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NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS

Pursuant to Statutes and to Resolution of the Board of Trustees of the City of Torrance directing this notice, said Board hereby invites sealed proposals or bids for doing the following work in said city, to-wit:

That the roadway of Martina Avenue from the southerly line of Carson Street southerly to the southerly curb line of 220th Street; the roadway of 218th Street from the eastern line of Martina Avenue westerly to the western line of Manuel Avenue; that the roadway of Manuel Avenue from the southerly line of Carson Street southerly to the northern line of 218th Street, and that Watson Avenue from the western line of Manuel Avenue northwesterly and northerly a distance of 486.56 feet, measured along the center line of said Watson Avenue, to the southeastern line of Carson Street, in the City of Torrance, be graded to the official grade, and that the roadways of said streets within said limits be paved with asphaltic pavement consisting of asphaltic concrete base three inches thick and a Willite wearing surface one and one-half inches thick; and that concrete curb be constructed along curblines of said Watson Avenue within said limits, and along the southern curblines of 218th Street from the center line of Manuel Avenue westerly to the western boundary line hereof.

All of said work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications contained in Resolution adopting specifications No. 138, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Torrance.

Attention is hereby directed to the California Willite Road Construction Company's "Willite Plastic Composition License Mixture Agreement," dated June 19, 1923, on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California.

And Whereas, said contemplated work and improvement, in the opinion of the Board of Trustees, is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, said Board hereby makes the expense of said work and improvement chargeable upon a district of lands, which said district said Board hereby declares to be the district benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay costs and expenses thereof; which said district is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southern line of Carson Street distant thereon 121.95 feet easterly from the easterly line of Martina Avenue and running thence southerly parallel with the eastern line of Martina Avenue to the northern line of 218th Street; thence southerly across 218th Street to a point on the southern line thereof distant 137.5 feet easterly from the eastern line of Martina Avenue; thence southerly parallel with the easterly line of Martina Avenue to a point 300.71 feet southerly from the southerly line of 220th Street; thence westerly parallel with the southern line of 220th Street, 400 feet; thence northerly parallel with the western line of Martina Avenue 700 feet; thence westerly at right angles 300 feet; thence northerly at right angles to the southern line of Carson Street; thence easterly in a straight line to the point of beginning.

Excepting from the above bounded and described area the area of all public streets, alleys and avenues contained therein.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments and to bear interest at the rate of seven per cent (7%) per annum, will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the

last installment of which bonds shall mature nine years from the second day of July next succeeding nine months from their date.

Reference is hereby made to Resolution of Intention No. 139 of said Board of Trustees declaring its intention to order said work to be done, for further particulars which said Resolution is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by a check payable to the City of Torrance, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal.

Said sealed proposals or bids shall be delivered to the Clerk of said City on or before 8 o'clock p.m. of Tuesday, October 2, 1923, said time being not less than ten days from the first publication and posting of this notice. Bids will be opened and read on said day and hour.

(Seal) A. H. BARTLETT, Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the City of Torrance. Dated September, 14th, 1923.

CERTIFICATE OF FICTITIOUS NAME

State of California, County of Los Angeles.—ss.

Know All Men by These Presents: That I, W. R. Lee, do hereby certify and declare that I reside at No. 1923 Arlington Street, in the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and that I transact in said city a certain business or trade under a fictitious name, and under a designation not showing the names of the persons interested therein, to-wit: under the fictitious name, "Torrance Market"; that I, said W. R. Lee, am the sole and only owner of said business, conducted under said trade name; and that the principal place of business of said Torrance Market is located at No. 1610 Cabrillo avenue, in said city of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto affixed my name and seal this 15th day of September, 1923.

W. R. LEE.

State of California, County of Los Angeles.—ss.

On this 15th day of September, 1923, before me, Erna M. Smith, a notary public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California, appeared W. R. Lee, known to me to be the person whose signature is subscribed to the foregoing instrument; and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Seal) ERNA M. SMITH, Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California. Oct. 12

Mr. and Mrs. Perry G. Briney were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. NIX of San Pedro.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Baird of the Baird Hardware company were Sunday guests of Long Beach friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Carvill were guests Sunday of Hollywood friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris were guests of Long Beach friends Sunday.

Hugo Schmidt is driving a new Jewett sedan.

Misses Edith and Lydia Smith, Mrs. E. E. Brooks and Mrs. Lydia Baas enjoyed a trip Saturday to San Bernardino and Riverside.

George OUR BOY REPORTER



Fare and warmer and the cheer sed if he wood of been Mister Firpo that time when he nocked Dempsey out of the ring he wood of parked rite ware Mister Dempsey cum back in the ring and then when he stuck his hed in he wood of halled off and soked him a wallup in the chin wich wood of put him to sleep for life and 10 years more. Nobuddy was hurt.

Jim dash We all went over to Barnum's circus to Long Beach that time but you coodn't see much of it less you was twins because they had five rings goin all the time. Nobuddy was hurt.

Jim dash Mrs. Rose Templeton's back home from back in Iowa for 6 weeks and she took her daughter also wich is Mrs. Edith Miller and Mrs. Miller took her daughter Margery wich got better from bein sick wile she was away. I think Mrs. Miller took on sum flesh also.

Jim dash Mrs. Marilla Jones had a berth-day but it wasn't a surpris and Mrs. Mathilda Hedges cum for the dinner. I dont no if they are re-lashuns and I dont no if they had candles on the cake neether.

Jim dash Mister Berna Martin was down to Sand Dago and Nashmul city and Mrs. Martin she went along for a shaprone she sed.

Jim dash Doctor Maude Lathrop had Doctor Beers visitin her wich is from sum collidge in Pittsburg wich has been runnin Doctor Hinshaw's bizness in Long Beech for 2 months. He's a quire practer doctor. They rub your back bone to make you well. My fother needs sumthin duu to his back bone my mother sed and he sed he dont nose its enny disgrace to marry into my mother's famly when it cums to shone have you got sum backbone.

Nobuddy was hurt.

Jim dash My mother was up to Pauline's store for what lady's ware up in the Brooks bldg and got sum muslin crape underwear unmenshunnables and sum tishew dresses. Her and the lady up to Pauline's must no each other a long time because my mother parks up there for a bout a hour when she goes there.

Jim dash Dorothy Reineman was home from school from Pasadena havin sum good eats up to her mother's wich is Mrs. Thelma Reineman up to Andreo ave. I spose she will cum home for Christmuss also to see what's doin in her stockin.

Jim dash Mrs. E. N. Tompkins is expectin her sister and her brother by marridge from Sand Antone Texas pretty soon wich is Mister and Mrs. C. J. Dexter. I dont no how long they will stay but if they like it they will I gess.

Jim dash Floyd Thrush is gettin along fine and's pretty near over it. He's got convalescent now but that wont last long. Now he will begin to take on sum wate I gess.

Jim dash Bernice Bell was up from L. Angeles visitin up to Mister Lewis Cox's house. I gess she's old friends of Mrs. Cox or school mates or sumthun.

Jim dash Mister George Downey was here and went to Sand Dago with Mister John Hemmi with two lady's wich was there wife's. I gess they found it crowded like my fokes did when they went to see the clips of the sun that time. Nobuddy was hurt.

Jim dash Mister Arthur Finster was down to Palo Verdes seein the sites and Mrs. Finster she went also. For shaprone she sed.

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TORRANCE NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Auston Clark and Mrs. Sara Clark were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. L. W. Thomas, of Los Angeles.

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