or upon any material to be used upon or in connection therewith, shall receive and shall be paid for a legal day's work as hereinafter defined, not less than the prevailing rate of wages for a day's work in the respective trades, callings or occupations in which such mechanics, workmen and laborers, or either, are employed in this locality; that eight hours shall constitute a legal day's

LIQUIDATED DAMAGES. It is mutually agreed by and between the parties that time is of the essence of this contract, and that there will be on the part of the people of the City of Rensselaer considerable monetary damages in the event of any delay in the completion of the same.

AMOUNT OF LIQUIDATED DAMAGES. The sum of Fifty Dollars----- \$50.00 per day is hereby agreed upon as the liquidated damages for each and every day after the specified date of completion in which the contract remains in an incomplete condition, which amount shall in no event be considered as a penalty, or otherwise than as liquidated and adjusted damages of the City because of the said delay.

PROGRESS OF WORK. The party of the second part agrees to maintain a rate of progress satisfactory to the City Engineer. If, at any time the City Engineer shall believe and shall so certify to the Common Council in writing. That the work is unnecessarily delayed, the Common Council thereupon have the right to declare the said work abandoned and to proceed in the manner indicated below, without rendering the said City liable for any damages therefor and without in any degree affecting any liability upon the Bond given to the City by or on behalf of the contractor.

PROCEDURE IF WORK IS ABANDONED. Should the work be abandoned or declared abandoned as provided above. The Common Council shall thereupon have the right to secure the completion of the work either by the employment of labor under the direction of the City Engineer or by the awarding of another contract.

RIGHT TO USE PLANT OF ABANDONED WORK. In either case the Common Council shall have the right to use all machinery, tools and materials on the work and to pay the cost of all materials and labor necessary to complete this contract out of the moneys due or to become due under this contract. Should such moneys be more than the amount necessary to complete the work contemplated by this contract the surplus will be paid to the contractor as provided. Should such moneys be less than the amount necessary to complete the work contemplated by this contract, the excess shall be a charge against the bond contained therein.

LABOR PREFERENCES. All mechanics and laborers employed on this contract shall be bona fide residents of the City of Rensselaer and citizens of the United States.

CERTIFIED CHECK. Each proposal must be accompanied by a deposit equal in amount of five (5%) per cent of the bid in cash, or by a certified check or draft payable at sight to the Treasurer, City of Rensselaer for a like amount. Each certified check must bear the same signature as the signature which appears on the proposal, which said check or draft accompanies. This money or check shall be enclosed in a separate envelope endorsed with the name of the bidder and the name of the work, and this envelope shall be enclosed with the proposal.

RETURN OF CERTIFIED CHECK. All deposits, except those of the two lowest bidders, will be returned without interest, to the person making the same at the Treasurer's office within three days after the awarding of the contract. The deposits of the two lowest bidders will be returned without interest within three days after the signing of the contract.

work for all classes of mechanics, workmen and laborers so employed, that he will accept eight hours as a day's work, and that no laborer, workman or mechanic in the employ of the contractor, sub-contractor, or other person doing the contracting to do the whole or a part of the work contemplated by this contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day, except in cases of extraordinary emergency caused by fire, flood or danger to life or property. And it is hereby further stipulated and agreed by and between the parties hereto, that this contract shall be void and of no effect unless the contractor shall comply with sections 3 and 14, so far as the same are applicable thereto of Chapter 36 of the Laws of 1909, entitled "An act relating to labor constituting Chapter 31 of the Consolidated Laws."

P-R-O-P-O-S-A-L

for

New ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Oil Burner

Chemical No. 1

City of Rensselaer, N.Y.

It is the intent of these specifications and the accompanying drawings to provide for the furnishing of all materials, labor, permits, etc., necessary for the complete installation of the system described below, excepting such materials, labor or equipment as are specified or noted as being furnished by owner.

However, it is not intended that the drawings shall show every pipe, fitting and appliance, and it is understood that, while the drawings must be followed as closely as circumstances will permit, the ~~XXXXXX~~ Contractor will be held responsible for the proper installation of the system according to the true intent and meaning of the plans and specifications.

The ~~XXXXXX~~ Contractor will be required to furnish, without extra charge to the owner, all such appliances as may be necessary to complete the system in accordance with the best practice and to the satisfaction of the owner or his representative.

MEASUREMENTS

The ~~XXXXXX~~ Contractor shall verify all measurements at the building before proceeding with the work and shall be responsible for same.

CUTTING &
PATCHING

Where walls, floors, etc., are already constructed the ~~XXXXXX~~ Contractor shall do all cutting of walls, floors, etc., necessary to accommodate his heating work. After his work has been completed he shall do any and all necessary patching and repairs and leave such walls, floors, etc., in a good condition.

BEGINNING WORK
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COMPLETION DATE

The ~~XXXXXX~~ Contractor shall further agree that he will begin the work herein embraced not later than twenty-four (24) hours after the award and submission of the contract for execution, unless the consent of Common Council in writing is given to begin at a later date, and that he will prosecute the same so that it shall be entirely completed and performed on or before the

Day

Month

Year

GENERAL

These specifications and the accompanying plan are intended to describe the furnishing and installation in the firehouse of Chemical #1 on Second Ave. in the City Of Rensselaer, N.Y. in the present boiler, one Gun type intermittent Automatic electric ignition oil burner. All the necessary controls, appliances, pipe and fittings needed for complete and automatic installation of the burner is to be furnished by the heating contractor in accordance with the detail plans for the installation of this equipment, including "free service" for one year. Thermostat shall be placed in the meeting room at a distance four feet from the floor and at direction of owner.

OIL STORAGE TANKS

The tank shall be #7 Gauge metal of 550 gallon capacity and shall be buried in the ground outside the building at a point directly in front of entrance to hallway - digging to be arranged by the removal of two large stone slabs and pit to be made large enough to accomodate 550 gal. tank. The fill pipe to be placed at side of building and one foot above ground as shown on plans and shall be suitably and safely capped.

The tank shall be painted with the best heavy asphalt paint before installation.

The ~~Contractor~~ Contractor shall consider it part of this contract to do all necessary labor in connection with digging -- refilling and relaying of stone slabs on a sand foundation.

After completion, an inspection of finished sidewalk must meet owner's approval. Any necessary changes to be made at expense of ~~Contractor~~ Contractor.

This Contractor shall furnish all necessary pipe, fittings and valves for filling and venting, from the filler to the tank to the oil burner located in the boiler room.

BOILER PROTECTOR

The ~~Contractor~~ Contractor shall furnish and install in the cold water line to the boiler a safety Automatic Water Feed and Low Water cut-out. This shall be installed in strict accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions.

ELECTRIC WIRING

All electric wiring in connection with the installation of the automatic oil burner, boiler feeder and controls to be done by a licensed electrician at the expense of the Heating Contractor. Wiring to comply with Underwriter's Code and that of the City of Rensselaer. The cost of the permit, etc., shall be taken care of by the Heating Contractor.

SMOKE PIPE

The ~~Contractor~~ Contractor shall examine the smoke pipe and figure on replacing this if necessary to accomodate the new installation, or if the pipe warrants replacement.

COVERING

All exposed piping in the boiler room consisting of mains, branches and returns shall be covered with Norristown aircell pipe covering and shall be securely fastened in place. All fittings, etc., shall be finished with plastic cement to match the thickness of the pipe coverings.

INSULATION

The ~~Contractor~~ Contractor shall consider it part of this contract to cover steam main piping that passes through driver's room which is located back of Court Room. This shall be covered as per specifications for pipe and fittings in boiler room.

LABOR

All the necessary labor in connection with the installation of the oil burner and safety appliances and insulation of piping is to be done under this contract and shall be executed in such a manner as not to destroy any of the equipment or property.

GUARANTEE

The ~~ENGINEER~~ Contractor shall guarantee all apparatus and equipment in addition to the guarantee of the manufacturer, for a period of one (1) year from date of acceptance and shall make good any defect of material or workmanship occurring during that period without expense to the owner.

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN

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RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer be and she hereby is authorized and directed to make the following transfers and to re-state her accounts accordingly:

<u>Amount</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
1000.00	Current Revenues	Engineering Department Salaries and Wages Code No. 116-A.
\$1000.00	Outdoor Relief, Code No. 191	W.P.A. Sewing Project Account.

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Calvin Ours
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

*Move be adopted
2nd Raymond*

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

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BY ALDERMAN

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WHEREAS, The City of Rensselaer, acting by and through this Common Council, did heretofore and on the 21st day of October, 1930 by resolution duly authorize and provide for the issuance and sale of a Special Certificate of Indebtedness in the sum of \$5,242.46 for the purpose of defraying the cost of laying uniform sidewalks and curbing along Lincoln Terrace, Manor Drive and Seventh Street; and,

WHEREAS, A Special Certificate of Indebtedness was thereafter duly negotiated and at its maturity renewed in the sum of \$1000.00; and,

WHEREAS, Said renewal certificate in said sum of \$1000.00 becomes due and payable October 8, 1936; and,

WHEREAS, It appears necessary and advisable that said Special Certificate of Indebtedness be renewed or be exchanged by the surrender thereof for a new Certificate of Indebtedness in the sum of \$700.00; NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That there be issued a Special Certificate of Indebtedness in the sum of \$700.00, to be dated October 8, 1936, to bear interest at a rate of not to exceed five percent per annum, to mature one year from the date thereof, which said Certificate shall be signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk under the corporate seal of said City, and shall pledge the full faith and credit of the City of Rensselaer for the payment of said principal and interest; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That said Certificate shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par and that the proceeds thereof shall be applied toward the payment of the aforesaid renewal certificate in the sum of \$1000.00, to mature October 8, 1936, or may be exchanged for said certificate upon a par value basis upon the surrender to the city and the cancellation of said outstanding certificate; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That said Special Certificate of Indebtedness hereto-

fore authorized to be issued in the sum of \$700.00 shall be redeemed out of the proceeds of the collection of the assessments heretofore levied in connection with the aforesaid improvements, or if the proceeds from the collection of said assessments shall not be sufficient for the payment of said Certificate that then and in that event a tax be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property of the City of Rensselaer, except as otherwise provided by law for the payment of any deficiency.

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency


CORPORATION COUNSEL.

*Moved for adoption
by Raymond*

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

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN PRATT,

RESOLVED, That the Cities Service Oil Company be and it hereby is granted permission to lay and construct a ten inch corrugated pipe line enclosing an six inch iron pipe line across Riverside Avenue, connecting its properties on the easterly and westerly sides of said street at a point approximately sixty feet (60') south of the northerly line of said company's properties as extended across said street; it being expressly understood and agreed however, that this permit shall amount to a license only, revocable at the pleasure of this Common Council either with or without notice and with or without cause; and it being further expressly understood and agreed that this permit is granted and accepted upon the condition that the completion of said improvement shall be under the personal supervision and in a manner subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

Dated, October 7th, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Calvin Curtis
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

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

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RESOLUTION

BY ALDERMAN DISTAL,

RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to pave that portion of the space between the sidewalk and the curbing opposite the Hart Hose Company Building at a cost of not to exceed the sum of \$ 200.⁰⁰; and that the expense thereof be defrayed out of Budget Fund entitled, " ", Code No. 181. H

Dated, October 2nd, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Calvin Quin
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

*Moved for Adoption
2nd Reading*

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

RESOLUTION

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RESOLUTION FOR THE RESURFACING OF ACADEMY STREET WITH BITUMINOUS MACADAM FROM SECOND AVENUE EXTENDING SOUTHERLY TO COLUMBIA STREET.

THE CITY OF RENSSELAER IN COMMON COUNCIL CONVENED, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOL-
LONS:

By Alderman Hayford:

SECTION I. For the completion as a Works Progress Administration pro-
ject of the improvement consisting of the resurfacing of Academy Street with
bituminous macadam from Second Avenue extending southerly to Columbia Street,
at a total cost of \$4533.13, of which the city of Rensselaer hereby assumes and
agrees to pay as its share the sum of \$1367.43.

SECTION II. For the appropriation of the sum of \$ 1367.43 for the
purpose of defraying the City's share of the aforesaid project as a Works Pro-
gress Administration project, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the
Laws of 1933 as amended.

SECTION III. That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the
cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be
issued pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate
of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from
time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination as the City
Charter shall determine, dated October 15, 1936, or such later date as the
City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the
sum of 4½% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six
months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment
upon ten days (10) notice in writing to the holder thereof.

SECTION IV. The said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine.

SECTION V. That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within this city a tax sufficient for the payment thereof.

SECTION VI. All ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7th, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Calvin Ouis
CORPORATION COUNSEL.

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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

Whalen

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RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to sell the *Tunst* police car and the Ford ~~dump~~ truck heretofore dismantled and no longer suitable for use, at a total price of not less than \$ 15.00

Dated, October 7, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

Calvin O. ...
CORPORATION COUNSEL

Moved Adoption

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

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By Alderman Hooghkamp:

Resolved, That the Street Department
be and it hereby is requested to remove the rubbish on the city's
premises located on the southerly side of Second Ave. at the end
of East Street and to ~~construct~~ erect a "no dumping" sign thereon.
South side of Second between B & A & Nyl R.R.

Dated Oct. 7, 1936.

Moved for Adoption
2nd Pratt

ALDERMEN	AYES	NOES
T. CLARK	✓	
G. KAYFORD	✓	
W. HOOHKAMP	✓	
J. DISTELL	✓	
D. WHALEN	✓	
F. RAYMOND		
REDDEN	✓	
F. WILSH	✓	
E. WAUGH		
W. PRATT	✓	
TOTAL		

RESOLUTION

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RESOLUTION FOR THE REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF SECTIONS OF THE CONCRETE WALL, GUTTER AND SIDEWALKS ALONG SECOND STREET BETWEEN FOWLER AND CENTRAL AVENUES.

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

By Alderman Whitch:

SECTION I. For the completion as a Works Progress Administration ^{construction} project of the improvement consisting of the ~~repair~~ and replacement of sections of the concrete wall, gutter and sidewalks along Second Street between Fowler and Central Avenues heretofore defectively constructed, at a total cost of \$12,973.00 of which the City of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its share, the sum of \$5405.00.

SECTION II. For the appropriation of the sum of \$5405.00 for the purpose of defraying the City's share of the aforesaid project as a Works Progress Administration project, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933 as amended.

SECTION III. That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination as the City Charter shall determine, dated October 15, 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of 4½% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten days (10) notice in writing to the holder thereof.

SECTION IV. The said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine.

SECTION V. That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within this city a tax sufficient for the payment thereof.

SECTION VI. All ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7th, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency


CORPORATION COUNSEL.

*Raymond moved lay out table
2nd Pratt*

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

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION FOR THE REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF SECTIONS OF THE CONCRETE WALL GUTTER AND SIDEWALKS ALONG SECOND STREET BETWEEN FOWLER AND CENTRAL AVENUES.

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

SECTION I. For the completion as a Works Progress Administration pre-construction project of the improvement consisting of the ~~repair~~ and replacement of sections of the concrete wall, gutter and sidewalks along Second Street between Fowler and Central Avenues heretofore defectively constructed, at a total cost of \$12,973.00 of which the City of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its share, the sum of \$5405.00.

SECTION II. For the appropriation of the sum of \$ 5405.00 for the purpose of defraying the City's share of the aforesaid project as a Works Progress Administration project, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933 as amended.

SECTION III. That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination as the City Charter shall determine, dated October , 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of 4½% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten days (10) notice in writing to the holder thereof.

SECTION IV. The said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine.

SECTION V. That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within this city a tax sufficient for the payment thereof.

SECTION VI. All ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7th, 1936

Approved as to form and sufficiency

CORPORATION COUNSEL.

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SECTION IV. The said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the RESOLUTION FOR THE WIDENING OF THIRD AVENUE, SO AS TO CREATE A THIRTY FOOT CARRIAGEWAY, EXTENDING FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH HIGH STREET EAST TO THE CITY LINE, TOGETHER WITH THE REPAIR OF THE EXISTING HIGHWAY. York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine.

SECTION V. That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be THE CITY OF RENSSELAER IN COMMON COUNCIL CONVENED, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

By *Albion Tuttle*:
Treasurer of the City of Rensselaer

SECTION I. For the completion as a Works Progress Administration project of the improvement consisting of the widening of Third Avenue, so as to create a thirty foot carriageway, extending from its intersection with High Street east to the City line, together with the repair of the existing highway, at a total cost of \$35,313.50, of which the city of Rensselaer hereby assumes and agrees to pay as its share the sum of \$9,540.00.

SECTION VI. All ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the improvement...
SECTION II. For the appropriation of the sum of \$ 9,540.00 for the purpose of defraying the City's share of the aforesaid project as a Works Progress Administration project, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Laws of 1933 as amended.

SECTION III. That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination as the City Charter shall determine, dated October 15, 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of 4 1/2% per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten days (10) notice in writing to the holder thereof.

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RESOLUTION FOR THE WIDENING OF THIRD AVENUE, SO AS TO CREATE A THIRTY FOOT CARRIAGEWAY, EXTENDING FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH HIGH STREET EAST TO THE CITY LINE, TOGETHER WITH THE REPAIR OF THE EXISTING HIGHWAY.

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SECTION III. That in anticipation of the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the City's share of the aforesaid improvement, that there shall be issued pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, a temporary certificate of indebtedness of the City of Rensselaer, or a series of certificates from time to time as such moneys may be required, of such denomination as the City Charter shall determine, dated October , 1936, or such later date as the City Treasurer shall determine, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed the sum of $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ per annum, both principal and interest to be payable within six months from the date thereof, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment upon ten days (10) notice in writing to the holder thereof.

SECTION IV. The said certificates shall be payable in lawful money of the United States at the Rensselaer County Bank and Trust Company, Rensselaer, New York, shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals as the officers executing the same shall determine.

SECTION V. That the said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by the City Treasurer at private sale for not less than par at the best rate of interest obtainable, not exceeding the rate of interest specified above, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be applied solely to the purpose aforesaid, and that said temporary certificates of indebtedness shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale of bonds to be authorized by the Common Council for such purpose and in the event that such bonds be not issued, that then and in that event there be levied upon all of the taxable persons and property within this city a tax sufficient for the payment thereof.

SECTION VI. All ordinances and resolutions heretofore adopted in connection with the completion of the aforesaid improvement and the appropriation of moneys therefore, are hereby repealed and rescinded.

Dated, October 7th, 1936.

Approved as to form and sufficiency

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CORPORATION COUNSEL.

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By Alderman Pratt:

Resolved, That the proposals heretofore submitted for furnishing an automobile for the police department be and the same hereby are rejected as being excessive; and be it further

Resolved, that the checks and deposits accompanying said proposals be and the same hereby are directed to be returned. *and readvertise*

Dated Oct. 7, 1936

*Moved for Adoption
2nd Reading*

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

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By Alderman Distell:

Resolved, that the Street Department
be and it hereby is requested to grade the city's lot described
as # 506 East Street so as to prevent the drainage of water
upon the premises adjoining to the south.

Dated Oct. 7, 1936.

Moved For Adoption
2nd Reading

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

RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ~~A ROLLER~~ ^{four wheel drive truck} AND MAKING PROVISION FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

RESOLUTION

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BY ALDERMAN

Raymond

WHEREAS, This Common Council did heretofore duly advertise for bids for furnishing a ~~roller~~ ^{four wheel drive truck}, which said bids have been duly received and tabulated as set forth in the report by the committee duly appointed for that purpose, which said report is dated and filed this 7th day of Oct. 1936, NOW, THEREFORE, be it,

RESOLVED, That the contract for furnishing and delivering a ~~roller~~ ^{truck} in accordance with the proposal of the Four Wheel Drive Sales Co. by awarded to said Four Wheel Drive Sales Co. in the sum of Eight Thousand nine hundred eighty-five and no/100 Dollars (\$8985.00) and that the expense thereof shall be defrayed by the issuance and sale of a Bond Sale Certificate of Indebtedness as hereinafter provided; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the Mayor be and he hereby is directed to enter into a contract for the purchase and delivery of said ~~roller~~ ^{truck} and be it further,

RESOLVED, That upon the execution of said contract and the filing of a certificate by the City Engineer with the City Treasurer to the effect that said ~~roller~~ ^{truck} has been or is ready for delivery, fully in accordance with the specifications in relation thereto, that said City Treasurer be and she hereby is authorized and directed to issue and negotiate at private sale and without advertisement, a Bond Sale Certificate of Indebtedness in said sum of \$ 8985.00 dated Oct. 15, 1936 payable within six months from the date thereof, with interest thereon at a rate not to exceed five percent per annum, which said bond sale certificate of indebtedness shall be in such form and upon such other terms and conditions as said Treasurer may deem advisable; and be it further,

RESOLVED, That said Certificate of Indebtedness be redeemed and paid out of the proceeds of the issuance and sale of bonds of this city,

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By Alderman Raymond:

Resolved, that the City Treasurer be and she hereby is authorized and directed to submit to the Works Progress Administration as a project for completion under the direction of said Treasurer the annexed supplemental project bearing sponsors number 4-c-36-2 at a total cost of \$1195.00 of which amount the city's contribution shall be provided as therein set forth.

dated Oct. 7, 1936.

... to form and
sufficiency.
Chris
Corporation Counsel

*Raymond moved committee 3 be appointed
to investigate 2nd Pratt*

*Committee
Raymond
Hoogkamp
Whish*

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

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By Alderman Pratt:

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Resolved, That theis common Council do and it hereby does declare its intention of discontinuing that portion of South Street located northerly of the Columbia Turnpike and contianed within the bounds of the annexed description; and be it further

Resolved, That the clerk be and he hereby is directed to cause a suitable notice of the intention to discontinue said portion of South Street in the official paper of this city in the manner provided by law

Dated Oct. 7, 1936.

*Approved as to form
& sufficiency
Done
Corporation Council*

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

*Moved for Adoption
2nd Raymond*

All that piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Rensselaer, County of Rensselaer, State of New York described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of South Street 20' plus or minus northerly from the intersection of the said "South Street" line with the easterly line of Columbia Street, which point is distant 25' plus or minus measured at right angles from a point on the tangent produced southwesterly of the survey base line described hereinafter 144' plus or minus from PT Sta. C24 plus 35.58; thence northeasterly along the westerly street line of South Street 358' plus or minus to a point, said point being 17' plus or minus distant northwesterly measured at right angles from station C26 plus 49 of the aforesaid survey base line; thence southerly 238' plus or minus to a point, said point being 58' plus or minus distant southeasterly measured at right angles from the tangent produced southwesterly 9.58' from PT Sta. C24 plus 35.58 thence southwesterly 150.6' to a point, said point being 66' plus or minus distant southwesterly measured at right angles from the tangent produced southwesterly 159' plus or minus from PT Sta. C24 plus 35.58; thence northwesterly 93' plus or minus to the point and place of beginning.

The above mentioned survey base line is a portion of the survey base line for the reconstruction of a portion of the Columbia Turnpike, known as Columbia Street, County of Rensselaer and is described as follows:-

Beginning at main line Station 16+00 = Station B 16+00; thence southeasterly on an azimuth of $150^{\circ}-03'$ a distance of 275 feet to Station B 18+75; thence southeasterly on an azimuth of $171^{\circ}-04'$ a distance of 146.7 feet to Station B 20+21.7 = Station C 20+21.7; thence northeasterly on an azimuth of $32^{\circ}-58'$ a distance of 140.3 feet to Station C 21+62; thence northwesterly on an azimuth of $341^{\circ}-39'$ a distance of 101.7 feet to P. C. Station C 22+63.7; thence in a northerly direction on a curve to the right on the arc of a circle having a radius of 249 feet a distance of 171.88 feet to P. T. Station C 24+35.58; thence northeasterly on an azimuth of $21^{\circ}-11'$ a distance of 514.42 feet to Station C 29+50.

All bearings referred to magnetic north as needle pointed 1934 A. D.

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RESOLUTION BY ALDERMAN

W. Whalen

1525-4th

RESOLVED that CHARLES E. PARSONS, residing at ~~2 Lawrence Street,~~

in the city of Rensselaer, New York, be and he hereby is appointed a

Commissioner of Deeds in and for the city of Rensselaer, for the term ~~one~~

~~year~~ commencing forthwith and expiring December 31, 1937.

Dated October 7, 1936.

Approved as to form and
sufficiency.

William Quinn

Corporation Counsel

*Moved for adoption
2nd Pratt*

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

The petition of George J. Bartley respectfully shows;

That the petitioner is the ^{Lessee} owner of premises located at No. 540 South St. in the City of Rensselaer N.Y. Plot No 46 Blk. No. 285 as laid down on the Tax Map of the City of Rensselaer now on file in the Pffice of the Commissioner of Assessment and Taxation, and which said premises are located on the W Side of ~~XXX~~ South St. in the 9 Ward.

That the petitioner is desirous efecting ~~erecting~~ ^{erecting} ~~a~~ ^a ~~ground~~ ^{ground} floor 1000 ~~regals~~ ^{regals} Tanks a show-room and garage also locate tank, 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 erspectfully prays that they be granted permission to make alterations as hereinbefore set forth.

George J. Bartley

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF) SS:
CITY OF)

_____, 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 the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters they believe it to be true.

George J. Bartley

Sworn to before me this
7 day of Oct, 1904

Charles S. Finkle
Comm of Rensselaer City Rem.