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Board of Education Calls on Builders To Speed Construction

Architects and contractors working on Birmingham school district's expansion program will meet with members of the board of education this morning to discuss ways and means of speeding up lagging building schedules.

The board decided on the meeting at its session Tuesday night.

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Southfield Board Approves Lathrup School Contracts

SOUTHFIELD.—Space for 300 to 320 students will be added to the Annie Lathrup school of the Southfield school district by next fall, according to Glenn Schoenhals, superintendent of schools.

Construction on a nine-room addition to the school is expected to get underway soon following the acceptance of bids for the project by the board of education Tuesday night.

Bids for the addition were received by the board at its regular meeting Monday night and a special meeting for Tuesday night was called to select the firms to which contracts would be let.

Awarded the general contract was the Thomas Wilson construction company at a figure of \$187,225. The plumbing and heating contract went to William A. Adam company for \$39,000, and the Electrical contract was let to Yach Miller, Inc. for \$14,844.

CONTRACTS IN ALL CASES WENT TO THE LOWEST BIDDER, AND THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF BIDS ACCEPTED IS \$181,073.

Bidding was fairly active with difference of more than \$77,000 separating the low combination of bids from a high combination of \$240.

The addition will be two floors high and will have a kindergarten room, three elementary classrooms, restrooms and janitor rooms on the first floor. The second floor will provide five classrooms, a conference room and a janitor room.

Two of the rooms will be self-containing. That is, they will have all facilities necessary for the child's day in school, including drinking fountains and rest rooms.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 445

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 101 OF ARTICLE 3 OF ORDINANCE NUMBER 221 OF THE ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM BY ADDITION OF A SECTION TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 381.29, CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.

That Section 381 of Article 3 of Ordinance Number 221 be amended by addition of a Section to be known as Section 381.29, said Section 381.29 to read:

Section 381.29. Property described as Lots 1 and 2, described as being on the west side of Chesterfield between Maple and Pierce, shall be changed from their present classification of "Single Residence" to "Parking District" classification.

The Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon publication after the passage thereof.

The Ordinance made and passed by the Board of Commissioners of Birmingham this 7th day of December, A.D. 1953.

RALPH A. MAIN Mayor

IRVING E. HANLEY City Clerk

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN

Sealed proposals requested for separate sealed proposals invited for "Farm Industrial Tractor" and "Motor Vehicle" will be received at the office of the Superintendent of the Department of Public Works of the City of Birmingham until 2:00 P.M., December 29, 1953, after which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The proposals will be for:

- One new four-wheel, general purpose, farm-industrial type, gasoline tractor with mowing, plowing and similar operations, less accessories on one used case tractor, Model V-41, equipped with Model No. 14 side-mounted tires.
- Proposal for "Motor Vehicle" to be for the following:
 - Two 1953 standard model, black, light green and white used for police cars.
 - One 1953 standard model, black, tudor sedan.

The following vehicles will be taken in trade on:

- One 1952 Ford tudor.
- One 1953 Chevrolet tudor.

Specifications for the above may be obtained at the Department of Public Works, Room 204 at Holland Avenue, Birmingham, Michigan. The vehicles to be taken in trade may be seen at this plant between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M. on Monday, December 21 and Tuesday, December 22.

All bids shall specify terms, and show delivery date. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularity in the proposal received, and to accept any proposal which in his opinion may be most favorable to the interests of the City.

Superintendent
Dept. of Public Works 40

Exchange Elects; Member Honored By Metro Council

At the annual election of Exchange club officers held Tuesday night at the Community House, Dwight Baldwin was named to head the Birmingham organization for the coming year.

Wesley Smith was named vice president with Harry Reed, secretary-treasurer.

The board of control members are Henry Selters, Robert Clark, W. Carlisle Scott, Herman Ziolkowski, Harry Wench, Ralph W. Moxley and the retiring president, Malcolm Ferguson.

New officers will be installed at the Jan. 5, 1954 meeting. Elbert Wilmot of Pontiac, state vice president of Exchange clubs, will have charge of the ceremony.

At the Metropolitan Council of Exchange club sessions held in Detroit last week, Walter Morgan, former president of the Birmingham group, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Others attending from Birmingham were Baldwin, Ferguson and Harry Aten.

Wilson Pontiac Cagers Win Second

Wilson Pontiac five met stubborn opposition in the Riteway Water Softener quintet but emerging leaders with 23 points between them.

Games Thursday, December 17, and Wilson Pontiac meeting Fawcett Heating company at 7 p.m., and Emmanuel Baptist church taking on Riteway Water Softener at 8 p.m.

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