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VILLAGE COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

Being a List of the Matters Considered and Acted Upon by the Official Commission of the Village of Birmingham. These Items Should be Of Interest to Every Local Taxpayer.

Regular meeting of the Village Commission held Monday evening, April 10, 1925, at 8 o'clock.

Present: President Shain, Commissioners Bell and Bingham.

Minutes of meeting of April 10, 1925, approved as printed.

100—Moved by President Shain that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:—

WHEREAS this Commission in certain resolutions adopted March 12, 1925, determined that the Village-at-large should pay a portion of the cost of constructing lateral sanitary sewers beneath the surface of certain streets in the Village of Birmingham, said streets being designated in said resolutions as Special Assessment Districts No. 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69, the amounts determined in said resolutions aggregating the amount of $7,276.76, all to be paid from the General Funds of the Village, now be it

RESOLVED, that the Village issue bonds for the amount aforesaid, being the aggregate of the several portions to be paid by the Village at large of the cost of constructing sewers in Special Assessment Districts No. 53 to 69, both inclusive, and that the full faith and credit of the Village be pledged for the prompt payment of said bonds, and the interest on same when they shall become due. Said bonds shall be dated May 1st, 1925, shall bear interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, shall conform to all provisions of the Charter of the Village of Birmingham relating to General Obligation bonds for public improvements, and shall be of denominations, numbers and maturities as follows:—

Bond No.	Dated	Denomination
1	May 1, 1925	$ 276.76
2	" 1925	1,000.00
3	" 1925	1,000.00
4	" 1925	1,000.00
5	" 1925	1,000.00
6	" 1925	1,000.00
7	" 1925	1,000.00
8	" 1925	1,000.00

And that the form of said bond shall be substantially as follows:—

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NO.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
VILLAGE OF BIRMINGHAM
SEWER BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the Village of Birmingham County of Oakland and State of Michigan, acknowledges itself to be indebted and hereby held and firmly bound unto the bearer in the sum of ..... Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, which sum it promises to pay at the office of ..... on the first day of May, A.D. 19..., with interest thereon from the date hereof, at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November of each year upon surrender of the annexed coupons as they severally mature. In case of the inability, neglect or refusal of said ..... to act, said principal and interest shall be payable at such other financial institution as the then Commission of said Village of Birmingham shall designate.

This bond is issued under the provisions of Section 22 of Chapter XX of the Charter of said Village of Birmingham for the purpose of raising money to pay that portion of the cost of constructing lateral sanitary sewers in Special Assessment Districts numbered 53 to 69, both inclusive, which the Commission of said Village of Birmingham determined should be paid by the Village at large in resolutions adopted March 12, 1925.

And it is hereby certified and recited that the amount of this bond does not exceed the limit of debt prescribed by said Charter, and that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuing of this bond have been properly done, performed and happened in regular and due form according to law.

The full faith and credit of the Village of Birmingham are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Village of Birmingham has caused its Corporate Seal to be hereunto affixed, and this bond to be signed by its President and countersigned by its Clerk, this first day of May, 1925.

(Seal) VILLAGE OF BIRMINGHAM
By ..... President
Countersigned:
..... Clerk

COUPON

No. $

The Village of Birmingham hereby acknowledges that there will be due the bearer ..... Dollar, lawful money of the United States of America, payable at the office of the ..... of ..... on the 1st day of ....., 19..., out of the General Fund created for that purpose being for six months' interest on Sewer Bond No. ..... of the Village of Birmingham, dated May 1, 1925.

CHARLES J. SHAIN, President
H. E. LAWLER, Clerk.

And Whereas Special Assessment Rolls have been confirmed by resolutions adopted April 13, 1925, for defraying the expense of constructing lateral sanitary sewers beneath the surface of the following named streets in the Village of Birmingham, with the Special Assessment District Number assigned to each street, to-wit:

Street	Dist. No.	Amount
Baldwin Avenue	53	$3316.00
Randall Street	54	639.00
Greenwood Avenue	55	5136.00
Harmon Avenue	56	4283.00
Vinewood Avenue	57	3344.00
Hazelwood Avenue	58	858.00
Woodland Avenue	59	1547.00
Oak Street	60	1155.00
Dewey Street	61	575.00
Bonnie Brier	62	995.00
Willetts Street	63	3062.00
Park Street	64	863.00
Park and Euclid Streets	65	3884.00
Brookside Drive	66	750.00
Ferndale & Ravine Rd. West	67	2182.30
Ravine Road E. of Ferndale	68	606.00
Oakland Avenue	69	1071.00
		$35,366.30

Now be it Resolved that bonds of the Village of Birmingham be issued in anticipation of the collection of said special assessments, collection of which have been duly authorized and directed in five equal annual installments beginning with the year 1925, and payable from the proceeds of the collection thereof in accordance with the provisions of Section 22 of Chapter XX of the Charter of the Village. Said Bonds shall be of interest at the rate of six (6) per cent a per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be dated May 1, 1925, and shall be of numbers, denominations and maturities according to the following schedule:

Maturity—May	Bond No. 1	Bond No. 2	Bond No. 3	Bond No. 4	Bond No. 5	Bond No. 6
No. Street	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930
53—Baldwin Avenue	$ 316	$ 600	$ 600	$ 600	$ 600	$ 600
54—Randall Street	139	100	100	100	100	100
55—Greenwood Avenue	136	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
56—Harmon Avenue	283	800	800	800	800	800
57—Vinewood Avenue	344	600	600	600	600	600
58—Hazelwood Avenue	58	200	200	200	200	200
59—Woodland Avenue	47	300	300	300	300	300
60—Oak Street	155	200	200	200	200	200
61—Dewey Street	175	200	100	100	100	100
62—Bonnie Brier	95	100	200	200	200	200
63—Willetts Street	62	700	800	800	800	800
64—Park Street	63	700	200	200	200	200
65—Park and Euclid	384	700	700	700	700	700
66—Brookside Drive	150	200	100	100	100	100
67—Ferndale and Ravine	182	400	400	400	400	400
68—Ravine Rd. East	106	100	100	100	100	100
69—Oakland Avenue	71	200	200	200	200	200
Totals	$2766	$6200	$6600	$6600	$6600	$6600

Said bonds to be in substantially the following form:—

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NO.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
STATE OF MICHIGAN
VILLAGE OF BIRMINGHAM

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the Village of Birmingham, in the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, acknowledges itself to be indebted and hereby firmly held and firmly bound unto the bearer in the sum of ..... Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, which sum it promises to pay at the office of ..... in ..... on the first day of May, 19... with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 1st day of May and November in each year upon surrender of the annexed coupons as they severally become due, said principal and interest being payable, however, from the special assessment fund created for the purpose as heretofore mentioned. In case of the inability, neglect or refusal of said bank to act, then said principal and interest shall be payable at such other financial institution as the then Commission of said Village shall designate.

This bond is one of a series of ..... bonds dated May 1st, 1925, numbered 1 to ..... inclusive, aggregating ..... Dollars, issued under the provisions of Section 22 of Chapter XX of the Charter of said Village of Birmingham, in anticipation of the collection of a special assessment which has been duly made and confirmed by the Commission of the said Village to pay that portion of the cost of constructing a lateral sanitary sewer beneath the surface of ..... street in said Village which the Commission of the said Village has heretofore determined by a resolution adopted March 12, 1925, shall be paid by a special assessment district for sewers No. ....., and which assessment has been divided into five (5) equal annual installments, payable on the 15th of April in each and every year beginning with the year 1925 until the whole shall have been paid, and collection thereof has been duly authorized and directed by said Commission.

And it is hereby certified and recited that the amount of this bond does not exceed the limit of debt as prescribed by the Charter of said Village, and that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuing of this bond have been duly done, performed and happened in regular and due form according to law.

The full faith and credit of the Village of Birmingham are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond from the special assessment fund when the same shall have been collected.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Village of Birmingham has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and this bond to be signed by its President and countersigned by its Clerk this 1st day of May, 1925.

(Seal) VILLAGE OF BIRMINGHAM.
..... President
Countersigned:
..... Clerk

COUPON

NO. $

The Village of Birmingham hereby acknowledges that there will be due the bearer ..... Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, payable at the office of the ..... of ....., on the 1st day of ....., 19..., out of the Special Assessment Fund created for that purpose, being six months' interest on Special Assessment Sewer Bond of the Village of Birmingham, Michigan, dated May 1st, 1925.

CHARLES J. SHAIN, President.
Hazel E. Lawler, Clerk.

And be it further resolved that the President and Clerk be hereby authorized to sign and execute the aforsaid general and special assessment bonds on behalf of the Village, and cause the Corporate Seal of the Village to be affixed thereto, and that the interest coupons affixed to said bonds bear the facsimile signatures of the President and Clerk, and that when executed said bonds be delivered to the Village Treasurer. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

101—Application of Wesley Whittenberger to transfer restaurant license from 111 West Maple Ave. to 126 West Maple Avenue, was read, and laid on the table for one week.

102—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the following resolution be adopted:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to this Commission by Edward G. Weary, and others, for the closing of an alley to the rear of lots Nos. 7 to 9, inclusive, of the Dalziel & Shattuck subdivision of the Village of Birmingham, Michigan. Said petition representing all the abutting property owners of said alley, and,

Whereas, the Village Commission deem it advisable to vacate and discontinue said alley, as a necessary public improvement, and reserving an easement in rear of lots 8 and 9.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, and it is hereby resolved, that said alley in the rear of lots 8 to 9, inclusive, of the Baldwin & Shattuck Subdivision of the Village of Birmingham, Michigan, be vacated and closed, reserving an easement for Rouge Trunk Sewer in rear of lots 8 and 9.

Be it further resolved that the 18th day of May, 1925, at the Village Commission Rooms in the Village of Birmingham, Michigan at eight o'clock P. M. Eastern Standard Time, is hereby set as the date on which objections may be heard on the closing of said alley.

Be it further resolved that a notice of this meeting, together with a copy of this resolution be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, once in each week, from this date to the date of said meeting, to-wit, May 18, 1925. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

103—Application of James Andrews and James Boyajeo, for license to operate restaurant at 320 South Woodward Avenue, was read.

104—Moved by Commissioner Bingham that the Village do not grant James Andrews and James Boyajeo, license to conduct restaurant and that the license fee of $1.00 be refunded to them. Yeas, 2; Nays, 1.

105—Communication from Clarence M. Bloodgood, requesting water for Lot 2, Randall Court, read.

106—Moved by President Shain that the Manager be instructed to lay water main on east Randall Street. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

107—Moved by Commissioner Bingham that the assessment roll for the reapportionment of Chester Street Opening for lots 1 to 13 inclusive of the Cobb & Clark subdivision be hereby confirmed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

108—Moved by President Shain that the plat of the "McBride Subdivision," a subdivision of the North 1/2 of the West 1/2 of Wm. Torrey Plat, of the Village of Birmingham, be accepted and placed on file, and the Clerk authorized to sign same. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

109—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the following resolution be adopted:—

Resolved that the Commission of the Village of Birmingham does hereby declare that it is expedient and advisable that Purdy Street from Brown to Frank Street be improved by grading, regraveling and finished with Tarvia B, and the installation of concrete curb and gutter together with all necessary appurtenances thereto, and that the Village Manager be hereby instructed to prepare maps and diagrams, together with an estimate of the cost of construction of such above named improvement, and file the same with this Commission, with all due haste. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

110—Moved by Commissioner Bingham that the following preamble and resolution be adopted, that

Whereas this Commission by virtue of a resolution passed this date (April 20, 1925) determined that it is expedient and advisable that Purdy Street from Brown to Frank Street be improved by grading, regraveling and finished with Tarvia B, and the installation of concrete curb and gutter together with all necessary appurtenances thereto, and

Whereas by virtue of the same resolution the Village Manager has prepared maps and diagrams of such above named improvement, and filed the same with this Commission, together with an estimate of the cost of same amounting to $14435.00.

Now therefore be it resolved that all lots and parcels of land fronting and abutting on said above named street will be benefited by said improvement, and shall constitute a Special Assessment District upon which a special assessment shall be levied, to defray a portion of the expense of construct-

Maturity	Denomination
May 1, 1926	$ 276.76
May 1, 1927	1,000.00
May 1, 1928	1,000.00
May 1, 1929	1,000.00
May 1, 1929	1,000.00
May 1, 1930	1,000.00
May 1, 1930	1,000.00
	$7,276.76

ing such above named improvement, and

Be it further resolved that the Village of Birmingham shall bear 1/6 of the cost of constructing such above named improvement, and that the lots and parcels of land embraced in said Special Assessment District shall be assessed 5/6 of the cost of construction of said improvement, according to benefits derived therefrom, and that the special assessments shall be divided into five equal installments, payable annually, beginning with the date of confirmation of a Special Assessment Roll for the above purpose, and

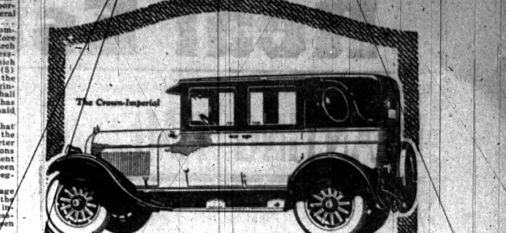
Be it further resolved that this Commission shall meet at the Village Clerk's Office in the Village of Birmingham, on Monday, May 4, 1925, at 8 o'clock P. M. to hear suggestions and objections to the proposed improvement, and the method of assessment thereon. Yeas, 2; Nays, 0.

111—Moved by President Shain that the plat of the William Duff Subdivision of the S. one-half of Lot 81, Torrey Addition, be received and placed on file, and that the President and Clerk be authorized to sign said plat. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

112—Moved by Commissioner Bell that $200.00 be allowed the Park Commission to plant trees and shrubs in Parks. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

Moved by Commissioner Bell that the meeting adjourn. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

HAZEL E. LAWLER, Village Clerk.



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Fingerburning and upset coffee pots will be the feature of these hikes when the boys will attempt to cook their own supper. The evenings will be spent in trying to drown culinary mishaps in huge camp-fires around which games and stunts will be staged.

Plans are under way for the local Hi-Y to entertain the fourth annual Grammar School Track Meet about the middle of May. Coach Van Winkle and Irwin Neff, president of the local Hi-Y, will direct the local arrangements. It is expected that 250 athletes from 20 schools will compete.

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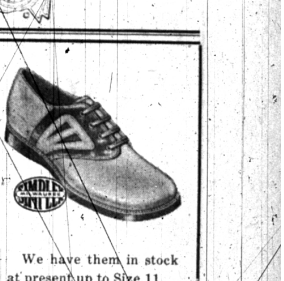

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