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NOTICE OF LETTING OF DRAIN CONTRACT

Notice is hereby Given, That We, Cassius J. Crawford and George A. Dingman County Drain Commissioners of the Counties of Oakland and Wayne, State of Michigan, will, on the 23rd day of July A. D. 1924, at the Botsford Hotel, on Grand River Avenue in the Township of Farmington, in said County of Oakland, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive sealed bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as "Clarenceville Drain" located and established in the Townships of Livonia, Wayne County and Farmington Township, Oakland County.

Said drain is divided into One Section as follows, having the average depth and width as set forth: All stations are 100 feet apart.

Section No. 1 beginning at station number 0 at the lower end of said Drain and extending to station number 18, and having a branch beginning at Station number 0 and extending to station No. 14, a distance of 3650 feet, and having an average depth of 7.51 feet.

In the construction of said drain the following quantities and character of title or let will be required and contracts let for same:

1782 feet of 42 inch reinforced concrete pipe

903 feet of 15 inch vitrified or concrete pipe

965 feet of 12 inch vitrified or concrete pipe

All work and work shall be according to plans and specifications. Said job will be let in entirety, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said Drain, in the office of the County Drain Commissioners of the Counties of Oakland and Wayne, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in the sum then and there to be fixed by us, reserving to ourselves the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to "Oakland County Drain Commissioner" for 2 per cent of bid, which shall be forfeited as liquidated

damages in case bidder fails to properly and completely enter into contract.

Notice is Further Hereby Given, That at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter, to which we, the County Drain Commissioners, as aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the land comprised within the "Clarenceville Drain Special Assessment District" and the apportionments thereof, will be ascertained by us and will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, to-wit:

Clarenceville Drain Farmington Township—Section 36

E 1-2 of W 1-2 of NE 1-4 except N 2 acres; E 1-2 of NE 1-4 except N 4 acres; E 3 acres of E 1-2 of NW 1-4; E 1-2 of W 1-2 of SE 1-4 except N 6 acres; A parcel of land beginning at the S 1-4 line of Grand River Road, 29 feet, thence S 59° 28' E along the S line of said Grand River Road, 29 feet, thence S 0° 18' W 307 feet, thence N 89° 12' E 100 feet, thence N 13° 24' W 243 feet to the S line of Grand River Road, S 59° 28' E along the south line of Grand River Road 306.30 feet to a point thence southwesterly at right angles to the place of beginning at a point in the line running N 16° 34' E 4.28 chains from a point on the section line 3.98 chains east of 1-4 post on south line of section 36, thence N 16° 34' E 5.36 chains, thence N 89° 12' E 100 feet, thence N 13° 24' W 243 feet, thence S 3 1-2° W 2.49 chains, thence west parallel to south line of said section 6.02 chains to the place of beginning; A parcel of land beginning in the center of Grand River Road S 61° 30' E 383.5 feet from the intersection of said center line and the N & S 1-4 line of section 36, thence N 12° 0' W 195 feet, S 72° 53' W 113 feet, S 27° 16' W 212.3 feet to the place of beginning; A parcel of land beginning at a point in the center of Grand River Road S 61° 30' E 383.5 feet from the intersection of the N & S 1-4 line of section 36, thence S 61° 30' E along the center of said Grand River Road, 169 feet N 26° 55' E 335 feet, N 83° 35' W 247 feet, S 12° 40' W 238 feet to the place of beginning; A parcel of land beginning in the center of Grand River Road S 61° 30' E 554.4 feet from the intersection of the N & S 1-4 line of section 36, thence S 26° 55' E 228.20 feet, S 61° 30' W 231 feet to place of beginning; A parcel of land beginning at a point on the south line of section 36, 398 chains east of the place of beginning, section thence N 16° 34' E 282.48 feet, thence east parallel to south line of section 397.32 feet, thence S 3 1-2° W 267.3 feet to section line west along the section line 2.62 feet to the place of beginning; A parcel of land beginning in the south line of Grand River Road at a point 451.4 feet S 59° 28' E from the intersection of the N & S 1-4 line of section 36, and said south line of Grand River Road, thence southwesterly at right angles to said Grand River Road 100 feet, thence southeasterly parallel with said Grand River Road 115.26 feet, thence S 10° 17' E 102.1 feet to the south line of said Grand River Road, thence N 59° 28' W 96 feet to the place of beginning; Part of the E 1-2 of the W 1-2 of the SE 1-4 Bldg. and W by line of H. J. Cox Estate Subdivision; The W 1-2 acre of a parcel of land described as commencing at the SE corner of the W 1-2 of the SE 1-4 of section 36, thence running west along the south line of said section 33 rods thence northerly along a street to the center of Grand River Road, thence southeasterly along the center of said Grand River Road to the east line of said W 1-2 of the southeast quarter section 36, thence south along the center line of said quarter section 79.84 feet to the place of beginning; Lots 1 to 30 inclusive of Grand Gardens Subdivision; lots 519 to 533 inclusive, lots 360 to 363 inclusive, lots 380 to 388 inclusive, lots 395 to 405 inclusive of Richard Gardens Subdivision; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 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