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## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Thursday, January 18, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board at its meeting of December 28, 1926, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for repairing with asphalt pavement the sidewalks on the southerly and westerly sides of Morningside Park, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board at its meeting of December 28, 1926, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for changing line of curb, laying asphalt walk and roadway pavements, making changes in the drainage, and otherwise improving Riverside Drive at 97th Street, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner O'Rourke, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board at its meeting of November 16, 1926, for the extension to Grand Stand for Mosholu Parkway, The Bronx, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner O'Rourke, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the work called for in contract No. 78434, with Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th Street, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of a reinforced concrete arch bridge and approaches at Boston Road and Bronx River, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board February 4, 1926, to and the same is hereby further extended to April 15, 1927, the reasons for this delay being beyond control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner O'Rourke, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of deliveries and the performance of work called for in contract No. 78879 with the Barrett Company, 40 Rector Street, for furnishing, delivering and spreading Tar Road Oil for

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Parks, Borough of The Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on March 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to October 29, 1926,—the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

A general discussion of park subjects in connection with the budget appropriation and probable bond issue conditions was participated in by all the Commissioners present. Each was heard at some length and at 3:15 p. m. on motion, the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, January 26, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

On motion of Commissioner O'Rourke, Commissioner Browne was designated as Acting President, in the absence of the President.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Brooklyn.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of exterior wrought iron picket fence and cement sidewalks at Williamsburg Playground at Lorimer, Leonard and Boerum Streets and Johnson Avenue, Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for installing electrical wiring equipment, exclusive of lighting fixtures, in the Museum Building in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of Queens.*

3. For furnishing all labor, apparatus and materials necessary or required for clearing and removing all vegetable matter growths, roots, etc., from and deepening that portion of Kissena Lake, all as indicated on the contract drawing, together with all work incidental and in addition thereto.

4. For the construction of concrete walks in the vicinity of comfort station, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens.

Table of Bids for Installing Electrical Wiring Equipment, exclusive of Lighting Fixtures, in the Museum Building, in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park.

Borough of The Bronx.

January 25th, 1927.

Bidders.	Amount.
Arc Electrical Construction Co., Inc., 405 Lexington Ave., N. Y. C....	\$6,149.00
Elgin Electric Corp., 205 E. 26th St., N. Y. C. ....	6,400.00
Engert-Hellman, Inc., Grand Central Term. Bldg., N. Y. C. ....	5,995.00
Fischbach & Moore, 222 E. 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	8,260.00
Grand Central Electric Co., Inc., 1091 Second Ave., N. Y. C. ....	6,200.00
T. Frederick Jackson, Inc., 99 John St., N. Y. C. ....	8,200.00
Pyramid Electric Contr. Co., Inc., 209 E. 43rd St., N. Y. C. ....	5,300.00
Frank Scandon Elec. Co., 86 Park Place, N. Y. C. ....	6,700.00
L. I. Waldman, 224 E. 41st St., N. Y. C. ....	5,825.00
Web Electric Co., 1482 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	4,973.00

Table of Bids for the Improvement of Kissena Lake, Flushing.

Borough of Queens.

January 25th, 1927.

Bidders.	Unit Price 7,000 cu. yds.	Amount.
James M. Slattery Co., 9518 - 80th St., Woodhaven.....	\$2.40	\$16,800.00
Welsh Bros. Contracting Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. City....	4.00	28,000.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of  
Playground at Lorimer, Leonard and Boerum Streets and

			Albert E. Castle, Inc. 3,300 Tilden Ave. Brooklyn	
Items and Quantities	Price	Amount		
Regulating and Grading, 300 cu. yds. ....	\$2.00	\$600.00		
Cement Walks, 1,400 sq. ft. ....	0.26¼	367.50		
Iron Picket Fence, 1,200 lin. ft. ....	5.16	6,192.00		
		\$7,159.50		

			Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.	
Items and Quantities	Price	Amount		
Regulating and Grading, 300 cu. yds. ....	\$2.00	\$600.00		
Cement walks, 1,400 sq. ft. ....	0.30	420.00		
Iron Picket Fence, 1,200 lin. ft. ....	5.65	6,780.00		
		\$7,800.00		

			Joseph A. Lee, 3,103 Farragut Rd. Brooklyn	
Items and Quantities	Price	Amount		
Regulating and grading, 300 cu. yds. ....	\$2.80	\$840.00		
Cement walks, 1,400 sq. ft. ....	0.34	476.00		
Iron picket fence, 1,200 lin. ft. ....	7.10	8,520.00		
		\$9,836.00		

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of  
Queens, January

	William Clifford, 734 Vernon Ave., L. I. C.		Peter Cramer, 207 E. 58th St., N. Y. C.		Dooley-Stapleton Corp., 257 Adelphi St., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Concrete walk, 5" thick 12,000 sq. ft. ....	\$0.90	\$10,800.00	\$0.35	\$4,200.00	\$0.51	\$6,120.00
Concrete walk, 7" thick 950 sq. ft. ....	1.00	950.00	0.40	380.00	0.50	475.00
		\$11,750.00		\$4,580.00		\$6,595.00



Exterior Wrought Iron Picket Fence and Cement Sidewalks at Williamsburg  
Johnson Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, January 25th, 1927.

Concord Contr. Co. 139 Throop Ave. Brooklyn		P. T. Cox Contr. Co., 154 Nassau St., N. Y. C.		Afred Di Geronimo 2086 E. 2nd St., Brooklyn		Dooley-Stapleton Corp., 257 Adelphi St., Brooklyn	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$2.50	\$750.00	\$1.40	\$420.00	\$1.50	\$450.00	\$2.50	\$750.00
0.32	448.00	0.41	574.00	0.39	546.00	0.30	420.00
6.00	7,200.00	6.00	7,200.00	4.62	5,544.00	5.29	6,348.00
	\$8,398.00		\$8,194.00		\$6,540.00		\$7,518.00

John M. Fox, 270 Herkimer St., Brooklyn		Gottlieb Iron Works, Inc., 63 No. Henry St., Brooklyn		Independent Wire Works, 418 - 3rd Ave., Brooklyn		Lazere & Kaplan, Inc., 826 E. 141st St., New York	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.35	\$405.00	\$2.00	\$600.00	\$1.50	\$450.00	\$3.66	\$1,098.00
0.29	406.00	0.35	490.00	0.26	364.00	0.45	630.00
5.67	6,804.00	4.99	5,988.00	4.65	5,580.00	6.54	7,848.00
	\$7,615.00		\$7,078.00		\$6,394.00		\$9,576.00

Donald McKay Building Co., Inc., 151 W. 42nd St., N. Y. C.		National Structural Iron Works, Inc., 481 Driggs Ave., Brooklyn.		Frank Persicano 489 Lenox Road, Brooklyn.		Pizzo & Foley, 649 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$3.25	\$975.00	\$1.50	\$450.00	\$1.25	\$375.00	\$1.50	\$450.00
0.38	532.00	0.30	420.00	0.32	448.00	0.395	553.00
4.80	5,760.00	4.82	5,784.00	5.35	6,420.00	5.24	6,288.00
	\$7,267.00		\$6,654.00		\$7,243.00		\$7,291.00

Concrete Walks in the Vicinity of Comfort Station, Kissena Park, Borough of  
25th, 1927

Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		R. A. Hess, 222 St. & 38 Ave., Bayside, L. I.		Peace Bros. Inc., 57 N. Lawrence St., Flushing, N. Y.		Welsh Bros. Contr. Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.46	\$5,520.00	\$0.35	\$4,200.00	\$0.46	\$5,520.00	\$0.35	\$4,200.00
0.63	598.50	0.39	370.50	0.49	465.50	0.40	380.00
	\$6,118.50		\$4,570.50		\$5,985.50		\$4,580.00

There being no objection, the Acting President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board January 25, 1927, for the construction of concrete walks in the vicinity of comfort station, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder received by the Park Board January 25, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for installing electrical wiring equipment, exclusive of lighting fixtures, in the Museum Building in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park, Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:10 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY, Acting Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

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Stated meeting, Tuesday, February 1, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Butler, O'Rourke.

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Butler, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board January 25, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of exterior wrought iron picket fence, and cement sidewalks at Williamsburg Playground at Lorimer, Leonard and Boerum Streets and Johnson Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President, for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of Contract No. 80,208 with Ascher Engineering and Construction Co., of 1457 Broadway, New York City, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for erecting Chain Link Wire around portions of Crotona Park, Franz Sigel Park and Orchard Beach Playground of Pelham Bay Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board June 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to February 1, 1927, the delay being due to causes beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

After a discussion of general park questions and conditions, and reports from the different Commissioners concerning the possibilities in the matter of money allotment from the Board of Estimate, on motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, February 15, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Hennessy, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting a shelter and comfort station to be located in Carl Schurz Park, about 300 feet east of Avenue B. and 110 feet north of East 84th Street, Manhattan, The City of New York, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of The Bronx.*

2. For furnishing and installing electric lighting fixtures in the Museum Building, in the New York Botanic Garden, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Table of Bids for Furnishing and Erecting a Shelter and Comfort Station to  
North of East 84th Street,

Items

Furnishing and erecting as specified .....	
1. Deduction for substituting slate toilet partitions .....	
2. Deduction for omitting concrete steps, and concrete retaining wall .....	

Table of Bids for Installing Electric Lighting Fixtures in the Museum Building,  
in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park.  
Borough of The Bronx. February 15th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Acme Lighting Fixture Co., Inc., 107-9 West 13th St., N. Y. C.....	\$2,095.00
Collins Wagner Mfg. Co., 17 W. 45th St., N. Y. C. ....	2,840.25
The Simes Co., Inc., 22-26 W. 15th St., N. Y. C. ....	2,696.00
Web Electric Co., 1482 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	2,773.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with .

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of Contract No. 81,215 with Blumar Construction Co., of 25 West 43rd Street, New York City, for the furnishing and erecting of the complete permanent Park Benches along Riverside Drive, between 135th and 158th Street, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Park Board August 31st, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended forty-five days, the delay being due to causes beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of work on contract No. 80,609 for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for wholly and fully completing repairs to Drill Hall in Pelham Bay Park, together with all work incidental thereto, Chanin & Teicher, Contractors, bids for which were

received by the Park Board, August 10, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to January 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board February 15, 1927, for furnishing and installing electric lighting fixtures in the Museum Building, in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board January 25, 1927, for furnishing all labor, apparatus and materials necessary or required for clearing and removing all vegetable matter growths, roots, etc., from and deepening that portion of Kissena Lake, all as indicated on the contract drawing, together with all work incidental and in addition thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, with the deductions Nos. 1 and 2 provided for in said proposal, received by the Park Board February

be Located in Carl Schurz Park, About 300 Feet East of Avenue B and 110 Feet Borough of Manhattan, February 15, 1927.

Beech Contr. Co., Inc., 122 Livingston St., Brooklyn.		J. H. Goldblatt, 435 E. 166th St., N. Y. C.		Joseph A. Lee, 3103 Farragut Rd., Brooklyn.		Donald McKay Bldg. Co., Inc., 151 W. 42nd St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
....	\$34,245.00	....	\$27,333.00	....	\$32,600.00	....	\$34,100.00
....	1,086.00	....	2,328.00	....	1,400.00	....	990.00
....	261.00	....	267.00	....	500.00	....	220.00

15, 1927, for furnishing and erecting a shelter and comfort station to be located in Carl Schurz Park, about 300 feet east of Avenue B. and 110 feet north of East 84th Street, Manhattan, The City of New York, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

President Gallatin announced that he had given directions to have the flag on the Arsenal Building flown at half staff until after the funeral and offered the following:

*Resolved*, That, having learned with deep sorrow of the death of Hon. Moses Herman, former Park Commissioner for the Borough of Manhattan and Richmond and President of the Park Board, this Board hereby authorizes and directs that a record be made in the minutes of its sense of the public loss and of its appreciation of his public service. His activities in behalf of the Parks of the people were supplemented by a distinguished record upon the bench, and be it further.

*Resolved*, That, as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, this Board does now adjourn.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Wednesday, February 23, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Hennessy, O'Rourke.

A representative of Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received by Park Board, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

For felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Inwood Hill and Fort Washington Parks.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Felling Dead and Defective Trees, Pulling Up Stumps, Filling the Pits Resulting Therefrom, and Removing and Disposing of Fallen Trees, Logs, Stumps, and Rubbish, All in Inwood Hill and Fort Washington Parks, Borough of Manhattan, February 23rd, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Evans Clearing Corp., 98 Pine St., N. Y. C.		Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Trees, 24" diameter and under to fell, 512	\$3.10	\$1,587.20	\$10.00	\$5,120.00
Trees over 24" diameter to fell, 232 . . . .	14.00	3,248.00	40.00	9,280.00
Stumps to pull and dispose of, 1,070 . . . .	9.90	10,593.00	20.00	21,400.00
		\$15,428.20		\$35,800.00

There being no objection the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board February 23, 1927, for felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Inwood Hill and Fort Washington Parks, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following votes:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

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Stated meeting, Tuesday, March 1, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Hennessy, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of The Bronx.*

1. For the construction and general improvement of park lands along Grand Boulevard and Concourse, between 161st Street and 164th Street, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of Brooklyn.*

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of a cast iron pipe culvert with concrete end and wing walls at the Coney Island Creek, Ocean Parkway, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

There being no objection the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved,* That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board March 1, 1927, for the construction and general improvement of park lands along Grand Boulevard and Concourse, between 161st and 164th Street, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction and  
Between 161st Street and 164th Street,

Items and Quantities	Michael Del Baloo, 819 Edgewater Rd., Bronx.	
	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 1,500 cu. yds. ....	\$1.50	\$2,250.00
2. Rock excavation, 5,500 cu. yds. ....	1.50	8,250.00
3. Removal of trees, 5 .....	50.00	250.00
4. Top soil, 7,700 cu. yds. ....	3.50	26,950.00
5. Planting seed, 198,500 sq. ft. ....	0.04	7,940.00
6. Laying sod, 30,000 sq. ft. ....	0.12	3,600.00
7. Concrete walks, 77,000 sq. ft. ....	0.36	27,720.00
8. Concrete stairway, 3 .....	1,200.00	3,600.00
9. Concrete steps .....	300.00	300.00
10. Concrete curb, 900 lin. ft. ....	1.75	1,575.00
11. Class A concrete, 10 cu. yds. ....	15.00	150.00
12. Class B concrete, 10 cu. yds. ....	15.00	150.00
13. Resetting old curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	0.50	50.00
14. New straight curb, 150 lin. ft. ....	2.00	300.00
15. New curved curb, 50 lin. ft. ....	3.00	150.00
16. Drop inlets, 10 .....	90.00	900.00
17. Catch basins, 1 .....	225.00	225.00
18. 6" Vitrified drain pipe, 600 lin. ft. ....	1.00	600.00
19. 8" Vitrified drain pipe, 100 lin. ft. ....	1.25	125.00
20. 12" Vitrified drain pipe, 100 lin. ft. ....	2.50	250.00
21. 2" W. I. galv. pipe, 700 lin. ft. ....	1.50	1,050.00
		\$86,385.00

Items and Quantities	J. H. Goldblatt, 435 E. 166th St., Bronx.	
	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 1,500 cu. yds. ....	\$1.50	\$2,250.00
2. Rock excavation, 5,500 cu. yds. ....	4.50	24,750.00
3. Removal of trees, 5 .....	30.00	150.00
4. Top soil, 7,700 cu. yds. ....	3.75	28,875.00
5. Planting seed, 198,500 sq. ft. ....	0.01	1,985.00
6. Laying sod, 30,000 sq. ft. ....	0.08	2,400.00
7. Concrete walks, 77,000 sq. ft. ....	0.43	33,110.00
8. Concrete stairway, 3 .....	2,400.00	7,200.00
9. Concrete steps .....	100.00	100.00
10. Concrete curb, 900 lin. ft. ....	1.85	1,665.00
11. Class A concrete, 10 cu. yds. ....	15.50	155.00
12. Class B concrete, 10 cu. yds. ....	13.50	135.00
13. Resetting old curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	1.80	180.00
14. New straight curb, 150 lin. ft. ....	3.50	525.00
15. New curved curb, 50 lin. ft. ....	5.00	250.00
16. Drop inlets, 10 .....	70.00	700.00
17. Catch basins, 1 .....	130.00	130.00
18. 6" Vitrified drain pipe, 600 lin. ft. ....	1.40	840.00
19. 8" Vitrified drain pipe, 100 lin. ft. ....	2.65	265.00
20. 12" Vitrified drain pipe, 100 lin. ft. ....	3.00	300.00
21. 2" W. I. galv. pipe, 700 lin. ft. ....	1.50	1,050.00
		\$107,015.00



General Improvement of Park Lands Along Grand Boulevard and Concourse,  
Borough of The Bronx, March 1st, 1927.

Louis Di Menna, 2366 Lorillard Pl., Bronx.		Tony Di Roma, 33 Evelyn Pl., Bronx.		Percy J. Donovan, 30 Church St., N. Y. C.		Fox Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 E. 125th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.50	\$2,250.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00	\$3.50	\$5,250.00
3.50	19,250.00	3.00	16,500.00	3.50	19,250.00	3.50	19,250.00
0.00	0.00	5.00	25.00	50.00	250.00	10.00	50.00
3.00	23,100.00	2.00	15,400.00	3.00	23,100.00	3.00	23,100.00
0.01	1,985.00	0.01	1,985.00	0.0025	496.25	0.01	1,985.00
0.05	1,500.00	0.06	1,800.00	0.08	2,400.00	0.08	2,400.00
0.33	25,410.00	0.24	18,480.00	0.30	23,100.00	0.38	29,260.00
3,000	9,000.00	900.00	2,700.00	1,500.00	4,500.00	2,200.00	6,600.00
45.00	45.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	140.00	140.00
2.00	1,800.00	1.00	900.00	1.50	1,350.00	3.00	2,700.00
15.00	150.00	10.00	100.00	10.00	100.00	23.00	230.00
10.00	100.00	7.00	70.00	10.00	100.00	18.00	180.00
0.01	1.00	1.00	100.00	0.60	60.00	1.50	150.00
1.50	225.00	1.00	150.00	3.00	450.00	3.00	450.00
2.00	100.00	1.00	50.00	6.00	300.00	4.00	200.00
70.00	700.00	100.00	1,000.00	50.00	500.00	90.00	900.00
100.00	100.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	150.00	150.00
2.00	1,200.00	0.70	420.00	1.00	600.00	2.00	1,200.00
3.00	300.00	1.00	100.00	2.00	200.00	3.00	300.00
3.00	300.00	3.00	300.00	2.00	200.00	4.00	400.00
1.50	1,050.00	1.00	700.00	3.00	2,100.00	1.50	1,050.00
	\$88,566.00		\$62,630.00		\$81,006.25		\$95,945.00

Morris Park Contr. Co., Inc., 1991 Cruger Ave., Bronx.		Samuel Nugent, 1380 Merian Ave., Bronx.		Remo Realty Co., Inc., 645 E. Tremont Ave., Bronx.		Valatia Const. Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$2.00	\$3,000.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00	\$1.90	\$2,850.00	\$1.50	\$2,250.00
2.00	11,000.00	3.10	17,050.00	4.90	26,950.00	5.00	27,500.00
0.01	.00005	50.00	250.00	25.00	125.00	50.00	250.00
3.40	26,180.00	3.00	23,100.00	3.50	26,950.00	2.00	15,400.00
0.01	1,985.00	0.01	1,985.00	0.01	1,985.00	0.005	992.50
0.07	2,100.00	0.06	1,800.00	0.07	2,100.00	0.07	2,100.00
0.30	23,100.00	0.27	20,790.00	0.27	20,790.00	0.25	19,250.00
1,500.00	4,500.00	2,000.00	6,000.00	2,500.00	7,500.00	1,500.00	4,500.00
50.00	50.00	470.00	470.00	300.00	300.00	50.00	50.00
1.00	900.00	1.22	1,098.00	2.00	1,800.00	1.25	1,125.00
20.00	200.00	0.01	.10	20.00	200.00	20.00	200.00
20.00	200.00	0.01	.10	12.00	120.00	20.00	200.00
0.01	1.00	0.60	60.00	1.00	100.00	0.40	40.00
2.00	300.00	2.00	300.00	2.00	300.00	2.00	300.00
3.00	150.00	2.00	100.00	3.00	150.00	4.00	200.00
50.00	500.00	55.00	550.00	50.00	500.00	40.00	400.00
200.00	200.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	175.00	175.00
3.00	1,800.00	1.80	1,080.00	4.00	2,400.00	1.00	600.00
3.00	300.00	2.00	200.00	4.00	400.00	1.00	100.00
3.00	300.00	3.00	300.00	4.00	400.00	2.00	200.00
1.00	700.00	1.25	875.00	2.00	1,400.00	1.50	1,050.00
	\$77,466.05		\$77,608.20		\$97,420.00		\$76,882.50

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of  
Island Creek, Ocean Parkway,

Items and Quantities	Beaver Engin'ring & Contr. Co., 51 Chamber St., N. Y. C.		P. T. Cox Contr. Co., 154 Nassau St., N. Y. C.		P. J. Donlan Contr. Co., Albany & Snyder Aves., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. 48" cast iron pipe, 228 lin. ft. ....	\$104.00	\$23,712.00	\$116.00	\$26,448.00	\$105.00	\$23,940.00
2. Manholes on piles, 2 .....	1,000.00	2,000.00	460.00	920.00	300.00	600.00
3. Manhole without piles, 1 .....	1,000.00	1,000.00	360.00	360.00	100.00	100.00
4. 15" vitrified drain pipe, relaid, 20 lin. ft. ....	1.50	30.00	11.50	230.00	0.01	.20
5. 24" vitrified drain pipe, relaid, 20 lin. ft. ....	1.50	30.00	14.00	280.00	0.01	.20
6. 12" vitrified drain pipe, on piles, 10 lin. ft. ....	10.00	100.00	30.00	300.00	0.01	.10
7. 15" vitrified drain pipe, on piles, 20 lin. ft. ....	10.00	200.00	31.00	620.00	0.01	.20
8. 18" vitrified drain pipe, without piles, 20 lin. ft.	100.00	2,000.00	11.00	220.00	0.01	.20
9. 18" vitrified drain pipe, on piles, 40 lin. ft. ....	100.00	4,000.00	32.50	1,300.00	0.01	.40
10. 24" vitrified drain pipe, on piles, 20 lin. ft. ....	10.00	200.00	35.00	700.00	0.01	.20
11. Concrete for end and wing walls, 190 cu. yds. ...	25.00	4,750.00	56.00	10,640.00	35.00	6,650.00
12. Regulating and grading, 6,000 cu. yds. ....	0.20	1,200.00	1.15	6,900.00	0.88	5,280.00
13. Concrete curb, 271 lin. ft. ....	10.00	2,710.00	1.45	392.95	0.01	2.71
14. Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	1.00	100.00	2.60	260.00	0.01	1.00
15. Cement walks, 1,600 sq. ft. ...	0.30	480.00	0.45	720.00	0.01	16.00
16. Concrete for roadway founda- tion, 230 cu. yds.	8.00	1,840.00	17.25	3,967.50	0.01	2.30
17. Asphalt pave- ment, 1,500 sq. yds. ....	2.00	3,000.00	3.45	5,175.00	0.01	15.00
18. Stone headers, 25 lin. ft. ....	1.00	.25	2.30	57.50	0.01	.25
19. Pipe rail fence, 100 lin. ft. ....	5.00	500.00	4.60	460.00	0.01	1.00
20. Screenings, pave- ment, 320 sq. yds. ....	1.00	320.00	5.00	1,600.00	0.01	3.20
21. Top soil, 106 cu. yds. ....	3.00	318.00	3.45	365.70	0.01	1.06
22. Trees, 20 .....	10.00	200.00	28.70	574.00	0.01	.20
23. Sod, 2,000 sq. ft.	0.10	200.00	0.10	200.00	0.01	20.00
		\$48,915.00		\$62,690.65		\$36,634.22

a Cast Iron Pipe Culvert With Concrete End and Wing Walls at the Coney  
Borough of Brooklyn, March 1st, 1927.

Fox Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 E. 125th St., N. Y. C.		Thos. J. Graham, 8621 - 86th St., Woodhaven, L. I.		A. M. Hazell, Inc., 26 Cortlandt St., N. Y. C.		Joseph Jennings, 367 Fulton St., Brooklyn,	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$80.00	\$182.40	\$63.15	\$14,398.20	\$70.00	\$15,960.00	\$72.00	\$16,416.00
300.00	600.00	195.00	390.00	300.00	600.00	250.00	500.00
200.00	200.00	150.00	150.00	200.00	200.00	160.00	160.00
5.00	100.00	0.15	3.00	3.00	60.00	4.50	90.00
7.00	140.00	0.30	6.00	5.00	100.00	7.00	140.00
16.00	160.00	1.25	12.50	4.00	40.00	14.00	140.00
18.00	360.00	1.50	30.00	5.00	100.00	15.00	300.00
6.00	120.00	2.47	49.40	4.00	80.00	8.00	160.00
20.00	800.00	2.47	98.80	5.00	200.00	16.00	640.00
20.00	400.00	4.00	80.00	8.00	160.00	20.00	400.00
38.00	7,220.00	63.25	12,017.50	30.00	5,700.00	52.00	9,880.00
0.95	5,700.00	0.40	2,400.00	0.80	4,800.00	1.00	6,000.00
2.00	542.00	0.90	243.90	1.00	271.00	1.60	433.60
3.00	300.00	0.80	80.00	3.00	300.00	3.00	300.00
0.25	400.00	0.25	400.00	0.35	560.00	0.40	640.00
10.00	2,300.00	8.60	1,978.00	9.00	2,070.00	10.00	2,300.00
3.00	4,500.00	2.00	3,000.00	2.00	3,000.00	2.25	3,375.00
3.00	75.00	0.50	12.50	2.00	50.00	3.00	75.00
5.00	500.00	1.75	175.00	4.00	400.00	6.00	600.00
4.00	1,280.00	0.30	96.00	1.00	320.00	1.25	400.00
3.00	318.00	1.00	106.00	3.50	371.00	3.00	318.00
0.50	10.00	10.00	200.00	30.00	600.00	25.00	500.00
0.15	300.00	0.05	100.00	0.10	200.00	0.10	200.00
	\$44,565.00		\$36,026.80		\$36,142.00		\$43,967.60

Items and Quantities	Knight & De Micco Inc., 4197 Park Ave., N. Y. C.		Neilson & Brehm, 1407 Ave. P, Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. 48" cast iron pipe, 228 lin. ft.....	\$150.00	\$34,200.00	\$78.00	\$17,784.00
2. Manholes on piles, 2 .....	200.00	400.00	250.00	500.00
3. Manhole without piles, 1 .....	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
4. 15" Vitrifid drain pipe, relaid, 20 lin. ft. ....	3.00	60.00	5.00	100.00
5. 24" Vitrifid drain pipe, relaid, 20 lin. ft. ....	3.00	60.00	5.00	100.00
6. 12" Vitrifid drain pipe, on piles, 10 lin. ft. ....	10.00	100.00	35.00	350.00
7. 15" Vitrifid drain pipe, on piles, 20 lin. ft. ....	10.00	200.00	35.00	700.00
8. 18" Vitrifid drain pipe, without piles, 20 lin. ft. ....	4.00	80.00	5.00	100.00
9. 18" Vitrifid drain pipe, on piles, 40 lin. ft. ....	10.00	400.00	35.00	1,400.00
10. 24" Vitrifid drain pipe, on piles, 20 lin. ft. ....	10.00	200.00	35.00	700.00
11. Concrete for end and wing walls, 790 cu. yds. ....	30.00	5,700.00	33.00	6,270.00
12. Regulating and grading, 6,000 cu. yds.	0.50	3,000.00	1.00	6,000.00
13. Concrete curb, 271 lin. ft. ....	1.00	271.00	1.00	271.00
14. Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	1.50	150.00	1.50	150.00
15. Cement walks, 1,600 sq. ft. ....	0.25	400.00	0.30	480.00
16. Concrete for roadway foundation, 230 cu. yds. ....	15.00	3,450.00	11.00	2,530.00
17. Asphalt pavement, 1,500 sq. yds. ..	2.00	3,000.00	1.75	2,625.00
18. Stone headers, 25 lin. ft. ....	1.00	25.00	1.00	25.00
19. Pipe rail fence, 100 lin. ft. ....	2.00	200.00	3.00	300.00
20. Screenings, pavement, 320 sq. yds. ..	1.00	320.00	0.90	288.00
21. Top soil, 106 cu. yds. ....	2.00	212.00	5.00	530.00
22. Trees, 20 .....	50.00	1,000.00	25.00	500.00
23. Sod, 2,000 sq. yds. ....	0.05	100.00	0.05	100.00
		<u>\$53,678.00</u>		<u>\$41,953.00</u>

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Angelo Paino 9215 Union Hall St., Jamaica, L. I.		Frank Persicano, 489 Lenox Road, Brooklyn.		Thomas A. Reilly, 40-31 73rd St., Jamaica Hts, L. I.		Wilcox & Stutz, Inc., 1723 Beverly Rd., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$90.00	\$20,520.00	\$112.00	\$25,536.00	\$85.00	\$19,380.00	\$95.00	\$21,660.00
170.00	340.00	350.00	700.00	350.00	700.00	80.50	161.00
230.00	230.00	350.00	350.00	250.00	250.00	70.00	70.00
5.21	104.20	5.00	100.00	2.50	50.00	5.00	100.00
9.25	185.00	10.00	200.00	4.00	80.00	7.00	140.00
7.50	75.00	15.00	150.00	7.00	70.00	8.00	80.00
7.95	159.00	15.00	300.00	8.00	160.00	10.00	200.00
5.85	117.00	8.00	160.00	3.50	70.00	6.00	120.00
8.45	338.00	17.00	680.00	9.00	360.00	11.00	440.00
14.20	284.00	20.00	400.00	9.00	180.00	12.00	240.00
40.00	7,600.00	44.00	8,360.00	30.00	5,700.00	22.00	4,180.00
2.50	15,000.00	1.75	10,500.00	0.50	3,000.00	0.50	3,000.00
1.20	325.20	1.25	338.75	1.25	338.75	1.50	406.50
1.45	145.00	3.00	300.00	2.00	200.00	3.50	350.00
0.35	560.00	0.37	592.00	0.35	560.00	0.50	800.00
10.00	2,300.00	12.00	2,760.00	15.00	3,450.00	10.50	2,415.00
2.60	3,900.00	2.15	3,225.00	3.00	4,500.00	2.00	3,000.00
1.45	36.25	2.00	50.00	2.00	50.00	2.00	50.00
4.55	455.00	5.50	550.00	5.00	500.00	5.25	525.00
1.65	528.00	1.50	480.00	0.50	160.00	0.50	160.00
2.60	275.60	2.50	265.00	3.00	318.00	2.75	291.50
20.00	400.00	40.00	800.00	30.00	600.00	65.00	1,300.00
0.35	700.00	0.10	200.00	0.08	160.00	0.15	300.00
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\$54,577.25		\$56,996.75		\$40,836.75		\$39,989.00	

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, March 15, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of two moving picture booths for the School Service Building, Southwest Court, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan Square, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Erection and Completing of Two Moving Picture Booths for the School Service Building, South West Court, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan Square, Borough of Manhattan, March 15th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
M. Barash, 2132 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn .....	\$7,272.00
Concord Contracting Co., 139 Throop Ave., Brooklyn .....	8,500.00
The English Construction Co., 15 West 91st St., N. Y. C. ....	6,700.00
J. H. Goldblatt, 435 East 166th St., N. Y. C. ....	8,400.00
Gerald A. Griffin, 103 Park Ave., N. Y. C. ....	8,340.00
Kandel-Hyers Corp., 381 4th Ave., N. Y. C. ....	8,700.00
J. M. Knapp, 433 West 37th St., N. Y. C. ....	7,793.00
Donald McKay Building Co., Inc., 151 West 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	5,740.00
National Structural Iron Works, Inc., 481 Driggs Ave., Brooklyn ....	7,050.00
A. Sadur, 853 East 176th St., N. Y. C. ....	6,349.00
Werner-Mitchell Co., Inc., 1 DeKalb Ave., Brooklyn .....	8,487.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

The Secretary read a communication from the Long Island City Turnverein, as follows:

“Long Island City, March 11, 1927.

Hon. Park Board, City of New York,  
Arsenal Building, 64th Street and Fifth Avenue,  
New York City, N. Y.  
Gentlemen:—

In connection with the establishment of new parks by the City of New York, the Long Island City Turnverein of Astoria would like to call to your attention the available land in the Astoria North Woodside district of the Borough of Queens which was accepted by the local board of Newtown in 1925, lying in the territory bounded approximately by Patterson Avenue and the westerly right of way of the New York Connecting Railroad, Vandeventer Avenue, 49th Avenue and down to Patterson Avenue.

We feel that it is absolutely necessary to have a park and playground in this section, which, at the present time, has three large Public Schools with over 6,000 children and no place at all for recreation. It is our opinion that the location above mentioned would be ideal for park purposes.

Your earnest consideration of the Astoria North Woodside Park is hereby solicited.

Yours very truly,

LONG ISLAND CITY TURNVEREIN,  
By G. Vaupel, Pres.”

On motion the Secretary was directed to forward the letter to the Council of State Parks and a copy thereof to the Commissioner of Parks of the Borough of Queens, acknowledging it to the senders, notifying them of this action.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder received by the Park Board at its meeting held March 15, 1927 for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of two moving picture booths for the School Service Building, Southwest Court, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan Square, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board March 1, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of a cast iron pipe culvert with concrete end and wing walls at the Coney Island Creek, Ocean Parkway, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, March 22, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the furnishing and delivering and erecting of steel exhibition and storage cases for the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of Queens.*

2. For the construction and erection of an ornamental iron fence around Linden Park, Corona and College Point Park, College Point, Borough of Queens.

Table of Bids for the Furnishing, Delivering and Erecting of Steel Exhibition and Storage Cases for the American Museum of Natural History, Borough of Manhattan, March 22nd, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
The General Fireproofing Co., 438 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$25,300.00
The Van Dorn Iron Works Co., 41 East 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	24,000.00

Table of Bids for Construction and Erection of Ornamental Iron Fence Around Linden Park, Corona, and College Point Park, College Point, Borough of Queens, March 22nd, 1927.

Bidders	Type "A"	Type "B"	Amount
	Unit Price 2,200 lin. ft.	Unit Price 2,200 lin. ft.	
Anchor Post Iron Works, 9 East 38th St., N. Y. C. ....	\$8.05	....	\$17,710.00
Cyclone Fence Co., Newark, N. J. ....	....	\$6.23	13,706.00
Dreier Iron Works, Inc., 742 E. 12th St., N. Y. C. ....	....	5.50	12,100.00
F. P. Guarino & Bro., 9-11 Baxter St., N. Y. C. ....	....	6.85	15,070.00
Gottlieb Iron Works, Inc., 63 No. Henry St., Bklyn ....	....	5.90	12,980.00
Konop Iron Works, 501 16th Ave., L. I. C. ....	....	5.97	13,134.00
National Structural Iron Works, Inc., 481 Driggs Ave., Brooklyn ....	....	7.80	17,160.00
Reed Iron Works, Inc., 50 Church St., N. Y. C. ...	....	5.94	13,068.00
Wickwire Spencer Steel Co., Inc., 41 East 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	....	7.05	15,510.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

A general discussion of park matters followed, dealing with park administration and the approaching music season.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Granville-Sellers, Inc., 371 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, for hardware, tools, etc., for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase January 18, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended thirty days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.



## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, April 5, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all he bids or prosals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Richmond.*

1. For grading, topsoiling, laying and furnishing water pipe, furnishing and sowing grass seed and otherwise improving a portion of Silver Lake Park along Forest Avenue, between Victory Boulevard and the Reservoir Drive.

2. For widening and surfacing with Kentucky rock asphalt the existing walk around the reservoir in Silver Lake Park and also grading and seeding a small strip adjacent to this walk.

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the followings:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and John T. Sexton, 425 East 92nd Street, for LUMBER (Contract No. 82,246), for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase, December 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to April 30, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Aycs—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and John T. Sexton, 425 East 92nd Street, for lumber (Contract No. 82,234), for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase December 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended forty-five consecutive working days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Cambria and Lackawanna Coal Co., 17 Battery Place, for coal (Contract No. 78,968), for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase March 23, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended thirty consecutive working days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of deliveries in contract No. 78,879 with the Barrett Co., 40 Rector Street, New York City, "for furnishing, delivering and spreading tar road oil for parks, Borough of The Bronx" bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase March 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to October 29, 1926, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Prever Lumber Co., Inc., for furnishing lumber for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated March 31, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase, December 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to April 30, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Grading, Top Soiling  
Otherwise Improving a Portion of Silver Lake Park Along Forest Ave.,  
April 5th, 1927.

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Items and Quantities

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1. Grading, 4,500 sq. yds. ....
  2. Excavation, 3,000 cu. yds. ....
  3. Water supply system, 1 ....
  4. Depositing top soil, 2,200 cu. yds. ....
  5. Laying sod, 10,000 sq. ft. ....
  6. Spreading grass seed, 9.3 acres ....
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Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Widening and  
in Silver Lake Park and Also Grading and Seeding a Small Strip Adjacent

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Items and Quantities

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- Kentucky rock asphalt, 32,000 sq. ft. ....
- Grading and seeding, 5,200 sq. yds. ....
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Laying and Furnishing Water Pipe, Furnishing and Sowing Grass Seed and Between Victory Boulevard and the Reservoir Drive, Borough of Richmond,

Fleming & Shepard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Joseph Johnson's Sons, Inc., 455 Broadway, W. New Brighton.		O'Flanagan Contr. Co., 130 Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn.		Vanbro Construc- tion Corp., 28 Elizabeth St., S. I.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.20	\$9,000.00	\$0.18	\$8,100.00	\$0.21	\$9,450.00	\$0.20	\$9,000.00
1.25	3,750.00	1.00	3,000.00	1.20	3,600.00	1.00	3,000.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	2,600.00	2,600.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
1.40	3,080.00	1.10	2,420.00	1.20	2,640.00	1.00	2,200.00
0.07	700.00	0.06	600.00	0.08	800.00	0.10	1,000.00
100.00	930.00	75.00	697.50	100.00	930.00	150.00	1,395.00
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\$21,460.00		\$17,417.50		\$19,920.00		\$19,095.00	

Surfacing with Kentucky Rock Asphalt the Existing Walk Around the Reservoir to this Walk, Borough of Richmond, April 5th, 1927.

Fleming & Shepard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Joseph Johnson's Sons, Inc., 455 Broadway, W. New Brighton, S. I.		O'Flanagan Contr. Co., 13 Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn.		Vanbro Construc- tion Corp., 28 Elizabeth St., S. I.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.25	\$8,000.00	\$0.16	\$5,120.00	\$0.243	\$7,776.00	\$0.19	\$6,080.00
0.25	1,300.00	0.25	1,300.00	0.27	1,404.00	0.20	1,040.00
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\$9,300.00		76,420.00		\$9,180.00		\$7,120.00	

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Natural Rock Asphalt Corporation for furnishing rock asphalt for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated March 31, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase December 13, 1926, be, and the same is hereby extended to April 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of contract No. 77,174 with the Charles Bennet Co., Inc., 465 Fenimore Street, Brooklyn, New York, for improvement of road in Forest Park, from Freedom Avenue to Myrtle Avenue, Borough of Queens, bids for which were received by the Park Board on September 25, 1925, be and the same hereby is extended thirty days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board March 22, 1927, for the construction and erection of an ornamental iron fence around Linden Park, Corona and College Point Park, College Point, Borough of Queens, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 5, 1927, for grading, topsoiling, laying and furnishing water pipe, furnishing and sowing grass seed and otherwise improving a portion of Silver Lake Park along Forest Avenue, between Victory Boulevard and the Reservoir Drive, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 5, 1927, for widening and surfacing with Kentucky rock asphalt the existing walk around the reservoir in Silver Lake Park, and also grading and seeding a small strip adjacent to this walk, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

A general discussion followed in reference to Park Ordinances and other details of park administration, and was continued until 3:50 p. m. when the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, April 12, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke. Commissioner Browne in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Queens.*

1. Contract No. 1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of a golf house and comfort station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, with the exception of the plumbing and heating work, which are provided for under separate contracts.

2. Contract No. 2. For furnishing all labor and material necessary or required for the installation and completion of the plumbing work for a golf house and comfort station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

3. Contract No. 3. For furnishing all labor and material necessary or required for the installation and completion of the heating work for a golf house and comfort station, in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

4. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for completing the improvement of the park plot known as "Van Nest Memorial Square," situated at White Plains Road, Unionport Road and Mead Street, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of Brooklyn.*

5. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to repair with sheet asphalt and with concrete, the roadway pavement on parkways and park roads, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1927. Together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for the Erection and Completion of a Golf House and Comfort Station in Forest Park, together with All Work Incidental Thereto with the Exception of the Plumbing and Heating Work, Borough of Queens, April 12th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Beech Contracting Co., Inc., 122 Livingston St., Brooklyn.....	\$29,430.00
Burnham & Neilson, Inc., 2734 Grand Central Terminal, N. Y. C.....	27,667.00
Concord Contracting Co., 139 Throop Ave., Brooklyn.....	23,475.00
D. M. W. Contracting Co., 2058 Fulton St., Brooklyn.....	21,700.00
J. H. Goldblatt, 435 East 166th St., N. Y. C.....	24,700.00
H. A. and R. S. Moore, 1508 Ave. "S", Brooklyn.....	24,433.00
Young & French, 103 Park Ave., N. Y. C.....	30,633.00

Table of Bids for the Installation and Completion of the Plumbing Work for a Golf House and Comfort Station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, April 12th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Thomas E. O'Brien, Inc., 6311 Fifth Ave., Brooklyn.....	\$3,678 00

Table of Bids for the Installation and Completion of the Heating Work for a Golf House and Comfort Station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, April 12th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Astoria Heating Co., Woodside, L. I.....	\$1,942.00
Collins & Horan, 390 First Ave., N. Y. C.....	3,165.00
William J. Olvany, Inc., 100 Charles St., N. Y. C.....	2,794.00

Table of Bids for All Labor and Materials for Completing the Improvement of the Park Plot Known as "Van Nest Memorial Square", Situated at White Plains Road, Unionport Road and Mead Street, Borough of The Bronx, April 12th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. and Sedgewick Ave., Bronx, N. Y. C...	\$2,882.00
Burnside Contr. Co., 1339 Oak Point Ave., Bronx, N.Y.C.....	3,437.00
J. Carotenuto & Son, 1066 Longwood Ave., Bronx, N. Y. ....	2,700.00
James D. Larkin, 771 East 169th St., Bronx, N.Y.C.....	3,100.00
Donald McKay Building Co., Inc., 151 West 42nd St. N.Y.C.....	4,830.00
Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx, N.Y.C.....	3,270.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials to Repair with Sheet Asphalt and Concrete the Roadway Pavement on Parkway and Park Roads, Borough of Brooklyn, April 12th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Cranford Company, 52 Ninth St., Brooklyn		The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Concrete foundation repairs, 300 cu. yds.	\$16.50	\$4,950.00	\$15.00	\$4,500.00
Sheet asphalt repairs, 4,000 sq. yds.....	3.60	14,400.00	3.39	13,560.00
		\$19,350.00		\$18,060.00

There being no objection, the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 12, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for completing the improvement of the park plot known as "Van Nest Memorial Square," situated at White Plains Road, Unionport Road and Mead Street, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of work in contract No. 78,434, with Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th Street, New York City, "for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of a reinforced concrete arch bridge and approaches at Boston Road and Bronx River in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board February 4, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to May 15, 1927, the reason for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Burns Bros., 50 Church Street, for Coal (Contract No. 78,967), for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase March 23, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended sixty consecutive working days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 2:50 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

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Stated meeting, Tuesday, April 26, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Gallatin (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Queens.*

1. For the construction of timber bulkhead and jetties, placing of sand fill, etc., on the beach front at Rockaway Park, between Beach 109th and Beach 126th Street.
2. For the construction and general improvement of the Richmond Hill entrance (Myrtle Avenue and 109th Street), Forest Park.
3. For the construction of asphalt pavement on the existing dirt road from the golf house to Myrtle Avenue and Hanson Place, Forest Park.
4. For the construction of concrete walks in the vicinity of comfort station, Kissena Park.

Table of Bids for the Construction of Timber Bulkhead and Jetties, Placing of Beach 126th St., Borough of Queens, April 26th, 1927.

		Conner Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn	
Items and Quantities		Price	Amount
1.	Creosoted yellow pine piles in jetties, 30,000 lin. ft. ....	\$2.00	\$60,000.00
2.	Untreated yellow pine piles in jetties, 5,000 lin. ft. ....	1.25	6,250.00
3.	Untreated yellow pine piles in bulkhead, 17,500 lin. ft. ...	1.25	21,875.00
4.	Creosoted yellow pine sheeting in jetties, 243 M. ft. B.M.	1.80	43,740.00
5.	Creosoted yellow pine timber waks, 34 M. ft. B.M. ....	1.75	5,950.00
6.	Untreated yellow pine sheeting, 35 M. ft. B.M. ....	1.50	5,250.00
7.	Untreated yellow pine timber waks, 7 M. ft. B.M. ....	1.40	980.00
8.	Untreated yellow pine sheeting for bulkhead, 195 M. ft. B.M. ....	1.40	27,300.00
9.	Untreated yellow pine timber waks bulkhead, 29 M. ft. B.M. ....	1.32	3,828.00
10.	Sand fill, 35,000 cu. yds. ....	0.30	10,500.00
11.	Old piles removed, 70 ....	1.00	70.00
12.	3/4" galvanized steel wire rope, 550 lin. ft. ....	2.00	1,100.00
13.	Rip rap at jetty No. 12, 300 cu. yds. ....	8.00	2,400.00
14.	Untreated yellow pine sheeting for boardwalk, 40 M. Ft. B. M. ....	125.00	5,000.00
15.	6" untreated yellow pine piles for boardwalk, 1,350 lin. ft.	0.90	1,225.00
			<b>\$195,468.00</b>



## Sand Fill on the Beach Front at Rockaway, between Beach 109th St. and

W. H. Gahagan Realty Co., Inc., 147 Remsen St., Brooklyn		R. M. Hazell, Inc., 26 Cortlandt St., N. Y. C.		Merritt, Chapman and Scott Corp., 17 Battery Pl., N. Y. C.		Muccini & Decker Springfield Blvd. and 112th Road Queens	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.60	\$48,000.00	\$1.50	\$45,000.00	\$1.40	\$42,000.00	\$1.40	\$42,000.00
0.80	4,000.00	1.00	5,000.00	0.60	3,000.00	0.85	4,250.00
0.70	12,250.00	0.70	12,250.00	0.60	10,500.00	0.85	14,875.00
230.00	55,890.00	195.00	47,385.00	200.00	48,600.00	200.00	48,600.00
230.00	7,820.00	190.00	6,460.00	250.00	8,500.00	210.00	7,140.00
150.00	5,250.00	170.00	5,950.00	140.00	4,900.00	140.00	4,900.00
150.00	1,050.00	150.00	1,050.00	200.00	1,400.00	100.00	1,190.00
150.00	29,250.00	170.00	33,150.00	140.00	27,300.00	175.00	34,125.00
150.00	4,350.00	160.00	4,640.00	200.00	5,800.00	180.00	5,220.00
0.60	21,000.00	0.80	28,000.00	0.50	17,500.00	0.10	3,500.00
5.00	350.00	10.00	700.00	2.00	210.00	1.00	70.00
1.00	550.00	0.50	275.00	0.80	440.00	1.00	550.00
10.00	3,000.00	12.00	3,600.00	7.00	2,100.00	9.00	2,700.00
100.00	4,000.00	150.00	6,000.00	100.00	4,000.00	160.00	6,400.00
0.40	540.00	0.75	1,012.50	0.40	540.00	0.80	1,080.00
<u>\$197,300.00</u>		<u>\$200,472.50</u>		<u>\$176,790.00</u>		<u>\$176,600.00</u>	

Table of Bids for the Construction and General Improvement of the Richmond Hill Entrance (Myrtle Ave. and 109th St.), Forest Parkway, Borough of Queens, April 26th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	M. J. Grant, 139 Potter Ave., Astoria, L. I.		Valatia Construc- tion Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.		Welsh Bros. Contr. Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Removing present concrete roadway 1,500 sq. yds. . .	\$1.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.40	\$600.00	\$1.10	\$1,650.00
2. Regulating and grading, 3,200 cu. yds. . . . .	1.50	4,800.00	2.00	6,400.00	1.50	4,800.00
3. 8" C. I. sewer pipe, 200 lin. ft.	3.00	600.00	3.00	600.00	6.00	1,200.00
4. 10" C. I. drain pipe, 120 lin. ft.	5.00	600.00	3.00	360.00	6.00	720.00
5. 4" Galv. W. I. pipe, 100 lin. ft.	3.00	300.00	3.00	300.00	5.00	500.00
6. 1 1/2" Galv. W. I. pipe, 350 lin. ft.	1.00	350.00	1.50	525.00	3.50	1,225.00
7. 2" Galv. W. I. pipe, 400 lin. ft.	1.25	500.00	1.50	600.00	3.50	1,400.00
8. 1" Galv. W. I. pipe, 25 lin. ft.	2.00	50.00	1.50	37.50	3.50	87.50
9. Brick manhole, 1	200.00	200.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
10. Concrete catch basins, 2 . . . . .	125.00	250.00	50.00	100.00	150.00	300.00
11. Concrete curb, 1,200 lin. ft. . .	1.50	1,800.00	1.00	1,200.00	1.40	1,680.00
12. Asphalt surfaced concrete pavement, 2,500 sq. yds. . . . .	4.25	10,625.00	3.75	9,375.00	4.50	11,250.00
13. Asphalt mastic surfaced concrete sidewalks, 28,000 sq. ft. . . . .	0.45	12,600.00	0.35	9,800.00	0.49	13,720.00
14. Rubblestone wall, 580 cu. yds. . . .	12.00	6,960.00	10.00	5,800.00	17.00	9,860.00
15. Pond bottom, 2,500 sq. yds. . .	2.00	5,000.00	0.90	2,250.00	5.00	12,500.00
16. Concrete ramp, 1,000 sq. ft. . . .	0.30	300.00	0.40	400.00	0.30	300.00
17. Drinking fountain, 1 . . . . .	50.00	50.00	100.00	100.00	150.00	150.00
18. Concrete steps, 550 sq. ft. . . . .	3.00	1,650.00	2.00	1,100.00	1.50	825.00
19. Top soil, 700 cu. yds. . . . .	3.00	2,100.00	2.00	1,400.00	4.00	2,800.00
20. Sod, 20,000 sq. ft	0.08	1,600.00	0.04	800.00	0.06	1,200.00
		\$51,835.00		\$41,847.50		\$66,267.50

Table of Bids for the Construction of Asphalt Pavement on the Existing Dirt Road from the Golf House to Myrtle Ave. and Harrison Place, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, April 26th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Highway Improvement & Repair Co., 50 Church St., N. Y. C.		Samuel Rosoff Co., Inc., 1014 Gates Ave., Brooklyn.		Valatia Construction Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 8,000 cu. yds. ....	\$1.70	\$13,600.00	\$1.00	\$8,000.00	\$2.00	\$16,000.00
2. Concrete catch basins, 6 .....	125.00	750.00	100.00	600.00	35.00	210.00
3. Concrete apron walls, 2 .....	15.00	30.00	50.00	100.00	50.00	100.00
4. 8" cast iron drain pipe, 100 lin. ft.	5.00	900.00	5.00	900.00	2.00	360.00
5. 8" vitrified drain pipe, 360 lin. ft.	2.00	720.00	3.00	1,080.00	1.50	540.00
6. Concrete curb, 3,300 lin. ft. . . .	1.25	4,125.00	0.95	3,135.00	0.60	1,980.00
7. Bluestone headers, 500 lin. ft..	1.00	500.00	2.00	1,000.00	0.90	450.00
8. Concrete foundation, 1,800 cu. yds. ....	11.00	19,800.00	10.00	18,000.00	7.00	12,600.00
9. Asphalt pavement, 10,300 sq. yds. ....	2.50	25,750.00	2.25	23,175.00	1.60	16,480.00
10. Bituminous macadam pavement, 2,000 sq. yds. . .	1.50	3,000.00	3.50	7,000.00	1.60	3,200.00
11. Top soil, 500 cu. yds. ....	5.00	2,500.00	3.00	1,500.00	2.00	1,000.00
12. Sod, 30,000 sq. ft	0.04	1,200.00	0.08	2,400.00	0.04	1,200.00
		<u>\$72,875.00</u>		<u>\$66,890.00</u>		<u>\$54,120.00</u>

Table of Bids for the Construction of Concrete Walks in the Vicinity

		Alfonso Bizzigotti, 104-37 47th Ave., Corona, L. I.	
Items and Quantities		Price	Amount
1.	Concrete walk, 5" thick, 12,000 sq. ft. ....	\$0.33	\$3,960.00
2.	Concrete walk, 7" thick, 950 sq. ft. ....	0.46	437.00
3.	Regulating and grading, 250 cu. yds. ....	1.00	250.00
4.	Top soiling, 100 cu. yds. ....	6.75	67.50
5.	Sodding, 5,500 sq. ft. ....	0.10	550.00
6.	Rubblestone wall, 40 cu. yds. ....	16.00	640.00
			\$5,904.50

		Gifford Const. Co., Inc., Jamaica, N. Y.	
Items and Quantities		Price	Amount
1.	Concrete walk, 5" thick, 12,000 sq. ft. ....	\$0.32	\$3,840.00
2.	Concrete walk, 7" thick, 950 sq. ft. ....	0.32	304.00
3.	Regulating and grading, 250 cu. yds. ....	0.80	200.00
4.	Top soiling, 100 cu. yds. ....	1.50	150.00
5.	Sodding, 5,500 sq. ft. ....	0.06	330.00
6.	Rubblestone wall, 40 cu. yds. ....	7.00	280.00
			\$5,104.00

There being no objection the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Sterling Tire Corporation for furnishing Tires for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated March 31, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase December 3, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to April 20, 1927, for reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Gallatin offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract, between this Department and D. J. Singleton, 82 Duane Street, for supplying Athletic Equipment to the Department of Parks, Manhattan (contract No. 82,712), for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase February 3, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended sixty consecutive working days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of Contract No. 80,208 with Ascher Engineering and Construction Co., of 1457 Broadway, New York City, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for erecting Chain Link Wire Fence around portions of Crotona Park, Franz Sigel Park and Orchard Beach Playground of Pelham Bay Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board June 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby further extended to May 15, 1927, the delay being due to causes beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

of Comfort Station, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, April 26th, 1927.

William Clifford, 734 Vernon Ave., L. I. C.		Peter Cramer, 207 E. 58th St., N. Y. C.		Frank Devito, 158-162 17th St., Brooklyn.		Alfred Di Geronino, 2086 E. 2nd St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.36	\$4,320.00	\$0.34	\$4,080.00	\$0.32	\$3,840.00	\$0.34	\$4,080.00
0.40	380.00	0.39	370.50	0.42	399.00	0.45	427.50
0.01	2.50	1.60	400.00	1.50	375.00	1.42	355.00
2.00	200.00	4.00	400.00	1.00	100.00	2.60	260.00
0.08	440.00	0.04	220.00	0.70	935.00	0.06	330.00
8.00	320.00	8.00	320.00	13.00	520.00	12.00	480.00
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\$5,662.50		\$5,790.50		\$6,169.00		\$5,932.50	

John J. O'Brien, Jr. 8625 137th St., Jamaica.		Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.		Peace Bros., Inc., 57 N. Lawrence St., Flushing, N. Y.		Welsh Bros. Contr. Co., 154 Queens St., L. I. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.35	\$4,200.00	\$0.33	\$3,960.00	\$0.33	\$3,960.00	\$0.35	\$4,200.00
0.37	351.50	0.50	475.00	0.33	313.50	0.39	370.50
1.20	300.00	1.40	350.00	1.00	250.00	0.01	2.50
3.00	300.00	3.10	310.00	2.00	200.00	0.01	1.00
0.05	275.00	0.07	385.00	0.04	220.00	0.05	275.00
9.00	360.00	12.00	480.00	4.00	160.00	3.00	120.00
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\$5,786.50		\$5,960.00		\$5,103.50		\$4,969.00	

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Kinney Motors Inc., for furnishing one Lawnmower complete and two extra cutting Units for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated April 1, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase February 28, 1927, be, and the same is hereby extended to April 30, 1927, for reasons beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and H. R. McNeill Lumber Co., for furnishing lumber for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated March 31, 1927, for which bids were received December 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to April 30, 1927, for reasons beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 26 1927, for the construction of timber bulkhead and jetties, placing of sand fill, etc., on the beach front at Rockaway Park between Beach 109th and Beach 126th Street, Borough of Queens, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Gallatin, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

A discussion on a revision of the Park Ordinances was had at some length, and at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, May 10, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

On motion of Commissioner O'Rourke, Commissioner Hennessy was designated as Chairman in the absence of the President.

Commissioner O'Rourke at the request of Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and M. J. O'Hara, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the first part of the improvement of Ocean Parkway Terminus at Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated January 4, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended thirty (30) consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke at the request of Commissioner Browne, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Coldwell Lawn Mower Company for furnishing Parts for Motor Mower Model "M", 40-inch Cut, for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated March 31, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase January 18, 1927, be, and the same is hereby extended to April 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke at the request of Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the J. S. Woodhouse & Company for furnishing parts for Universal Horse Mower 35-inch Cut and Walking Lawn Mower Model "L" for this Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated March 31, 1927; for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase January 18, 1927, be, and the same is hereby extended to April 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke at the request of Commissioner Browne, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and John M. Fox, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for improvement of small park at Bedford Avenue and Division Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated December 20, 1926, be and the same hereby is extended fifteen (15) consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke at the request of Commissioner Browne, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Bayley & Sons., Inc., for all labor and materials required for the installation of electric light fixtures for sections F and G of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Eastern Parkway, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all the work incidental thereto, dated November 10, 1926, be and the same hereby is extended sixty (60) consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Joseph A. Lee, for repairs to the Gracie Mansion,

located in Carl Schurz Park, Manhattan, for which bids were received by the Park Board October 26, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended thirty consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries in contract No. 83,207, with J. S. Woodhouse C., Inc., 256 West Street, New York City, for furnishing and delivering material for repairs to lawn mowers for Department of Parks, Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on January 18, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to April 23rd, 1927, the reasons for delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries in contract No. 83,165, with The Coldwell Lawn Mower Co., Newburgh, N. Y., for furnishing and delivering material for repairs to lawn mowers for Department of Parks, Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on January 18, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to April 13, 1927, the reasons for delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 26, 1927, for the construction of concrete walks in the vicinity of Comfort Station, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, be forwarded to Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

On motion at 2:45 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY,  
Acting Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

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Stated meeting, May 17, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion of Commissioner O'Rourke, Commissioner Hennessy was designated to act as Chairman in the absence of the President.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Richmond.*

1. Contract No. 1. For grading, top-soiling, installing a water supply system, seeding, removing stumps, paving the walks shown on the drawing with Kentucky Rock Asphalt and otherwise improving a part of Silver Lake Park adjacent to Victory Boulevard.

2. Contract No. 2. For the construction of a greenhouse at Silver Lake Park adjacent to the present greenhouse.

3. Contract No. 3. For the construction and equipment of a shelter and tool house in Hero Park.

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

4. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for additional steam heating apparatus, etc., required for the staircase and film storage rooms in the new School Service Building for the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, New York City, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

5. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for wholly and fully completing septic tanks and pent houses, including flexible joint cast iron pipes, piping and connections, etc., at Orchard Beach, in Pelham Bay Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.



Table of Bids for Grading, Top Soiling, Installing a Water Supply System, Seeding, Removing Stumps, Paving the Walks Shown on the Drawing with Kentucky Rock Asphalt and Otherwise Improving a part of Silver Lake Park, Adjacent to Victory Boulevard, Borough of Richmond, May 17th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 8 East 125th St., N. Y. C.		Joseph Johnson's Sons, Inc., 455 Broadway, W. N., S. I.		Vanbro Construc- tion Corp., 28 Elizabeth St., S. I.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Grading, 86,652 sq. yds. ....	\$0.17	\$14,730.84	\$0.20	\$17,330.40	\$0.20	\$17,330.40
2. Excavation, 12,100 cu. yds. ....	1.20	14,520.00	1.00	12,100.00	1.40	16,940.00
3. Water supply system, 1 .....	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,750.00	2,750.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
4. Inlet basins, 6 ..	45.00	270.00	40.00	240.00	40.00	240.00
5. 36" reinf. concrete pipe, 225 lin. ft.	7.00	1,575.00	6.75	1,518.75	8.00	1,800.00
6. 24" vitrified tile pipe, 550 .....	4.00	2,200.00	4.00	2,200.00	5.00	2,750.00
7. 15" vitrified tile pipe, 120 .....	2.00	240.00	2.90	348.00	4.00	480.00
8. 10" vitrified tile pipe, 180 .....	1.50	270.00	2.00	360.00	3.00	540.00
9. 8" vitrified tile pipe, 40 .....	1.20	48.00	1.90	76.00	2.00	80.00
10. 6" vitrified tile pipe, 90 .....	1.00	90.00	1.50	135.00	2.00	180.00
11. Removing stumps lump sum .....	880.00	880.00	900.00	900.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
12. Top soil hauling, 1,300 cu. yds. ..	1.60	2,080.00	1.40	1,820.00	1.50	1,950.00
13. Top soil furnishing, 1,000 cu. yds.	2.60	2,600.00	2.75	2,750.00	3.50	3,500.00
14. Sod, 15,710 sq. ft.	0.08	1,256.80	0.06	942.60	0.14	1,885.20
15. Grass seed, 17.3 acres .....	50.00	865.00	100.00	1,730.00	100.00	1,730.00
16. Rock asphalt walk, 31,650 sq. ft. ....	0.29	9,178.50	0.20	6,330.00	0.35	11,077.50
		\$52,804.14		\$51,530.75		\$65,483.10

Table of Bids for the Construction of a Greenhouse at Silver Lake Park, Adjacent to the Present Greenhouse, Borough of Richmond, May 17th, 1927.

Bidders.	Amount
Hitchings & Co., Elizabeth, N. J. ....	\$18,950.00
Lord and Burnham Co., Irvington, N. Y. ....	18,507.00

Table of Bids for the Construction and Equipment of a Shelter and Tool House in Hero Park, Borough of Richmond, May 27th, 1927.

Bidders.	Amount
Wm. D. Bailey, 32 Lockman Ave., Mariner's Harbor, S. I. ....	\$1,522.00
Nicholas J. Schevy, 303 East 64th St., N. Y. C. ....	1,770.00

Table of Bids for Additional Steam Heating Apparatus, etc., Required for the Stair Case and Film Storage Rooms in the New School Service Building for the American Museum of Natural History, 77th St. and Central Park West, Borough of Manhattan, May 17th, 1927.

Bidders.	Amount
Astoria Heating Co., Woodside, L. I. ....	\$1,898.00
Collins & Horan, 390 First Ave., N. Y. C. ....	2,342.00
T. F. Hall, Inc., 213 East 44th St., N. Y. C. ....	1,560.00
B. J. Pfeifer, 435 West 41st St., N. Y. C. ....	1,490.00
H. Sand & Co., Inc., 138 West Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	1,710.00
Fred. Souvan, 369 East 162nd St., N. Y. C. ....	1,250.00
Harry Stackman & Bros., 333 East 81st St., N. Y. C. ....	1,730.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing and Completing Septic Tanks and Pent Houses, including Flexible Joint Cast Iron Pipes, Piping and Connections, etc., at Orchard Beach, in Pelham Bay Park, Borough of The Bronx, May 17th, 1927.

Bidders.	Amount
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc., Brokaw Bldg., 1457 Broadway N. Y. C. ....	\$17,688.00
Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th St., N. Y. C. ....	13,820.00
J. H. Goldblatt, 435 East 166th St., N. Y. C. ....	16,860.00
H. B. Greene Contr. Co., 26 Cortlandt St., N. Y. C. ....	11,330.00
E. O. Roberts Co., Inc., 52 Vanderbilt Ave., N. Y. C. ....	16,800.00

There being no objection, the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Terminal Supply Company, 2 Lafayette Street, for playground equipment, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase April 12, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to July 15th, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board May 17, 1927, for grading, top-soiling, installing a water supply system, seeding, removing stumps, paving the walks shown on the drawing with Kentucky Rock Asphalt and otherwise improving a part of Silver Lake Park adjacent to Victory Boulevard, Borough of Richmond, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board May 17, 1927, for the construction of a greenhouse at Silver Lake Park adjacent to the present greenhouse, Borough of Richmond, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board May 17, 1927, for the construction and equipment of a shelter and tool house in Hero Park, Borough of Richmond, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:00 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY,  
Acting Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, May 24, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

Minutes of May 24, 1927:

Hon. Walter R. Herrick presented his certificate of appointment as follows:

"CITY OF NEW YORK

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I, JAMES J. WALKER, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Section 607 of the Greater New York Charter, do hereby appoint

WALTER R. HERRICK

a Commissioner of Parks of the City of New York with administrative jurisdiction in the Borough of Manhattan and do designate said Commissioner as President of the Park Board, to succeed Francis D. Gallatin, resigned, and to hold office until his successor shall be appointed and has qualified.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of New York to be affixed this 20th day of May, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

JAMES J. WALKER (SGD),  
Mayor.

June 3, 1927.

This is to certify that the above is a true copy of the certificate of appointment of Hon. Walter R. Herrick as Commissioner of Parks—Manhattan, and designation of said Commissioner as President of the Park Board.

EDWARD L. STANTON, Secretary to the Mayor.

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be omitted.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of work called for in contract No. 78,434, with Fox, Renolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th Street, New York City, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of a reinforced concrete arch bridge and approaches at Boston Road and Bronx River, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board, February 4, 1926, be and the same is hereby further extended to June 1, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board May 17, 1927, for Septic Tanks and Pent Houses, etc., Pelham Bay Park, The Bronx, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 12, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of a golf house and comfort station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, with the exception of the plumbing and heating work, which are provided for under separate contracts, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of work called for in contract No. 83,096 with Thomas J. Graham for the construction of a cast iron pipe culvert with concrete ends and wing walk at the Coney Island Creek, Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn, for which bids were received by the Park Board on March 1, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended for sixty days, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

The Park Board directs that the work of completing and equipping the meeting room, for which an appropriation of \$4,000 was granted be expedited.

On motion at 4:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY,  
Acting Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, May 31, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### .. Borough of Manhattan

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for felling dead and defective trees, pulling stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Central Park, together with all work incidental thereto.

### Borough of Queens.

2. For the construction and erection of an ornamental iron fence around Linden Park, Corona, and College Point Park, College Point, Borough of Queens.

Table of Bids for Felling Dead and Defective Trees, Pulling Up Stumps, Filling the Pits Resulting Therefrom and Removing and Disposing of Fallen Trees, Logs, Stumps, and Rubbish, All in Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, May 31st, 1927.

Table of Bids for the Construction and Erection of Ornamental Iron Fence Around Linden Park, Corona and College Point Park, College Point, Borough of Queens, May 31st, 1927.

Bidders	Unit price 2,200 lin. ft.	Amount
Anchor Post Fence Co., 9 East 38th St., N. Y. C. ....	\$5.90	\$12,980.00
Cyclone Fence Co., Newark, N. J. ....	6.20	13,640.00
Dreier Iron Works, Inc., 742 East 12th St., N. Y. C.	5.60	12,320.00
Gottlieb Iron Works, Inc., 63 North Henry St., Bklyn	5.73	12,606.00
John S. Konop, 501 16th Ave., L. I. C. ....	.....	11,726.00
C. Livingston Riker, 40 Vista Ave., Dongan Hills, S. I.	5.12	11,264.00

Items and Quantities	Evans Clearing Corporation, 98 Pine St., N. Y. C.		Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Trees, 24" and over in diameter, 138 ....	\$74.95	\$10,343.10	\$26.00	\$3,588.00
Trees under 24" in diameter, 226 .....	38.00	7,458.00	21.00	4,746.00
Stumps to pull, 636 .....	64.75	41,181.00	32.00	20,352.00
		\$58,982.10		\$28,686.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 12, 1927, for furnishing all labor and material necessary or required for the installation and completion of the plumbing work for a golf house and comfort station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board April 26, 1927, for the construction and general improvement of the Richmond Hill entrance (Myrtle Avenue and 109th Street), Forest Park, Borough of Queens, be rejected, it being deemed to the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board April 26, 1927, for the construction of asphalt pavement on the existing dirt road from the Golf House to Myrtle Avenue and Hanson Place, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, be rejected, it being deemed to the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of contract No. 83,207 with the J. S. Woodhouse Co., 256 West Street, for agricultural implements, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase January 18, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended sixty consecutive working days, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY,  
Acting Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

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Stated meeting, Tuesday, June 7, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids which had been received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting an artificial granite balustrade complete, on top of the present concrete bulkhead wall along the easterly boundary of the Harlem River Driveway, between 193rd and 198th Streets, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

2. Furnishing all labor and material necessary or required for installing concrete flush curb and bluestone headers along portions of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of Brooklyn.*

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Shore Road Drive, between 69th and 83rd Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing and Erecting an Artificial Granite Balustrade Complete, on Top of the Present Concrete Bulkhead Wall Along the Easterly Boundary of the Harlem River Driveway, Between 193rd and 198th Streets, Borough of Manhattan, June 7th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$22,542.00
Coliseum Cast Stone Co., Ludlow Ave. & Whittier St., Bronx .....	33,790.00
Tombone & Mascalo Const. Co., 2620 Voorhies Ave., Brooklyn .....	34,500.00

Table of Bids for Installing Concrete Flush Curbing and Bluestone Headers  
Bronx,

Items and Quantities	Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. & Sedgewick Ave., N. Y. C.		Burnside Contr. Co. 1339 Oak Pt. Ave. cor. Longfellow Ave., Bronx, N. Y.		James D. Larkin, 771 East 169th St., Bronx, N. Y.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Concrete flush curbing, 10,000 lin. ft.	\$0.73	\$7,300.00	\$0.67	\$6,700.00	\$0.43	\$4,300.00
Bluestone header, 600 lin. ft. ....	1.00	600.00	1.40	840.00	1.00	600.00
Rock excavation, 20 cu. yds. ....	5.00	100.00	1.00	20.00	0.01	0.20
		<u>\$8,000.00</u>		<u>\$7,560.00</u>		<u>\$4,900.20</u>



Along Certain Parts of Driveway of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, Borough of The  
June 7th, 1927.

Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx, N. Y.		Joseph Palladino, Inc., 4179 Park Ave., N. Y. C.		Tony Di Roma, 33 Evelyn Place, Bronx, N. Y.		Tombone & Mascolo Const. Co., 2620 Voorhies Ave., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.49	\$4,900.00	\$0.58	\$5,800.00	\$0.88	\$8,800.00	\$0.98	\$9,800.00
3.20	1,920.00	1.50	900.00	0.90	540.00	1.50	900.00
0.01	0.20	12.50	250.00	0.01	0.20	7.00	140.00
	<u>\$6,820.20</u>		<u>\$6,950.00</u>		<u>\$9,340.20</u>		<u>\$10,840.00</u>

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of Shore Road Drive Between 69th and 83rd Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, June 7th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Cranford Co., 52 Ninth St., Brooklyn.		M. J. O'Hara, W. 19th St. & Nep- tune Ave., Brooklyn.		B. Turecamo Contr. Co., Inc., Ft. of 24th Ave., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 19,500 cu. yds. ....	\$1.75	\$34,125.00	\$1.90	\$37,050.00	\$2.00	\$39,000.00
2. Catch basins, 30	275.00	8,250.00	350.00	10,500.00	325.00	9,750.00
3. New manholes, 6	250.00	1,500.00	350.00	2,100.00	325.00	1,950.00
4. Manholes to adjust, 7 .....	50.00	350.00	75.00	525.00	50.00	350.00
5. 12" Vitrified pipe drains, 2,350 lin. ft. ....	4.25	9,987.50	4.50	10,575.00	4.50	10,575.00
6. 15" Vitrified pipe drains, 450 lin. ft.	5.25	2,362.50	5.00	2,250.00	5.00	2,250.00
7. Hydrants, relocated, 14 .....	150.00	2,100.00	125.00	1,750.00	100.00	1,400.00
8. Concrete curb, 9,200 lin. ft. ...	1.35	12,420.00	1.15	10,580.00	1.40	12,880.00
9. Concrete foundation, 4,650 cu. yds.	8.75	40,687.50	9.00	41,850.00	9.00	41,850.00
10. Bluestone heading stones, 270 lin. ft. ....	1.75	472.50	2.00	540.00	2.00	540.00
11. Sheet asphalt, 28,500 sq. yds. ...	1.75	49,875.00	1.65	47,025.00	1.65	47,025.00
12. Asphalt tile walk 79,000 sq. ft. ...	0.50	39,500.00	0.53	41,870.00	0.57	45,030.00
13. Picket Fence, 4,575 lin. ft. ....	6.50	29,737.50	7.00	32,025.00	7.00	32,025.00
14. Top soil, 13,500 cu. yds. ....	3.50	47,250.00	3.50	47,250.00	3.50	47,250.00
15. Trees, 335 .....	50.00	16,750.00	35.00	11,725.00	32.00	10,720.00
16. Shrubs, 4,475 ..	2.00	8,950.00	1.50	6,712.50	1.75	7,831.25
17. Sod, 100,000 sq. ft. ....	0.125	12,500.00	0.10	10,000.00	0.09	9,000.00
18. Seeding, 175,000 sq. ft. ....	0.025	4,375.00	0.02	3,500.00	0.02	3,500.00
		\$321,192.50		\$317,827.50		\$322,926.25

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board March 22, 1927, for all labor and materials necessary and required for the furnishing and delivering and erection of steel exhibition and storage cases for the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and John M. Fox, 270 Herkimer Street, Brooklyn, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for improvement of small park at Bedford Avenue and Division Avenue, Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated November 23, 1926, be and the same hereby is extended twenty consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board June 7th, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of the Shore Road Drive between 69th and 83rd Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board May 31, 1927, for the construction and erection of an ornamental iron fence around Linden Park, Corona, and College Point Park, College Point, Borough of Queens, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board June 7, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for installing concrete flush curb and bluestone headers along portions of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick presented the following communication:

"June 6, 1927.

Hon. Walter R. Herrick,  
President, Park Board,  
Department of Parks, Manhattan.

Dear Sir:—

I beg to report that Fox-Reynolds Co., Inc., the lowest bidder on contract for felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, stumps and rubbish in connection with this work in Central Park, submitted with their bid as required by all bidders the following list of equipment, which they intend to purchase for this contract.

2 Fordson Tractors,	2 Stump pullers,
12—5 feet Cross Cut Saws,	12 Axes,
1000 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ Manila rope,	6 Grub hoes.

I do not consider this equipment adequate to do the work required under this contract.

In their statement as to experience they show no evidence of having done any work as required under this contract.

*Statement:*

Contract with the Board of Health at Otisville, N. Y., done under the name of Henry E. Fox Construction Co., clearing swamps, pulling stumps, etc., in 1913.

Cutting down trees and pulling stumps in connection with bridge contracts for Dept. of Parks, Bronx, at Boston Road and Bronx River in 1926 and at Mount Vernon, N. Y., for the Bronx County Commission in 1926.

The removal of trees and stumps in connection with clearing swamps and cutting down trees and pulling stumps in connection with bridge building, cannot be compared with park clearing work, which requires the protection of small trees, shrubs, lawns and large trees which cannot be replaced. Any one familiar with the growth in Central Park and the location of the dead trees and stumps to be removed and the conditions that surround this whole job, can readily understand that this small list of equipment and their statement of experience is significant enough to show that the Fox-Reynolds Co., Inc., are not familiar with the requirements of this contract, and could not perform the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract.

This contract will be under the supervision of the Forester, therefore it is necessary to make this report in order that your consideration may be given before awarding the contract.

Very truly yours,

WESLEY B. LEACH, Forester."

After a consultation in which all the Commissioners took part, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board May 31, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Central Park, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

The following communication was presented to be entered in the Minutes and filed, a copy thereof to be sent to the Queens Park Commissioner:

"LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,

June 3, 1927.

Hon. Walter R. Herrick,  
President, Park Board.  
Sir:—

I hereby inform you that the duplicate final decree of the Supreme Court in proceedings relative to acquiring title in fee to the real property required for the Public Park bounded by 155th (15th) Street, 29th (Bayside) Avenue, 159th Street and 32nd (Myrtle) Avenue, and for the opening and extending of 29th (Bayside) Avenue from 155th Street to 159th Street; 157th Street from 29th (Bayside) Avenue to 32nd (Myrtle) Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, has been deposited with the Comptroller.

The final decree herein was duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 10th day of May, 1927.

The title in fee to the real property lying within the lines of the Public Park bounded by 155th (15th) Street, 29th (Bayside) Avenue, 159th Street and 32nd (Myrtle) Avenue, and the title in fee to the real property lying within the lines of 29th (Bayside) Avenue from 155th Street to 159th Street, 32nd (Myrtle) Avenue from 156th Street to 159th Street; 157th Street from 29th (Bayside) Avenue to 32nd (Myrtle) Avenue, except where heretofore ceded to The City of New York became vested in The City of New York on the 1st day of June, 1925, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted on the 15th day of May, 1925.

Respectfully yours,

JOEL J. SQUIER,  
Acting Corporation Counsel."

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, June 21, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of roofs over the animal stalls at the Elephant House in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of Roofs Over the Animal Stalls at the Elephant House in the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park, Borough of The Bronx, June 21st, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Baumeister and Bette, Inc., 2251 Westchester Ave., Bronx .....	\$2,585.00
Eugene Brandt & Son, 2012 Bleecker St., Brooklyn .....	3,888.00
Chanin & Teicher Contg. Co., Inc., 800 Home St., Bronx .....	2,973.00
Chrystie Cornice & Skylight Works, Inc., 39 Grand St., N. Y. C. ....	2,522.00
Brooklyn Cornice & Skylight Works Inc., 230 Reid Ave., Brooklyn....	1,990.00
Wm. Kreisberg, 331 W. 59th St., N. Y. C. ....	2,559.00
William Pearce, 421 7th Ave., N. Y. C. ....	2,880.00
Reiss Roofing Co., 971 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn .....	4,470.00
J. Rosenblum, 1001 E. 167th St., Bronx .....	2,375.00
Nicholas J. Schevy, 303 E. 64th St., N. Y. C. ....	3,367.00
Schifter Roofing Co., Inc., 766 E. 161st St., N. Y. C. ....	3,135.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Beech Contracting Company, 122 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., for furnishing Incinerator for the American Museum of Natural History, for which bids were received by the Park Board November 16, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended thirty additional working days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following resolution submitting this extract from the Minutes of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to be incorporated in the Minutes:

*Resolved*, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the 1927 Budget, hereby approves of an increased estimate of cost in the sum of eighteen thousand one hundred and ten dollars (\$18,110), instead of \$14,500 approved on March 10, 1927 (Cal. 54), for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to repair with sheet asphalt and with concrete the roadway pavement on parkways and park roads, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1927, and for inkographing specifications (estimated at \$50.), incidental to the carrying out of the contract, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost thereof to be charged as follows:

	Amount
1927 Budget Appropriation Code 1297, Repairs to Pavements and Walks .....	\$14,500.00
Code RDP—1297-1927, Repairs to Pavements and Walks.....	3,610.00

(A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1927.)"

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board April 12, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to repair with sheet asphalt and with concrete the roadway, pavement on parkways and park roads, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1927, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and John M. Fox, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for improvement of small park at Bedford Avenue and Division Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated December 20, 1926, be and the same hereby is extended thirty consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of William J. Olvany of 100 Charles Street, for heating work of the golf house and comfort station, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, opened by the Park Board April 12, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for his approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

In offering this resolution Commissioner Butler submitted this extract from the Minutes of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to be incorporated in the Minutes of the Park Board.

"*Resolved*, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby determines that it is for the public interest that a bid other than the lowest should be accepted in the matter of a contract for heating work in connection with the construction of a combined golf house and comfort station in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, and that the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of Queens is hereby authorized to award the contract for said work to the next to the lowest bidder, William J. Olvany, 100 Charles Street, New York City, at his revised bid price of twenty-six hundred and twenty-two dollars (\$2,622.)"

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, June 28, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Brooklyn.*

For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection of a field house and comfort station in Greenpoint Park, at Franklin and Dupont Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for the Erection of a Field House and Comfort Station in Greenpoint Park, at Franklin and Dupont Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, June 28th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
M. Barash, 60 Bergen Street, Brooklyn .....	\$13,655.00
Beech Contr. Co., Inc., 122 Livingston St., Brooklyn .....	12,931.00
Carbone Const. Co., 489 5th Ave., N. Y. C. ....	13,735.00
Concord Contr. Co., 139 Throop Ave., Brooklyn .....	13,499.00
The English Const. Co., 15 West 91st St., N. Y. C. ....	14,330.00
Friedlalt Const. Co., Inc., 768 B'way, Far Rockaway L. I. ....	15,995.00
Harry Jereski, 1476 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	19,480.00
Harry Klein, 7426 Woodside Ave., Elmhurst L. I. ....	14,150.00
Joseph A. Lee, 3103 Farragut Road, Brooklyn .....	15,480.00
Wm. D. Moore's Sons, 554 67th St., Brooklyn .....	10,887.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board January 18, 1927, for manufacturing parts for lawn mowers, Borough of Manhattan, (Contract No. 83,233) be, and the same is hereby extended to June 30, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

President Herrick called attention to the following letter from the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Commissioner of the Department of Public Welfare:

"Hon. Walter R. Herrick,  
Commissioner of Parks,  
Arsenal, Central Park,  
New York City.

My dear Commissioner:—

Your letter of June 1st with reference to the proposition of the City maintaining a tree nursery for the benefit of all the parks, has been received.

There is available at this time for such purpose, about 100 acres of unused property at Farm Colony, Staten Island. I will be pleased to arrange an appointment to accompany you and show you just which land can be used for the aforementioned purpose.

Very truly yours,

BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.  
(Public Welfare.)"

After discussion the subject was referred to the President to arrange for a visit to the Farm Colony by the members of the Board.

On motion of Commissioner O'Rourke, it was

*Resolved*, That the several commissioners, making up the departmental estimates for 1928, should request a uniform salary for chauffeurs of not less than \$2,000. per annum, and that the commissioners should consult with the director of the budget and call his attention to some features of the chauffeurs' service involving snow work, Sunday work and night work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection of a field house and comfort station in Greenpoint Park, at Franklin and Dupont Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, received by the Park Board June 28, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

The Secretary was directed to prepare the Park Board Budget for 1928 to be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on or before July 10th, as follows:

*Salaries:*

President, .....	\$10,500.00
4 Commissioners @ \$10,000 each,.....	40,000.00
Secretary, .....	6,500.00
Landscape Architect, .....	6,000.00
Assistant Landscape Architect, .....	5,500.00
Stenographer, .....	2,640.00
Clerk, .....	2,160.00
Contingencies (Including account available, if needed, for inspections with park officials of other cities here or in their parks),.....	1,500.00
	\$74,800.00

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.



## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, July 5th, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Central Park, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of Richmond.*

2. For grading, topsoiling, seeding, sodding, constructing concrete curb and gutter, and the application of a surface treatment on the existing macadam road in Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Felling Dead and Defective Trees, Pulling Up Stumps, Filling the Pits Resulting Therefrom, and Removing and Disposing of Fallen Trees, Logs, Stumps and Rubbish, All in Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, July 5th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	I. F. Cavalluzzo, 1300 Cromwell Ave., Bronx		Evans Clearing Corp., 98 Pine St., N. Y. C.		Kendrick Land Clearing Corp., Hollis, N. Y.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Trees 24" and over to fell, 138 .....	\$48.00	\$6,624.00	\$71.85	\$9,915.30	\$20.70	\$2,856.60
Trees under 24" to fell, 226 .....	23.00	5,198.00	30.00	6,780.00	15.70	3,548.20
Stumps to pull, 636..	55.00	34,980.00	61.85	39,336.60	53.40	33,962.40
		\$46,802.00		\$56,031.90		\$40,367.20

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Grading, Topsoiling,  
a Surface Treatment on the Existing Macadam Road in

Items and Quantities

Grading, 7,700 sq. yds. ....	.....
Topsoil, 700 cu. yds. ....	.....
Grass Seed, 1.6 acres ....	.....
Sod, 800 sq. ft. ....	.....
Concrete Curb, 1,030 lin. ft. ....	.....
Concrete Gutter, 210 sq. yds. ....	.....
Surface Treatment, 1,000 sq. yds. ....	.....

The Minutes of the two previous Meetings were read by the Secretary.

Commissioner Hennessy called attention to the resolution adopted at the Meeting of June 28th, in reference to the compensation of chauffeurs, and said that the intention of the Board, as he understood it, was not fully expressed in the resolution.

After a discussion, Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution on page 3 of the transcription of the Minutes of June 28th be, and the same hereby is amended to read, as follows:

*"Resolved*, That the several commissioners, in making up the departmental estimates for 1928, should request a uniform salary for chauffeurs, who are paid on a per annum basis, of not less than two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), and that the commissioners should consult with the Director of the Budget, and call his attention to some features of the service of chauffeurs involving snow work, Sunday work and night work."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

A discussion of the proposed budget for 1928 was had, and Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution adopted by the Park Board at the meeting of June 28th, be amended by an increase of the item for Contingencies to the amount of \$5,000, and that the Secretary be instructed to ascertain the salaries paid to photographers in other city departments, and to insert an item for a Park Board Photographer at a similar rate.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder received by the Park Board July 5, 1927, for grading, top soiling, seeding, sodding, constructing concrete curb and gutter, and the application of a surface treatment on the existing macadam road in Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the Park Board hereby authorizes and approves of the application of the Hon. Joseph P. Hennessy, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx, for continuance in service after December 1, 1927, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1710, Subdivision 1 of the Charter, as amended by the laws of 1922, and authorizes the President of the Board to sign the requisite certificate of his fitness to continue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:30 p. m., the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

Seeding, Sodding, Constructing Concrete Curb and Gutter and the Application of Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond, July 5th, 1927.

Joseph Johnson's Sons, Inc., 455 Broadway, W. New Brighton, S. I.		James D. Nugent, 1744 70th St., Brooklyn.		Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.		Vanbro Const. Corp. 28 Elizabeth St., S. I.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.40	\$3,080.00	\$0.06	\$462.00	\$0.10	\$770.00	\$0.45	\$3,465.00
2.75	1,925.00	2.00	1,400.00	2.50	1,750.00	3.00	2,100.00
125.00	200.00	120.00	192.00	200.00	320.00	150.00	240.00
0.08	64.00	0.08	64.00	0.07	56.00	0.10	80.00
0.90	927.00	1.55	1,596.50	1.00	1,030.00	1.00	1,030.00
1.00	210.00	2.35	493.50	2.25	472.50	4.00	840.00
0.40	400.00	0.37	370.00	0.25	250.00	0.50	500.00
	<u>\$6,806.00</u>		<u>\$4,578.00</u>		<u>\$4,648.50</u>		<u>\$8,255.00</u>

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, July 19, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Brooklyn.*

For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for regulating and grading the southerly side of 66th Street, between 7th and 8th Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Regulating and Grading the Southerly Side of 66th Street between 7th Avenue and 8th Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, July 19th, 1927.

Bidders	Unit Price	
	26,000 cu. yds.	Amount
C. Carraturo Contr. Co., Inc., 1172 59th Street, Brooklyn....	\$0.85	\$22,100.00
Charles Bennett Improvement Co., Inc., 469 Fenimore St., Blyn	0.84 $\frac{1}{4}$	22,035.00
Fleming Sheppard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.....	1.10	28,600.00
John D. Norton, 303 Douglass St., Brooklyn .....	0.83	21,530.00
James V. Tinecamo, 1831 Cropsey Ave., Brooklyn .....	0.98	25,480.00

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read by the Secretary.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Terminal Supply Company, 2 Lafayette Street, New York City, for Playground Equipment, bids for which were received by the Park Board April 12, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to August 15th, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of deliveries in contract No. 83173 with Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co., Inc., 133 Fourth Avenue, for furnishing and delivering Hardware and Tools for Department of Parks, The Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on January 18, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to April 14, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Grasselli Chemical Co., for Arsenate of Lead Paste furnished to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated April 15, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase February 28th, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to May 10th, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and J. Keur for flowering bulbs for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated October 15, 1926, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase July 29, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to October 30, 1926, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Pizzo & Foley, for furnishing all labor and materials neces-

sary or required for the second part of the improvement of the Ocean Parkway Terminus at Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated January 17, 1927, be and the same hereby is extended sixty (60) consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for regulating and grading the southerly side of 66th Street, between 7th and 8th Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board July 19, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved, that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Donald McKay Building Co., 151 West 42nd Street, for Moving Picture Booths, School Service Building, American Museum of Natural History, for which bids were received by the Park Board March 15, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended thirty additional working days, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Frank H. Wilson, William M. McQuade and William M. Wallace, Foremen of Laborers, and acting as a Committee from Local No. 60 A. F. of L. the Association of Park Foremen, appeared before the Board for a hearing on the subject of the Proposed Budget for 1928.

The members of the Committee were all heard in turn presenting the facts and figures to show that the Foremen of Laborers in the Parks are one of the lowest and most inadequately paid groups in the City's employ and that in some cases the laborers in the sections get more pay than the foremen in charge. The general figure of \$2,000 per annum was complained of as insufficient and the suggestion offered that General Foremen and District Foremen ought to be paid \$3,000, and Foremen of Laborers \$2,500.

Commissioner Herrick reported a conference with the Director of the Budget in which he had been informed that the proposed budget figures would have to show no increase over the current salaries or wages of the employee personnel in the City Departments. He said that the effort to adjust and equalize the pay of the Foremen of Laborers, which he favored as being fair and just, would have to be made in a supplemental application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by each Commissioner in his individual administrative jurisdiction.

Mr. McQuade of the Committee suggested as a view held by the members of the Association that an utterance in favor of the increase of pay on the part of the Park Board would be helpful in securing it.

Commissioner O'Rourke explained that the foremen in the Borough of Richmond were per diem employees and expressed his entire sympathy with the effort to do justice to the men concerned.

Commissioner Butler said that the situation in the Borough of Queens was identical with that in Richmond, and that he was fully in favor of action by the Board and by the individual commissioners to correct the condition complained of.

Commissioner Hennessy said that some of the foremen in the Borough of The Bronx were getting less than \$2,000 a year. He favored action by the Board as requested, and offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the several commissioners in a supplementary request to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment following the Proposed Budget for 1928 ask for a modification to provide for an equalization of the salaries of Foremen of Laborers, who are paid on a per annum basis to the uniform figure of not less than \$2,500, and General Foremen or District Foremen at not less than \$3,000 per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, Hennessy, O'Rourke—4.

The Secretary was directed to call the attention of Commissioner Browne to this action of the Board.

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, July 26th, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals, which had been received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Queens.*

1. For the construction of asphalt pavement on the existing dirt road from the golf house to Myrtle Avenue and Hanson Place, Forest Park, Borough of Queens.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of Asphalt Pavement on Existing Dirt Road from Gold House to Myrtle Avenue and Hanson Place, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, July 26th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Carberry-Block Corp., 50 Court St., Brooklyn.		Rosoff Bros., Inc., 1014 Gates Ave., Brooklyn.		Welch Bros Contg. Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Regulating and grading, 8,000 cu.yds..	\$1.00	\$8,000.00	\$1.50	\$12,000.00	\$1.00	\$8,000.00
Concrete catch basins, 6 .....	80.00	480.00	100.00	600.00	75.00	450.00
Concrete apron wall, 2 .....	50.00	100.00	25.00	50.00	100.00	200.00
8" C. I. drain pipe, 18 lin. ft. ....	5.00	900.00	4.00	720.00	5.00	900.00
8" Vitr. drain pipe, 360 lin. ft. ....	2.75	990.00	2.00	720.00	3.00	1,080.00
Concrete curb, 3,300 lin. ft. ....	0.90	2,970.00	0.85	2,805.00	1.25	4,125.00
Bluestone headers, 500 lin. ft. ....	1.25	625.00	1.00	500.00	1.50	750.00
Concrette foundation, 1,800 cu. yds. ....	9.00	16,200.00	9.00	16,200.00	10.50	18,900.00
Asphalt pavement, 10,300 sq. yds. ...	2.25	23,175.00	2.00	20,600.00	2.35	24,205.00
Bituminous macadam, 2,000 sq. yds. ....	2.00	4,000.00	2.75	5,500.00	1.95	3,900.00
Top Soil, 500 cu. yds.	3.00	1,500.00	4.00	2,000.00	2.50	1,250.00
Sodding, 30,000 sq.ft.	0.06	1,800.00	0.05	1,500.00	0.06	1,800.00
		\$60,740.00		\$63,195.00		\$65,560.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Central Park, together with all work incidental thereto, for which proposals had been received by the Park Board July 5, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved, that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co., 4th Avenue at 13th Street,

for Tools and Hardware for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase January 18, 1927, Manhattan, be and the same is hereby extended up to and including June 30, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and J. A. Maloney & Co., 1170 Broadway, for White Pine, North Carolina Pine and Spruce, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase March 16, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to August 31, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, August 2, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals, received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for reconstructing walks and resetting and repointing steps and coping where required on the grounds surrounding Grant's Tomb in Riverside Drive, together with all work incidental thereto.

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the alterations to Boreal Hall, second and third floors, southeast pavilion of the American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan Square, together with all work incidental thereto.

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Reconstructing Walls Surrounding Grant's Tomb, in Riverside Park,**

Items and Quantities

Excavation, 780 cu. yds. ....
Steps to reset, 240 lin. ft. ....
Coping to reset, repointing and coping of steps .....
Double layer cement work, 25,200 sq. ft. ....
4" cement walk, 12,700 sq. ft. ....

Items and Quantities	Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 E. 125th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount
Excavation, 780 cu. yds. ....	\$4.50	\$3,510.00
Steps to Reset, 240 lin. ft. ....	2.00	480.00
Coping to reset, repointing steps and coping .....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Double layer cement work, 25,200 sq. ft. ....	0.79	19,908.00
4" cement walk, 12,700 sq. ft. ....	0.40	5,080.00
		<b>\$29,978.00</b>

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Alterations in Boreal Natural History, Borough of**

Items and Quantities	Balaban-Gordon Co., Inc., 116 W. 39th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount
For the work as specified .....		\$9,680.00
For the work except empty conduit .....		9,030.00



3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for regulating, grading and draining a new foot path from Isham Street (extended) to the existing foot paths in Inwood Hill Park, together with all work incidental thereto.

4. For paving with asphalt upon a concrete foundation the southerly, easterly and northerly sidewalks of the playground on the westerly side of Hamilton Place, between 140th and 141st Street.

*Borough of The Bronx.*

5. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of reinforced concrete plant benches in houses Nos. 1 and 3, at Greenhouse Range in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto.

6. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of bridge, new roadways and paths, Kissena Park, Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

7. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Anawanda Park, Ridgewood, Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

and Resetting and Repointing Steps and Coping Where Required on the Grounds Borough of Manhattan, August 2nd, 1927.

Charles D. Beckwith, Inc., Seneca Ave. and Bronx River, N. Y. C.		George A. Dugan Co., Inc., 200 Fifth Ave., N. Y. C.		The English Const. Co., Inc., 15 W. 91st St., N. Y. C.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$2.40	\$1,872.00	\$3.99	\$3,112.20	\$5.30	\$4,134.00	\$2.25	\$1,755.00
1.75	420.00	0.54	129.60	1.20	288.00	4.00	960.00
1,000.00	1,000.00	594.00	594.00	400.00	400.00	750.00	750.00
0.94	23,688.00	0.575	14,490.00	0.48	12,096.00	0.55	13,860.00
0.42	5,334.00	0.245	3,111.50	0.27	3,429.00	0.24	3,048.00
<u>\$32,314.00</u>		<u>\$21,437.30</u>		<u>\$20,347.00</u>		<u>\$20,373.00</u>	

Morris Park Contr. Co., Inc., 1991 Cruger Ave., Bronx, N. Y. C.		M. C. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.		Valatia Const. Corp., 152 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.		S. Wysacke & Co., Inc., 690 Eight Ave., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$2.50	\$1,950.00	\$1.91	\$1,489.80	\$0.50	\$390.00	\$2.50	\$1,950.00
0.01	2.40	0.13	31.20	3.00	720.00	2.00	480.00
0.01	.01	485.00	485.00	5.00	5.00	1,960.00	1,960.00
0.50	12,600.00	0.391	9,853.20	0.67	16,884.00	0.55	13,860.00
0.25	3,175.00	0.23	2,921.00	0.35	4,445.00	0.35	4,445.00
<u>\$17,727.41</u>		<u>\$14,780.20</u>		<u>\$22,444.00</u>		<u>\$22,695.00</u>	

Hall, Second and Third Floors, Southeast Pavilion of the American Museum of Manhattan, August 2nd, 1927.

Concord Contr. Co., 139 Throop Ave., Brooklyn.		Freudlait Const. Co., Inc., 768 Broadway, Far Rockaway, L.I.		Bernard Knopp, 156 E. 47th St., N. Y. C.		Donald McKay Bldg. Co., Inc., 151 W. 42nd St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
.....	\$8,953.00	.....	\$9,950.00	.....	\$9,671.00	.....	\$13,276.00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,171.00	.....	11,976.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Regulating, Grading and Draining a New Foot Path, from Isham St. (extended) to the Existing Foot Paths in Inwood Hill Park, Borough of Manhattan, August 2nd, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. and Sedgwick Ave., Bronx, N. Y. C.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Valatia Const. Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Excavation earth, 300 cu. yds. ....	\$0.50	\$150.00	\$2.00	\$600.00	\$1.50	\$450.00
2. Excavation rock, 75 cu. yds. ....	.....	.....	7.00	525.00	10.00	750.00
3. Catch basins, 11 ..	100.00	1,100.00	60.00	660.00	50.00	550.00
4. 6" drain pipe, 420 lin. ft. ....	3.00	1,260.00	1.00	420.00	0.50	210.00
5. 12" drain pipe, 160 lin. ft. ....	3.00	480.00	1.50	240.00	1.00	160.00
6. Concrete, 30 cu. yds. ....	20.00	600.00	20.00	600.00	20.00	600.00
7. Borrowed filling, 2,400 cu. yds. ....	.....	.....	0.60	1,440.00	1.00	2,400.00
		<u>\$3,590.00</u>		<u>\$4,485.00</u>		<u>\$5,120.00</u>

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Paving With Asphalt Upon a Concrete Foundation the Southerly, Easterly and Northerly Sidewalks of the Playground at Hamilton Place between 14th and 141st Streets, Borough of Manhattan, August 2nd, 1927.**

Items and Quantities	Charles D. Beckwith, Inc., Seneca Ave. and Bronx River, Bronx, N. Y. C.		Fleming & Shepard, Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Valatia Construction Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Concrete, 90 cu. yds.	\$8.40	\$756.00	\$9.50	\$855.00	\$15.00	\$1,350.00
Asphalt, 5,200 sq. ft.	0.22	1,144.00	0.19	988.00	0.15	780.00
		\$1,900.00		\$1,843.00		\$2,130.00

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Erection of Reinforced Concrete Plant Benches in Houses Nos. 1 and 3, at Greenhouse Range in Bronx Park, Borough of The Bronx, August 2nd, 1927.**

Bidders	Amount
Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. & Sedgwick Ave., Bronx .....	\$2,468.00
James D. Larkin, 771 E. 169th St., Bronx .....	2,500.00
W. Pearce, 421 7th Ave., N. Y. C. ....	4,449.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of 2nd,

Items and Quantities	Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.		M. J. Grant, 391 Potter Ave., Astoria.		Kordes Constr. Co. Inc., 59 Washington Ave., Ridgewood, L. I.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. One rustic bridge, 1 .....	\$4,500.00	\$4,500.00	.....	\$6,500.00	.....	\$4,500.00
2. Regulating and grading, 5,000 cu. yds. ....	1.00	5,000.00	1.15	5,750.00	0.80	4,000.00
3. Steam cinder sur- facing, 810 cu. yds.	2.00	1,620.00	2.50	2,025.00	2.25	1,822.50
4. Top soil, 300 cu. yds. ....	3.00	900.00	3.00	900.00	2.00	600.00
5. Sod, 22,000 sq. ft.	0.08	1,760.00	0.06	1,320.00	0.08	1,760.00
		\$13,780.00		\$16,495.00		\$12,682.50

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of

Items and Quantities	Gustave Brugel, 1623 Norman St., Ridgewood, L. I.		Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 6,000 cu. yds.	\$0.73	\$4,380.00	\$1.00	\$6,000.00
2. Brick manholes, 2 .....	100.00	200.00	150.00	300.00
3. 10" Vitr. pipe drain, 360 lin. ft. ....	3.00	1,080.00	3.00	1,080.00
4. 8" Vitr. pipe drain, 400 lin. ft. ....	3.00	1,200.00	2.75	1,100.00
5. 6" Vitr. pipe drain, 140 lin. ft. ....	3.00	420.00	2.00	280.00
6. 4" Vitr. pipe drain, 450 lin. ft. ....	2.00	900.00	1.75	787.50
7. Concrete catch basins, 12 .....	70.00	840.00	60.00	720.00
8. 6" Gate valves, 2 .....	50.00	100.00	60.00	120.00
9. 4" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 740 lin. ft. ....	4.00	2,960.00	2.50	1,850.00
10. 3" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 210 lin. ft. ....	3.00	630.00	2.50	525.00
11. 2" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 220 lin. ft. ....	2.00	440.00	1.80	416.00
12. 1" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 330 lin. ft. ....	2.00	660.00	1.40	462.00
13. Concrete steps, 180 sq. ft. ....	1.00	180.00	2.00	360.00
14. Bituminous walks, 8,800 sq. ft. ....	0.25	2,200.00	0.18	1,584.00
15. Bases for drinking fountains, 4 ....	300.00	1,200.00	60.00	240.00
16. Tennis courts, complete, 3 .....	1,900.00	5,700.00	2,700.00	8,100.00
17. Baseball backstop, complete, 1 .....	500.00	500.00	575.00	575.00
18. Top soil, 150 cu. yds. ....	2.00	300.00	3.00	450.00
19. Sod, 10,000 sq. ft. ....	0.06	600.00	0.08	800.00
		\$24,490.00		\$25,749.50

Bridge, New Roadways and Paths, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, August 1927.

M. C. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.		Slattery Contr. Co. Inc., 9518 80th St., Woodhaven, L. I.		Welsh Bros. Cont. Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. C.		S. Wysacke & Co., Inc., 690 Eighth Ave., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
.....	\$6,235.39	.....	\$5,300.00	.....	\$2,950.00	.....	\$7,327.00
\$1.05	5,250.00	\$1.05	5,250.00	\$0.75	3,750.00	\$1.35	6,750.00
2.63	2,130.00	2.50	2,025.00	2.25	1,822.50	3.00	2,430.00
2.50	750.00	2.83	849.00	2.00	600.00	3.00	900.00
0.05	1,100.00	0.07	1,540.00	0.06	1,320.00	0.04	880.00
	<u>\$15,465.39</u>		<u>\$14,964.00</u>		<u>\$10,442.50</u>		<u>\$18,287.00</u>

Anawanda Park, Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, August 2nd, 1927.

M. J. Grant, 139 Potter Ave., Astoria.		Kordes Cont. Co., Inc., 59 Washington Ave., Ridgewood, L. I.		Slattery Contr. Co., Inc., 9518 80th St., Woodhaven, L. I.		Welsh Bros. Cont. Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.25	\$7,500.00	\$0.80	\$4,800.00	\$0.75	\$4,500.00	\$0.90	\$5,400.00
125.00	250.00	100.00	200.00	100.00	200.00	75.00	150.00
1.25	450.00	2.50	900.00	4.00	1,440.00	2.50	900.00
1.10	440.00	2.40	1,060.00	3.00	1,200.00	2.50	1,000.00
1.00	140.00	1.50	210.00	2.50	350.00	2.50	350.00
0.75	337.50	1.25	562.50	2.00	900.00	2.00	900.00
75.00	900.00	25.00	300.00	80.00	960.00	75.00	900.00
50.00	100.00	20.00	400.00	75.00	150.00	25.00	50.00
1.75	1,295.00	2.50	1,850.00	3.00	2,220.00	2.00	1,480.00
1.50	315.00	1.50	315.00	3.00	630.00	2.00	420.00
1.75	275.00	0.80	176.00	2.00	440.00	2.00	440.00
1.25	412.50	0.65	214.50	2.50	825.00	1.00	330.00
2.00	360.00	1.10	220.00	2.50	450.00	1.50	270.00
0.30	2,640.00	0.25	2,200.00	0.35	3,080.00	0.25	2,200.00
75.00	300.00	25.00	100.00	50.00	200.00	25.00	100.00
800.00	2,400.00	2,300.00	6,900.00	1,000.00	3,000.00	3,300.00	9,900.00
300.00	300.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	600.00	600.00	100.00	100.00
3.00	450.00	2.00	300.00	3.50	525.00	2.50	375.00
0.06	600.00	0.08	800.00	0.07	700.00	0.06	600.00
	<u>\$19,465.00</u>		<u>\$22,508.00</u>		<u>\$22,370.00</u>		<u>\$25,865.00</u>

There being no objection the President directed that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board June 7, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting an artificial granite balustrade complete, on top of the present concrete bulkhead wall along the easterly boundary of the Harlem River Driveway, between 193rd and 198th Streets, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder (M. S. Seelig Co., 44 Court Street, Brooklyn), received by the Park Board August 2, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for reconstructing walks and resetting and repointing steps and coping where required on the grounds surrounding Grant's Tomb in Riverside Park, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder (Concord Construction Co., 139 Throop Avenue, Brooklyn), received by the Park Board August 2, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the alterations to Boreal Hall, second and third floors, southeast pavilion of the American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan Square, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder (Joseph L. Brennan, 167th Street and Sedgwick Avenue), received by the Park Board August 2, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for regulating, grading and draining a new foot path from Isham Street (extended) to the existing foot paths in Inwood Hill Park, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 2, 1927 (Fleming & Sheppard, 116 Broad Street), for paving with asphalt upon a concrete foundation the southerly, easterly and northerly sidewalks of the playground on the westerly side of Hamilton Place between 140th and 141st Street, Manhattan, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of deliveries in Contract No. 84555, with J. S. Woodhouse, Inc., 256 West Street, for furnishing and delivering Lawn Mowers for Department of Parks, Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on January 18th, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to July 2nd, 1927, the delay being due to causes beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and Bayley & Sons, Inc., for all labor and materials required for the installation of electric light fixtures in Sections F and G of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Eastern Parkway, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated November 10, 1926,

be and the same hereby is extended thirty consecutive working days from the expiration of the 60 day extension granted from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

President Herrick reported that he had spent a part of the day with the Director of the Budget, Mr. Charles L. Kohler. After the consideration of the proposed budget for parks, Manhattan, he had discussed briefly and informally the proposed Park Board budget.

A general discussion of budget matters and park conditions, including the subject of police protection, was gone into at considerable length, all of of the commissioners present taking part.

On motion at 3:45 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, August 16th, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

Commissioner O'Rourke in the Chair.

Acting Commissioner John M. Hart of Manhattan.

Acting Commissioner John J. Sullivan of Brooklyn.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion (excepting plumbing and gas fitting) of a comfort station for men and women in Washington Square Park, Manhattan, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto.

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for plumbing and gas fitting in connection with the erection and completion of a comfort station in Washington Square, Manhattan, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto.

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to furnish and install steel shelving in the attic of the main central wing of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.

4. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of a platform in the Exhibition Hall of the School Service Building, Southwest Court, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.

5. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary and required to install steel shelving in the storeroom of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.

6. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for narrowing the sidewalk on the north side of West 40th Street from Fifth Avenue to the existing new curb line at the southeast corner of Bryant Park, about 506 feet west of the west curb line of Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Erection and Completion excepting Plumbing and Gas Fitting of a Comfort Station for Men and Women in Washington Square Park, Borough of Manhattan. August 16th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Carbone Const. Co., 489 5th Ave., N. Y. C. ....	\$19,380.00
Harris M. Cohen, 660 Madison Ave., N. Y. C. ....	18,850.00
Concord Contr. Co., 139 Throop Ave., Brooklyn ....	22,443.00
The English Const. Co., 15 W. 91st St., N. Y. C. ....	19,300.00
G. A. Glantz, Inc., 25 W. 45th St., N. Y. C. ....	23,470.00
Abraham M. Goldsmith, 2511 Grand Central Term. Bldg., N. Y. C.	23,800.00
Harry Jereski, 1476 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	24,244.00
Kandel Const. Co., Inc., 103 Park Ave., N. Y. C. ....	20,485.00
Kaufman-Snyder, Inc., 165 W. 46th St., N. Y. C. ....	19,170.00
Wm. D. Moore's Son, 544 67th St., Brooklyn ....	18,865.00
James D. Nugent, 1744 70th St., Brooklyn ....	19,323.00
Lawrence J. Rice, 372 Burns St., Forest Hills, N. Y. ....	19,137.00



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Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Plumbing and Gas Fitting in connection with the Erection and Completion of a Comfort Station in Washington Square Park, Borough of Manhattan, August 16th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Altman Plumbing Co., 219 E. 25th St., N. Y. C. ....	\$5,835.00
Lossock-Gaynor Corp., 197 Prospect St., L. I. C. ....	5,400.00
Edward V. McGovern, 251 E. 66th St., N. Y. C. ....	4,810.00
Nally Plumbing Contr. Co., Inc., 177 W. 97th St., N. Y. C. ....	5,839.00
Thomas E. O'Brien, Inc., 6311 5th Ave., Brooklyn ....	5,200.00
M. Seitelbach, 148-50 E. 28th St., N. Y. C. ....	4,650.00

Table of Bids for furnishing All Labor and Materials to Furnish and Install Steel Shelving in the Attic of the Main Central Wing of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Borough of Manhattan, August 16th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Art Metal Const. Co., 369 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$4,500.00
The General Fireproofing Co., 438 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	3,747.00
The Van Dorn Iron Works Co., 41 E. 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	3,450.00

Table for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Erection and Completion Court, American Museum of Natural History,

Items and Quantities	The English Const. Co., Inc., 15 W. 91st St., N. Y. C.		Freudlait Const. Co., Inc., 768 Broadway, Far Rockaway, L.I.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
For the above named work .....		\$4,400.00		\$3,789.00
Extra for polished marble finish .....		100.00		90.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials to Install Steel Shelving in the Storeroom of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Borough of Manhattan, August 16th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Art Metal Const. Co., 369 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$2,680.00
The General Fireproofing Co., 438 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	2,616.00
The Van Dorn Iron Works Co., 41 East 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	2,490.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Narrowing the Sidewalk on the North Side of West 40th Street from Fifth Avenue to the Existing New Curb Line at the Southeast Corner of Bryant Park, about 506 Feet West of the West Curb Line of Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, August 16th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx, N. Y. ....	\$8,750.00
Rice and Monaghan, 101 Park Ave., N. Y. C. ....	12,300.00
Lawrence J. Rice, 372 Burns St., Forest Hills, N. Y. ....	11,120.00
Sachs Const. Corp., 2 Lafayette St., N. Y. C. ....	10,900.00
Valatia Const. Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C. ....	9,975.00

There being no objection, the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Hennessy, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of contract No. 81725 between this Department and Ascher Engineering and Construction Company, 1457 Broadway, for furnishing and erecting an artificial granite balustrade and base course on top of the present stone or concrete bulkhead wall along the easterly boundary of the Harlem River Driveway where required between 171st and 193rd Streets, Manhattan, for which bids were received by the Park Board October 26, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to December 31, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy, by request, offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of contract No. 82787 between this Department and J. H. Goldblatt, 435 East 166th Street, for Comfort Station, Carl Schurz Park, Manhattan, for which bids were received by the Park Board February 15, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to September 30, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

By request, Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution of award passed by the Park Board at its meeting of July 19th, 1927, for "regulating and grading the southerly side of 66th Street between 7th and 8th Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn," be and the same hereby is, amended to read as follows: "and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board!"

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of work in contract No. 81,360, with the Joseph Palladino, Inc., 4179 Park Avenue, for furnishing all

of a Platform in the Exhibition Hall of the School Service Building, South West Borough of Manhattan, August 16th, 1927.

Bernard Knopp, 156 E. 47th St., N. Y. C.		Donald McKay Bldg. Co., Inc., 151 W. 42nd St., N. Y. C.		E. O. Roberts Co., Inc., 52 Vanderbilt Ave., N. Y. C.		Nicholas J. Schevy, 303 E. 64th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
.....	\$3,485.00	.....	\$3,880.00	.....	\$3,720.00	.....	\$3,670.00
.....	69.00	.....	80.00	.....	100.00	.....	100.00

labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of the triangular plot at the intersection of East 177th Street, Castle Hill Avenue and Watson Avenue, The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board June 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to June 20, 1927, the delay being due to causes beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 2, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of reinforced concrete plant benches in houses Nos. 1 and 3, at the Greenhouse Range in Bronx Park, The Bronx, together with all the work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for the approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board August 2, 1927, for furnishing all labor and material necessary or required for the improvement of Anawanda Park, Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board August 2, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of bridge, new roadways and paths, Kissena Park, Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, August 23, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke; Acting Commissioner John M. Hart; Commissioner Hennessy in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Queens.*

For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of exterior sidewalks and steps and planting of trees along the parkside of Park Lane from Union Turnpike to 115th Street, Forest Park, Borough of Queens.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of Lane, from Union Turnpike to 115th Street, Forest

Items and Quantities

1. Regulating and grading, 1,700 cu. yds. ....	2. Concrete sidewalk, 24,000 sq. ft. ....	3. Concrete steps, 150 sq. ft. ....	4. Fire hydrant box, 1 .....	5. Top soil, 650 cu. yds. ....	6. Sod, 50,000 sq. ft. ....	7. Trees planted, 97 .....
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Grossman-Wein-  
gartner & D'Ambro-  
sio, 198 Navy St.,  
Brooklyn.

Items and Quantities	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 1,700 cu. yds. ....	\$2.00	\$3,400.00
2. Concrete sidewalk, 24,000 sq. ft. ....	0.32	7,680.00
3. Concrete steps, 150 sq. ft. ....	1.00	150.00
4. Fire hydrant box, 1 .....	45.00	45.00
5. Top soil, 650 cu. yds. ....	3.00	1,950.00
6. Sod, 50,000 sq. ft. ....	0.06	3,000.00
7. Trees planted, 97 .....	26.00	2,522.00
		<b>\$18,747.00</b>

There being no objection the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion (excepting plumbing and gas fitting) of a comfort station for men and women in Washington Square Park, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for plumbing and gas fitting in connection with the erection and completion of a comfort station in Washington Square, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and

Exterior Sidewalks and Steps and Planting of Trees along the Parkside of Park Park, Borough of Queens, August 23rd, 1927.

Gustave Brugel, 1622 Norman St., Ridgewood, N. Y.		Carberry-Black Corp., 50 Court St., Brooklyn.		Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.01	\$17.00	\$0.01	\$17.00	\$1.00	\$1,700.00	\$1.50	\$2,550.00
0.45	10,800.00	0.34	8,160.00	0.35	8,400.00	0.30	7,200.00
2.50	375.00	2.00	300.00	5.00	750.00	1.40	210.00
75.00	75.00	45.00	45.00	75.00	75.00	100.00	100.00
0.01	65.00	2.00	1,800.00	3.00	1,950.00	3.00	1,950.00
0.07	3,500.00	0.06	3,000.00	0.07	3,500.00	0.07	3,500.00
23.00	2,231.00	20.00	1,940.00	30.00	2,910.00	40.00	3,880.00
	\$17,004.50		\$14,762.00		\$19,285.00		\$19,390.00

Wm. J. McHale Cont. Co., Inc., 1250 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.		John J. O'Brien, Jr. 8625 137th St., Jamaica, N. Y.		Kennedy, Smith, Inc., Bradford & Henry Sts., Flushing, N.Y.		Welsh Bros. Cont. Co., 14 Queens St., L. I. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.95	\$1,615.00	\$0.01	\$17.00	\$1.15	\$1,955.00	\$0.01	\$17.00
0.305	7,320.00	0.43	10,320.00	0.32	768.00	0.34	8,160.00
2.00	300.00	1.00	150.00	1.00	150.00	2.50	375.00
75.00	75.00	30.00	30.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
2.50	1,625.00	2.95	1,917.50	3.50	2,275.00	3.00	1,950.00
0.0525	2,625.00	0.05	2,500.00	0.08	4,000.00	0.055	2,750.00
14.00	1,358.00	39.00	3,783.00	30.00	2,910.00	27.50	2,667.50
	\$14,918.00		\$18,717.50		\$19,020.00		\$15,969.50

hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of a platform in the Exhibition Hall of the School Service Building, Southwest Court, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secre-

tary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary and required to install steel shelving in the storeroom of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for narrowing the sidewalk on the north side of West 40th Street from Fifth Avenue to the existing new curb line at the southeast corner of Bryant Park, about 506 feet west of the west curb line of Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of contract No. 82712 between this Department and D. J. Singleton, 82 Duane Street, for furnishing Playground Equipment, Manhattan, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase February 3, 1927, be, and the same is hereby extended to September 15, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Terminal Supply Company, 2 Lafayette Street, New York, for Playground Equipment, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase April 12, 1927, be and the same is hereby further extended to October 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, August 30, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke; Acting Commissioner John M. Hart, Manhattan; Acting Commissioner John J. Sullivan, Brooklyn; Commissioner O'Rourke in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read as follows:

### *Borough of Brooklyn.*

1. For furnishing all labor and material necessary or required for the erection of pipe rail shelters and duck covers at various parks and playgrounds in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to repair with sheet asphalt and with concrete the roadway pavement of parkways and park roads, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1927, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of wrought iron fence along certain boundary lines of St. Mary's Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Erection of Pipe Rail Shelters and Duck Covers at Various Parks and Playgrounds, Borough of Brooklyn, August 30th, 1927.**

Bidders	Amount
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$11,289.00
Fred. Ehrick Co., 192 24th St., Brooklyn .....	14,468.00
Independent Wire Works, 418 3rd Ave., Brooklyn .....	14,750.00
Playground Equipment Co., 122 Greenwich St., N. Y. C. ....	14,971.00
Vulcan Rail & Const. Co., Grand St., Maspeth, L. I. ....	14,900.00

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials to Repair with Sheet Asphalt and with Concrete the Roadway Pavement on Parkways and Park Roads, Borough of Brooklyn, August 30, 1927.**

Items and Quantities	Cranford Co., 52 Ninth St., Brooklyn.		The Sicilian As- phalt Paving Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Concrete foundation, 100 cu. yds. ....	\$16.50	\$1,650.00	\$15.00	\$1,500.00
Sheet asphalt, 2,100 sq. yds. ....	3.35	7,035.00	3.39	7,119.00
		\$8,685.00		\$8,619.00

**Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Erection and Completion of Wrought Iron Fence, along Certain Boundary Lines of St. Mary's Park, Borough of The Bronx, August 30th, 1927.**

Bidders	Unit Price 3,800 lin. ft.		Amount
	Price	Amount	
American Fence Const. Co., 221 W. 57th St. N. Y. C. ....	\$2.83	\$10,754.00	
Globe Iron Works, 355 Walton Ave., Bronx .....	6.00	22,800.00	
Gottlieb Iron Works, Inc., 63 North Henry St., Brooklyn..	2.84	10,792.00	
Independent Wire Works, 418 3rd Ave., Brooklyn .....	3.13	11,894.00	
John S. Konop, 501 16th Ave., L. I. C. ....	3.59	13,642.00	
Particular Iron Works, Inc., 538-540 Canal St., N. Y. C. ...	2.67	10,146.00	
Leo Tyroler, 101 West 88th St., N. Y. C. ....	2.90	11,020.00	
Vulcan Rail & Const. Co., Grand St., Maspeth, N. Y. ....	3.48	13,224.00	

There being no objection the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to furnish and install steel shelving in the attic of the main central wing of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board July 5, 1927, awarding the contract for grading, top soiling, seeding, sodding, constructing concrete curb and gutter, and the application of a surface treatment on the existing macadam road in Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, be amended to read as follows:

"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board, be and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board July 26, 1927, awarding the contract for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for felling dead and defective trees, pulling up stumps, filling the pits resulting therefrom, and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs, stumps and rubbish, all in Central Park, together with all work incidental thereto, for which proposals had been received by the Park Board July 5, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, be amended to read as follows:

"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for the construction of asphalt pavement on the existing dirt road from the golf house to Myrtle Avenue and Hanson Place, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, bids for which were received July 26, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board August 2, 1927, awarding the contract for erecting an artificial granite balustrade along the easterly boundary of the Harlem River Driveway between 193rd and 198th Streets be amended to read as follows:

"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board August 2, 1927, awarding the contract for reconstructing walks and resetting and repointing steps and coping where required on the grounds surrounding Grant's Tomb in Riverside Park, together with all work incidental thereto, be amended to read as follows:

"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board August 2, 1927, awarding the contract for alterations to Boreal Hall, second and third floors, southeast pavilion of the American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan Square, together with all work incidental thereto, be amended to read as follows:



"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board August 2, 1927, awarding the contract for regulating, grading and draining a new foot path from Isham Street (extension) to the existing foot paths in Inwood Hill Park, together with all work incidental thereto, be amended to read as follows:

"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the resolution passed by the Park Board August 2, 1927, awarding the contract for paving with asphalt upon a concrete foundation the southerly, easterly and northerly sidewalks of the playground on the westerly side of Hamilton Place between 140th and 141st Streets, Manhattan, be amended to read as follows:

"And when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 30, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to repair with sheet asphalt and with concrete the roadway pavement of parkways and park roads, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1927, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 30, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection of pipe rail shelters and duck covers at various parks and playgrounds in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, September 6, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke; Acting Commissioner John M. Hart, Manhattan; Commissioner O'Rourke in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting eleven (11) benches in shelter at Riverside Drive near the intersection of Chittenden Avenue, and Rivrside Drive, Manhattan, all as shown upon the drawing and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing and Erecting 11 Benches in Shelter at Riverside Drive near the Intersection of Chittenden Avenue and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, September 6th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$1,199.00
Blumar Const. Co., Inc., 25 W. 43rd St., N. Y. C.....	995.00
James D. Nugent, 1744 70th St., N. Y. C. ....	902.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of ber 6,

Items and Quantities	Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.		Kordes Contr. Co., Inc., 59 Washington Ave., Ridgewood, L. I.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Rustic bridge, 1 .....		\$4,400.00		\$5,000.00
Regulating and grading, 5,000 cu. yds. ...	\$0.75	3,750.00	\$0.90	4,500.00
Steam cinders, 810 cu. yds. ...	1.75	1,417.50	2.25	1,822.50
Top soil, 300 cu. yds. ....	3.00	900.00	2.00	600.00
Sod, 22,000 sq. ft. ....	0.06	1,320.00	0.08	1,760.00
		<u>\$11,787.50</u>		<u>\$13,682.50</u>

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of

Items and Quantities	Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 600 cu. yds. ....	\$0.75	\$4,500.00
2. Brick manholes, 2 .....	150.00	300.00
3. 10" Vitr. pipe drain, 360 lin. ft. ....	3.00	1,080.00
4. 8" Vitr. pipe drain, 400 lin. ft. ....	3.00	1,200.00
5. 6" Vitr. pipe drain, 140 lin. ft. ....	2.25	315.00
6. 4" Vitr. pipe drain, 450 lin. ft. ....	1.75	787.50
7. Concrete catch basins, 12 .....	55.00	660.00
8. 6" Gate valves, 2 .....	50.00	100.00
9. 4" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 740 lin. ft. ....	2.50	1,850.00
10. 3" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 210 lin. ft. ....	2.50	525.00
11. 2" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 220 lin. ft. ....	2.00	440.00
12. 1" Galv. iron water supply pipe, 330 lin. ft. ....	1.50	495.00
13. Tread concrete steps, 180 sq. ft. ....	2.00	360.00
14. Bituminous walks, 8,800 sq. ft. ....	0.16	1,408.00
15. Concrete basins, drinking fountains, 4 .....	70.00	280.00
16. Tennis court .....	2,700.00	2,700.00
17. Baseball backstop, 1 .....	550.00	550.00
18. Top soil, 150 cu. yds. ....	3.00	450.00
19. Sod, 10,000 sq. ft. ....	0.06	600.00
		<u>\$18,600.50</u>

*Borough of Queens.*

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of bridge, new roadways and paths, Kissena Park, Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Anawanda Park, Ridgewood, Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

There being no objection, the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board August 30, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection and completion of wrought iron fence along certain boundary lines of St. Mary's Park, The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for the approval of sureties, and when so approved that the Secretary of the Park Board be, and hereby is, authorized and designated to enter into and execute the contract for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:00 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

Bridge, New Roadways and Partts in Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, Septem-  
1927.

Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.		Slattery Contr. Co., Inc., 9518 80th St., Woodhaven, L. I.		Sprague Const. Co., Inc., Beach 63rd St. & Alameda Ave., Arverne, L. I.		Welsh Bros. Contg. Co., 35 Purvis St., L. I. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
.....	\$5,750.00	.....	\$4,900.00	.....	\$9,740.00	.....	\$4,750.00
\$0.80	4,000.00	\$0.85	5,250.00	\$1.00	5,000.00	\$0.75	3,750.00
2.00	1,620.00	1.75	1,417.50	4.00	3,240.00	2.25	1,822.50
0.01	3.00	2.50	750.00	5.00	1,500.00	2.00	600.00
0.01	220.00	0.05	1,100.00	0.10	2,220.00	0.06	1,320.00
	<b>\$11,593.00</b>		<b>\$12,417.50</b>		<b>\$21,700.00</b>		<b>\$12,242.50</b>

Anawanda Park, Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, September 6th, 1927.

Kordes Contr. Co., Inc., 59 Washington Ave., Ridgewood.		A. B. McKee, 4533 37th St., L. I. C.		Slattery Contr. Co., Inc., 9518 80th St., Woodhaven.		Welsh Bros. Contg. Co., 35 Purvis St., L. I. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.80	\$4,800.00	\$1.25	\$7,500.00	\$0.85	\$5,100.00	\$0.75	\$4,500.00
100.00	200.00	125.00	250.00	100.00	200.00	75.00	150.00
2.50	900.00	2.00	720.00	2.38	856.80	2.50	900.00
2.40	960.00	1.90	760.00	2.18	872.00	2.50	1,000.00
2.00	280.00	1.65	231.00	1.60	224.00	2.50	350.00
1.25	562.50	1.50	675.00	1.60	720.00	2.00	900.00
75.00	900.00	75.00	900.00	60.00	720.00	75.00	900.00
20.00	40.00	75.00	150.00	45.00	90.00	40.00	80.00
2.50	1,850.00	1.50	1,110.00	1.65	1,221.00	2.00	1,480.00
2.00	420.00	1.25	262.50	1.32	277.20	2.00	420.00
1.00	220.00	1.00	220.00	1.05	231.00	2.00	440.00
1.00	330.00	0.90	297.00	0.90	297.00	1.00	330.00
1.10	198.00	2.00	360.00	1.50	270.00	1.50	270.00
0.25	2,200.00	0.30	2,640.00	0.32	2,816.00	0.25	2,220.00
25.00	100.00	75.00	300.00	50.00	200.00	25.00	100.00
2,800.00	2,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	2,700.00	2,700.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
500.00	500.00	300.00	300.00	225.00	225.00	300.00	300.00
2.00	300.00	2.50	375.00	2.50	375.00	2.50	375.00
0.08	800.00	0.06	600.00	0.05	500.00	0.06	600.00
	<b>\$18,360.50</b>		<b>\$19,450.50</b>		<b>\$17,895.00</b>		<b>\$18,295.00</b>

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, September 13, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke; Acting Commissioner John M. Hart, Manhattan; Commissioner Browne in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read as follows:

### *Borough of Brooklyn.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for contract No. 1, General Construction work in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto.

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for contract No. 2, Plumbing Work, in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto.

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for contract No. 3, Steam Heating, in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the old Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto.

4. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for contract No. 4, Electric Work, in the alteration, addition and repairs to the old Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

5. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to furnish and install steel shelving in the attic of the Main Central Wing of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th Street and Central Park West, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Contract No. 1, General Construction Work in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Marks Avenues and Prospect Place to convert the Building into a Children's Museum, Borough of Brooklyn, September 13th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
M. Barash, 60 Bergen St., Brooklyn .....	\$25,917.00
John J. Beatty, 916 St. Marks Ave., Brooklyn .....	33,000.00
Gewertz & Feldsher, 7302 Bay Parkway, Brooklyn .....	20,870.00
Grossmann, Weingartner & D'Ambrosio, 198 Navy St., Brooklyn....	33,477.00
N. Halpern, 2838 W. 22nd St., Brooklyn .....	14,240.00
Klewalk Const. Co., Inc., 74-26 Woodside Ave., Elmhurst, L. I.....	33,000.00
M. D. Lundin Co., 103 E. 125th St., N. Y. C. ....	31,940.00
Reiss Const. Co., 932 Mvrtle Ave., Brooklyn .....	34,940.00
J. Rosenblum, 1001 E. 167th St., Bronx.....	29,990.00

Table of Bids for Contract No. 2, Plumbing Work, in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Marks Avenues and Prospect Place, to Convert the Building into a Children's Museum, Borough of Brooklyn, September 13th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Louis Frisse & Bro. Inc., 669 Bushwick Ave., Brooklyn .....	\$4,250.00
Klewalk Const. Co., Inc., 74-26 Woodside Ave., Elmhurst, L. I. ....	4,500.00
Thomas E. O'Brien, Inc., 6311 5th Ave., Brooklyn .....	3,453.00
M. L. Rohman, Inc., 168 Henry St., N. Y. C. ....	3,815.00

Table of Bids for Contract No. 3, Steam Heating in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the old Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Marks Avenues and Prospect Place, to Convert the Building into a Children's Museum, Borough of Brooklyn, September 13th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Astoria Heating Co., Woodside, L. I. ....	\$3,300.00
Joseph A. Glynn, 2802 Church Ave., Brooklyn .....	3,900.00
Heat Control Service Co., 759 Park Place, Brooklyn .....	4,860.00
B. J. Pfeifer, 435 W. 41st St., N. Y. C. ....	4,990.00
M. L. Rohman, Inc., 168 Henry St., N. Y. C. ....	5,458.00
H. Sand & Co., Inc., 138 West Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	4,150.00

Table of Bids for Contract No. 4, Electrical Work, in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the Old Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Marks Avenues and Prosepect Place, to Convert the Building into a Children's Museum, Borough of Brooklyn, September 13th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Pyramid Elect. Const. Co., Inc., 209 E. 43rd St., N. Y. C. ....	\$2,310.00
J. Rosenblum, 1001 E. 167th St., Bronx .....	2,100.00
Teamenk Co., Inc., 1440 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	2,313.00
William Truswell & Sons, 16 Cedar St., N. Y. C. ....	1,665.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials to Furnish and Install Steel Shelving in the Attic of the Main Central Wing of the American Museum of Natural History, 77th St. and Central Park West, Borough of Manhattan, September 13th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Art Metal Const. Co., 369 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$4,650.00
Jamestown Metals Eng. & Supply Co., 103 Park Ave., N. Y. C. ....	3,792.00
Lyon Metallic Mfg. Co., 342 Madison Ave., N. Y. C. ....	3,909.00
The Van Dorn Iron Works Co., 41 E. 42nd St., N. Y. C. ....	3,000.00

There being no objection, the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

By request, Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board September 6, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting eleven (11) benches in shelter at Riverside Drive near the intersection of Chittenden Avenue and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, all as shown upon the drawing and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of exterior sidewalks and steps and planting of trees along the park side of Park Lane from Union Turnpike to 115th Street, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, for which bids were received by the Park Board August 23, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for the approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the Secretary of the Park Board for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, September 27, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke; Commissioner Hennessy in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals, which had been received pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read as follows:

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the interior finish of the Park Board Room and the Park Board Record Room on the third floor of the Arsenal Building in Central Park near 5th Avenue, opposite 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Interior Finish of the Park Board Room and the Park Board Record Room on the Third Floor of the Arsenal Building in Central Park near Fifth Avenue, opposite 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan, September 27th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$3,895.00
Harris M. Cohen, 660 Madison Ave., N. Y. C. ....	4,800.00
The English Const. Co., Inc., 15 W. 91st St., N. Y. C. ....	6,000.00
Freudlait Const. Co., Inc., 768 Broadway, Far Rockaway, L. I. ....	3,998.00
Wm. Kreisberg, 331 W. 59th St., N. Y. C. ....	5,380.00
M. D. Lundin Co., 103 E. 125th St., N. Y. C. ....	5,500.00
Donald McKay Bldg Co., Inc., 151 W. 72nd St., N. Y. C. ....	4,160.00
Rice and Monaghan, 101 Park Ave., N. Y. C. ....	5,200.00
E. O. Roberts Co., Inc., 52 Vanderbilt Ave., N. Y. C. ....	5,400.00

There being no objection the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to furnish and install steel shelving in the attic of the Main Central Wing of the American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Park Board September 13, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for Steam Heating Apparatus, etc., School Service Building, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Park Board May 17, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Anawanda Park, Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board September 6, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

Whereas delay in the construction of the retaining wall was due to difficulty in obtaining construction material specified and where it was found necessary to modify contract in order that material available might be used; and

Whereas work on the retaining wall was affected by tide and wind conditions; and

Whereas it was found advantageous to the City to modify the design of the roadway pavement; and whereas much of the roadway pavement and sidewalk were to be laid on filled-in areas, and it was found advantageous to the City to delay construction in order that proper settlement be obtained in these areas—

Therefore be it

*Resolved*, That Connor Bros. be granted an extension of time of one hundred and sixty-five (165) days for the completion of their contract.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request, Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the interior finish of the Park Board Room and the Park Board Record Room on the third floor of the Arsenal Building in Central Park near 5th Avenue, opposite 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board September 27, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for, and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

On motion at 3:00 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, October 4, 1927, 2:30 p. m.  
 Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read as follows:

*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting eleven (11) benches in shelter at Riverside Drive near intersection of Chittenden Avenue and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of The Bronx.*

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for repaving the roadway across the southerly portion of Crotona Park from Claremont Parkway and Fulton Avenue to Crotona Park East and Wilkins Avenue, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing and Erecting Eleven (11) Benches in Shelter at Riverside Drive near the Intersection of Chittenden Avenue and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, October 4th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C. ....	\$878.00
Blumar Const. Co., Inc., 25 W. 43rd St., N. Y. C. ....	1,089.00
Coliseum Cast Stone Co., Inc., Ludlow Ave. & Whitter St., Bronx..	95.00
L. Koplovitz, 1686 Grand Ave., Bronx .....	888.00
Pizzo & Foley, 649 Lorimer St., Brooklyn .....	1,145.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Repaving the Roadway Fulton Avenue to Crotona Park East and Wilkins

Items and Quantities

1. Excavation, 1,000 cu. yds. ....
2. Concrete in foundation, 1,200 cu. yds. ....
3. Concrete curb, 4,000 lin. ft. ....
4. Sheet asphalt, 7000 sq. yds. ....
5. Broken stone, 100 cu. yds. ....
6. Catch basins, 5 .....
7. 8" Vitr. drain pipe, 150 lin. ft. ....
8. 10" Vitr. drain pipe, 100 lin. ft. ....
9. Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....
10. Additional fill, 500 cu. yds. ....
11. Concrete flush headers, 150 lin. ft. ....
12. Rock excavation for sewer, 10 cu. yds. ....
13. Earth excavation for sewer, 100 cu. yds. ....



There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of contract No. 84729 for lumber, with J. A. Maloney & Co., 1170 Broadway, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase, June 15, 1927, be hereby extended to October 31, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals, received by the Park Board September 13, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for contract No. 1, General Construction Work in the alteration, addition and repairs to the Smith residence in Brower Park addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

Across the Southerly Portion of Crotona Park from Claremont Parkway and Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, October 4th, 1927.

The Asphalt Const. Co., 208 Broadway, N. Y. C.		Charles D. Beck- with, Inc., Seneca Ave. & Bronx River, Bronx.		Brusstar Const. Co. Inc., E. 151st St. and Harlem River, N. Y. C.		Gaffney Const. Corp., Zerega & Story Aves., Bronx.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$2.50	\$2,500.00	\$2.08	\$2,080.00	\$2.57	\$2,570.00	\$2.00	\$2,000.00
10.50	12,600.00	10.14	12,168.00	9.50	11,400.00	10.00	12,000.00
0.75	3,000.00	1.67	6,680.00	1.63	6,520.00	2.00	8,000.00
3.50	24,500.00	2.64	18,480.00	2.83	19,810.00	2.70	18,900.00
3.50	350.00	3.05	305.00	3.75	375.00	4.50	450.00
250.00	1,250.00	310.00	1,550.00	250.00	1,250.00	175.00	875.00
3.00	450.00	2.75	412.50	3.75	562.50	3.60	540.00
3.00	300.00	3.20	320.00	4.00	400.00	3.60	360.00
10.00	1,000.00	18.00	1,800.00	15.00	1,500.00	16.00	1,600.00
0.50	250.00	0.65	325.00	0.75	375.00	0.50	250.00
1.00	150.00	1.90	285.00	0.40	60.00	2.20	330.00
20.00	200.00	24.00	240.00	30.00	300.00	15.00	150.00
3.00	300.00	3.50	350.00	5.50	550.00	5.00	500.00
<b>\$46,850.00</b>		<b>\$44,995.50</b>		<b>\$45,672.50</b>		<b>\$45,955.00</b>	

PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, October 11, 1927, 2:30 p. m. Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of Borough of Brooklyn,

Items and Quantities

- 1. Regulating and grading, 5,564 cu. yds.
2. Cement walks, 26,620 sq. ft.
3. 5 ft. picket fence, 1,120 lin. ft.
4. Pipe rail fence, 1,643 lin. ft.
5. Top soil, 1,224 cu. yds.
6. Seeding, 33,047 sq. ft.
7. Trees, 32
8. Concrete benches (large), 21
9. Concrete benches (small), 14
10. Drainage and water supply system
11. Flag pole, 1
12. Shrubs

Items and Quantities

- 1. Regulating and grading, 5,564 cu. yds.
2. Cement walks, 26,620 sq. ft.
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6. Seeding, 33,047 sq. ft.
7. Trees, 32
8. Concrete benches (large), 21
9. Concrete benches (small), 14
10. Drainage and water supply system
11. Flag pole, 1
12. Shrubs

## Borough of Brooklyn.

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Joseph A. Guider Park, at Eastern Parkway, Washington and Classon Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for contract No. 1, General Construction Work in the alteration, addition and repairs to the Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenue and Prospect Place to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto.

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Shore Road Drive, between 83rd Street and Oliver Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

James A. Guider Park, at Eastern Parkway, Washington and Classon Avenues, October 11th, 1927.

Ascher Eng. & Cont. Co., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C.		Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.		Frank De Vito & Co., 158 17th St., Brooklyn.		Alfred Di Geronimo, 2086 East 2nd St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.50	\$8,346.00	\$1.25	\$6,955.00	\$1.25	\$6,955.00	\$1.10	\$6,120.40
0.20	5,324.00	0.30	7,986.00	0.25	6,655.00	0.31	8,252.20
3.00	3,360.00	6.00	6,720.00	5.00	5,600.00	4.25	4,760.00
2.50	4,107.50	3.00	4,929.00	2.75	4,518.25	1.60	2,628.80
5.00	6,120.00	3.00	3,672.00	2.00	2,448.00	2.20	2,692.80
0.10	3,304.70	0.04	1,321.88	0.05	1,652.35	0.02	660.94
20.00	640.00	25.00	800.00	29.00	928.00	28.00	896.00
120.00	2,520.00	120.00	2,520.00	68.00	1,428.00	90.00	1,890.00
80.00	1,120.00	90.00	1,260.00	33.00	462.00	60.00	840.00
500.00	500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	600.00	600.00
200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	425.00	200.00	200.00
500.00	500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.70	.70
\$36,042.20		\$38,863.88		\$33,571.60		\$29,541.84	

P. J. Donlon Contr. Co., Albany & Snyder Aves., Brooklyn.		Fleming and Shepard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Foley & Pizzo, 649 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.		Grossmann, Weingartner & D'Ambrosio, 198 Navy St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.50	\$8,346.00	\$1.00	\$5,564.00	\$1.00	\$5,564.00	\$1.15	\$6,398.60
0.25	6,655.00	0.30	7,986.00	\$.26	6,921.20	0.32	8,518.40
4.90	5,488.00	5.00	5,600.00	4.05	4,536.00	4.65	5,208.00
1.60	2,628.80	2.50	4,107.50	1.50	2,464.50	2.45	4,025.35
1.35	1,652.40	2.50	3,060.00	1.50	1,836.00	2.00	2,448.00
0.005	165.23	0.02	660.94	0.01	330.47	0.015	495.70
20.00	640.00	25.00	800.00	17.00	544.00	22.00	704.00
90.00	1,890.00	110.00	2,310.00	90.00	1,890.00	150.00	3,150.00
70.00	980.00	90.00	1,260.00	70.00	980.00	85.00	1,190.00
650.00	650.00	975.00	975.00	650.00	650.00	375.00	375.00
175.00	175.00	400.00	400.00	125.00	125.00	390.00	390.00
700.00	700.00	350.00	350.00	500.00	500.00	300.00	300.00
\$29,970.43		\$33,073.44		\$26,341.17		\$33,203.05	

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Items and Quantities

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1. Regulating and grading, 5,564 cu. yds. ....
  2. Cement walks, 26,620 sq. ft. ....
  3. 5 ft. picket fence, 1,120 lin. ft. ....
  4. Pipe rail fence, 1,643 lin. ft. ....
  5. Top soil, 1,224 cu. yds. ....
  6. Seeding, 33,047 sq. ft. ....
  7. Trees, 32 ....
  8. Concrete benches (large), 21 ....
  9. Concrete benches (small), 14 ....
  10. Drainage and water supply system ....
  11. Flag pole, 1 ....
  12. Shrubs ....
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Items and Quantities

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Hand & DeLia, 123 Parkside Ave., Brooklyn.		Independent Wire Works, 418 3rd Ave., Brooklyn.		Edw. F. Monahan, 195 Hastings St., Brooklyn.		John D. Norton, 303 Douglass St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.12	\$6,231.68	\$1.25	\$6,955.00	\$1.50	\$8,346.00	\$1.50	\$8,346.00
0.25	6,655.20	0.31	8,252.20	0.35	9,317.00	0.30	7,986.00
4.51	5,051.20	4.56	5,107.20	5.25	5,880.00	6.00	6,720.00
1.40	2,300.20	1.68	2,760.24	1.70	2,793.10	2.00	3,286.00
2.25	2,754.00	1.50	1,836.00	2.40	2,937.60	3.00	3,567.00
0.001	33.05	0.01	330.47	0.02	660.94	0.07	2,313.29
12.00	384.00	22.00	704.00	10.00	320.00	20.00	640.00
90.00	1,890.00	120.00	2,520.00	100.00	2,100.00	20.00	420.00
45.00	630.00	80.00	1,120.00	80.00	1,120.00	15.00	210.00
800.00	800.00	550.00	550.00	750.00	750.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
250.00	250.00	125.00	125.00	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
512.00	512.00	650.00	650.00	400.00	400.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
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\$27,491.33		\$30,910.11		\$34,924.64		\$37,893.29	

M. J. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.		Slattery Contr. Co. Inc., 9518 80th St., Woodhaven, L. I.		Albert A. Volk, Co., Inc., 1819 Broadway, N. Y. C.		William J. Zart- mann, 189 Montague St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.00	\$5,564.00	\$1.30	\$7,233.20	\$1.50	\$8,346.00	\$1.15	\$6,398.60
0.29	7,719.80	0.29	7,719.80	0.30	7,986.00	0.28	7,453.60
3.90	4,363.00	5.15	5,763.00	5.00	5,600.00	4.85	5,432.00
1.80	2,957.40	2.90	4,764.70	1.75	2,875.25	1.67	2,743.81
2.60	3,182.40	2.60	3,182.40	3.25	3,978.00	2.50	3,060.00
0.01	330.47	0.035	1,156.65	0.03	991.41	0.01	330.47
22.50	720.00	24.00	768.00	25.00	800.00	25.00	800.00
80.00	1,630.00	105.00	2,205.00	20.00	420.00	98.50	2,063.50
60.00	840.00	80.00	1,120.00	15.00	210.00	55.00	770.00
900.00	900.00	558.00	558.00	1,350.00	1,350.00	1,150.00	1,150.00
165.00	165.00	446.00	446.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
400.00	400.00	786.00	786.00	696.00	696.00	700.00	700.00
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\$28,827.07		\$35,707.75		\$33,452.66		\$31,106.98	

Table of Bids for Contract No. 1, General Construction Work in the Alteration, Addition and Repairs to the Smith Residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Marks Aves. and Prospect Place to Convert the Building into a Children's Museum, Borough of Brooklyn, October 11th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
M. Barash, 60 Bergen St., Brooklyn .....	\$28,232.00
Grossmann, Weingartner & D'Ambrosio, 198 Navy St., Brooklyn ....	29,697.00
J. D. Engineering Corp., 1985-87 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn .....	30,300.00
Rothbard & Levine, Inc., 2 Lafayette St., N. Y. C. ....	37,840.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of  
October

Items and Quantities

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1. Regulating and grading, 30,000 cu. yds. ....	
2. Catch basins, 28 .....	
3. Manholes (new), 6 .....	
4. Manholes (lowered or raised), 10 .....	
5. 12" Vitr. pipe drains, 1,200 lin. ft. ....	
6. 15" Vitr. pipe drains, 900 lin. ft. ....	
7. Hydrants relocated, 3 .....	
8. Irrigation system .....	
9. Concrete curb, 6,900 lin. ft. ....	
10. Concrete retaining wall, 700 cu. yds. ....	
11. Concrete foundation, 3,500 cu. yds. ....	
12. Bluestone heading stone, 400 lin. ft. ....	
13. Sheet asphalt, 22,000 sq. yds. ....	
14. Asphalt tile walk, 57,000 sq. ft. ....	
15. Picket fence, 3,400 lin. ft. ....	
16. Top soil, 17,000 cu. yds. ....	
17. Trees, 300 .....	
18. Shrubs, 8,700 .....	
19. Sod, 90,000 sq. ft. ....	
20. Seeding, 300,000 sq. ft. ....	

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There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing and erecting eleven (11) benches in Shelter at Riverside Drive near the intersection of Chittenden Avenue and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, all as shown upon the drawings and described in the specifications, together with all work incidental thereto, received by the Park Board October 4, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of suerties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President, for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and M. J. O'Hara for all labor and materials required for the improvement of the Shore Road Drive between 69th and 83rd Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated June 18, 1927, be and the same hereby is extended sixty consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and John D. Norton for all labor and materials required for the regulating and grading of the southerly side of 66th Street between 7th and 8th Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated August 18, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended twenty consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

The Secretary read the following communication, and explained that copies of it had been sent to the several commissioners:

Shore Road Drive between 83rd Street and Oliver Street, Borough of Brooklyn, 11th, 1927.

Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Co., 407 Hamilton Ave., Brooklyn.		Cranford Co., 52 Ninth St., Brooklyn.		M. J. O'Hara, Neptune Ave. & W. 19th St., Brooklyn.		Albert A. Volk Co., Inc., 1819 Broadway, N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.85	\$55,500.00	\$1.75	\$52,500.00	\$1.90	\$57,000.00	\$1.00	\$30,000.00
350.00	9,800.00	300.00	8,400.00	350.00	9,800.00	300.00	8,400.00
300.00	1,800.00	300.00	1,800.00	350.00	2,100.00	300.00	1,800.00
50.00	500.00	50.00	500.00	75.00	750.00	75.00	750.00
4.75	5,700.00	4.25	5,100.00	4.00	4,800.00	4.00	4,800.00
5.25	4,725.00	5.25	4,725.00	5.50	4,950.00	5.00	4,500.00
150.00	450.00	150.00	450.00	150.00	450.00	125.00	375.00
7,000.00	7,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
1.20	8,280.00	1.35	9,315.00	1.20	8,280.00	1.00	6,900.00
27.50	19,250.00	17.00	11,900.00	19.00	13,300.00	20.00	14,000.00
9.00	31,950.00	8.75	31,062.50	9.25	32,837.50	8.50	30,175.00
1.75	700.00	1.75	700.00	2.00	800.00	1.25	500.00
1.74	38,280.00	1.75	38,500.00	1.75	38,500.00	1.65	36,300.00
0.57	32,490.00	0.50	28,500.00	0.59	33,630.00	0.50	28,500.00
7.00	23,800.00	6.50	22,100.00	7.00	23,800.00	6.25	21,250.00
3.50	59,500.00	3.50	59,500.00	3.50	59,500.00	3.25	55,250.00
35.00	10,500.00	50.00	15,000.00	35.00	10,500.00	25.00	7,500.00
1.25	10,875.00	2.00	17,400.00	1.50	13,050.00	0.95	8,265.00
0.11	9,900.00	0.125	11,250.00	0.11	9,900.00	0.10	9,000.00
0.02	6,000.00	0.025	7,500.00	0.02	6,000.00	0.02	6,000.00
	\$337,000.00		\$338,002.50		\$334,947.50		\$279,265.00

"City of New York  
Department of Health  
505 Pearl Street  
Office of the Deputy Commissioner

William H. Pound, M. D.,  
Deputy Commissioner.

September 27, 1927.

The Park Board,  
Arsenal Building,  
64th St. & 5th Avenue,  
New York City, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

We have received a considerable number of complaints relative to the presence of rag-weed in the parks of this City and the danger of hay fever infection due to the discharge of pollen from these weeds.

A cursory survey of our parks show these complaints to be justified. The pollen from these weeds causes suffering among a section of our people, which suffering is preventable.

While it is somewhat late this year to remove all such rag-weed from the public parks, may I ask that your Board, through its individual membership, require all of your park employees to root out or cut down rag-weed where it is found in the parks under their supervision?

Thanking you for active co-operation in this reasonable health request, I am

Very truly yours,

Wm. H. POUND,  
Sanitary Superintendent."

All the Commissioners reported that the communication had received attention. In some of the parks no rag-weed or any source of hay fever had been found. Wherever found it had been mowed down.

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, October 18, 1927, 2:30 p. m.  
 Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler,  
 O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present and the meeting open to  
 the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received,  
 pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read as follows:

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Removing Loose Rock  
 Transverse Roads, Borough of

Items and Quantities

Excavation of rock, 250 cu. yds. ....  
 Concrete walls, 750 cu. yds. ....

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 Concrete walls, 750 cu. yds. ....

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Excavation of rock, 250 cu. yds. ....  
 Concrete walls, 750 cu. yds. ....

Items and Quantities	M. J. Seelig, Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount
Excavation of rock, 250 cu. yds. ....	\$4.00	\$1,000.00
Concrete wall, 750 cu. yds. ....	14.00	10,500.00
		<u>\$11,500.00</u>



*Borough of Manhattan.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for removing loose rock and facing rock cuts with reinforced concrete wall in the Central Park, Transverse Roads, together with all work incidental thereto.

and Facing Rock Cuts with Reinforced Concrete Wall in the Central Park Manhattan, October 18th, 1927.

Ascher Engineering & Contr. Co., 1457 Broadway, N. Y. C.		Atwell, Gustin, Morris, Inc., 137th St. & St. Nicholas Ave., N. Y. C.		Robert Borsuk, 50 E. 42nd St., N. Y. C.		Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. & Sedgwick Ave., Bronx, N. Y.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.01	\$2.50	\$5.00	\$1,250.00	\$10.50	\$2,625.00	\$10.50	\$2,625.00
19.00	14,250.00	21.00	15,750.00	14.25	14,437.50	11.50	8,625.00
<u>\$14,252.50</u>		<u>\$17,000.00</u>		<u>\$17,062.50</u>		<u>\$11,250.00</u>	

Tony Di Roma, 33 Evelyn Place, Bronx.		Fleming & Shepard, Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 East 125th St., N. Y. C.		H.-J. Builders, Inc., 501 Lexington Ave., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$5.00	\$1,250.00	\$10.00	\$2,500.00	\$8.00	\$2,000.00	\$6.00	\$1,500.00
20.00	15,000.00	14.90	11,175.00	17.00	\$12,750.00	20.00	15,000.00
<u>\$16,250.00</u>		<u>\$13,675.00</u>		<u>\$14,750.00</u>		<u>\$16,500.00</u>	

Kaufman-Snyder, Inc., 165 W. 46th St., N. Y. C.		Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.		Rice and Monaghan, 101 Park Ave., N. Y. C.		E. G. Roberts Co., Inc., 52 Vanderbilt Ave., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$6.00	\$1,500.00	\$6.00	\$1,500.00	\$6.50	\$1,625.00	\$20.00	\$5,000.00
19.50	14,625.00	14.90	11,175.00	14.00	10,500.00	18.00	13,500.00
<u>\$16,125.00</u>		<u>\$12,675.00</u>		<u>\$12,125.00</u>		<u>\$18,500.00</u>	

Tompkins Haulage Corp., 55 Havemeyer St., Brooklyn.		Valatia Const. Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.		Albert A. Volk Co., 1819 Broadway, N. Y. C.		S. Wysacke & Co., Inc., 690 Eighth Ave., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$7.00	\$1,750.00	\$8.00	\$2,000.00	\$4.00	\$1,000.00	\$4.50	\$1,125.00
14.75	11,062.50	12.00	9,000.00	18.00	13,500.00	15.00	11,250.00
<u>\$12,812.50</u>		<u>\$11,000.00</u>		<u>\$14,500.00</u>		<u>\$12,375.00</u>	

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board October 18, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for removing loose rock and facing rock cuts with reinforced concrete wall in the Central Park Transverse Roads, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries in contract No. 84729 with J. A. Maloney & Co., Inc., 1170 Broadway, for furnishing and delivering lumber for Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on June 15, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to October 31, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board September 6, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of bridge, new roadways and paths, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board October 11, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for Contract No. 1, General Construction Work, in the alteration, addition and repairs to the Smith residence in Brower Park addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board September 13, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for Contract No. 2, Plumbing Work, in the alteration, addition and repairs to the Smith residence in Brower Park addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board September 13, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for Contract No. 3, Steam Heating, in the alteration, addition and repairs to the old Smith residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board September 13, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for Contract No. 4, Electrical Work, in the alteration, addition and repairs to the old Smith residence in Brower Park Addition, Brooklyn and St. Mark's Avenues and Prospect Place, to convert the building into a Children's Museum, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the

same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board October 11, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Joseph A. Guider Park at Eastern Parkway, Washington and Classon Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne read a report from the Assistant Chief Engineer, accompanied by the notes of a hearing on the subject in connection with the low bid for the improvement of the Shore Road Drive between 83rd Street and Oliver Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, in the opening of October 11, 1927. The hearing developed the fact that the low bidder had no asphalt pavement work plant.

The communication was ordered on file and Commissioner Browne offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That all bids or proposals received on October 11, 1927, by the Park Board, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of the Shore Road Drive between 83rd Street and Oliver Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, be and the same hereby are rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

On motion at 3:15 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, November 1, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read as follows:

*Borough of Brooklyn.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Coney Island Concourse between Ocean Parkway and W. 5th Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of Queens.*

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for constructing concrete sidewalk in vicinity of running track, Victory Field, Forest Park, Queens.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of Coney Island Concourse, between Ocean Parkway and West 5th Street, Borough of Brooklyn, November 1st, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Cranford Co., 52 Ninth St., Brooklyn.		M. J. O'Hara, West 19th St. and Neptune Ave., Brooklyn.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 1,500 cu. yds.	\$1.75	\$2,625.00	\$1.80	\$2,700.00
2. Removal of old pavement, 7,400 sq.yds.	1.00	7,400.00	0.90	6,660.00
3. New concrete foundation, 1,330 cu.yds.	9.00	11,970.00	8.50	11,305.00
4. New asphalt pavement, 8,000 sq.yds.	1.75	14,000.00	1.80	14,400.00
5. New concrete curb, 1,600 lin. ft. ....	1.25	2,000.00	1.15	1,840.00
6. New cement walk, 5,800 sq. ft. ....	0.35	2,030.00	0.35	2,030.00
7. Catch basins, 6 .....	250.00	1,500.00	400.00	2,400.00
8. Manholes, 4 .....	250.00	1,000.00	350.00	1,400.00
9. 12" Vitr. pipe, 600 lin. ft. ....	3.00	1,800.00	4.00	2,400.40
10. 15" Vitr. pipe, 750 lin. ft. ....	3.50	2,625.00	4.50	3,375.00
11. Tile walk relaid, 24,000 sq. ft. ....	0.45	10,800.00	0.25	6,000.00
12. Relocating hydrants, 3 .....	150.00	450.00	150.00	450.00
		<b>\$58,200.00</b>		<b>\$54,960.00</b>

Table for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Constructing Concrete Sidewalk  
November

Items and Quantities
Regulating and grading, 175 cu. yds. ....
Concrete sidewalk, 7,500 sq. ft. ....
Top soil, 70 cu. yds. ....
Sodding, 3,000 sq. ft. ....

There being no objection, the President directed that a reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries in Contract No. 84709 with S. B. Marks Co., of 66 Leonard Street, this City, for furnishing and delivering motion picture and stereoptican machines to the American Museum of Natural History, bids for which were received by the Board of Purchase April 12, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to September 30, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of Contract No. 82787 with J. H. Goldblatt, 435 East 166th Street, for Shelter and Comfort Station, Carl Schurz Park, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Park Board February 15, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to October 28, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of Contract No. 84729 with J. A. Maloney & Co., 1170 Broadway, for lumber, bids for which were received by the Board of Purchase July 25, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to November 30, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Coney Island Concourse between Ocean Parkway and W. 5th Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, received by the Park Board November 1, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and William D. Moore's Son for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the erection of a field house and comfort station in Greenpoint Park at Franklin and Dupont Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto, dated August 23, 1927, be and the same hereby is extended thirty (30) consecutive working days from the expiration of the original contract time, as recommended by the Engineer, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for the construction of asphalt pavement on the existing dirt road from the Golf House to Myrtle

in Vicinity of Running Track, Victory Field, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, 1st, 1927.

Carberry-Block Corp., 50 Court St., Brooklyn.		Alfonso Bizzigotti, 10437 47th Ave., Corona, N. Y.		Grossmann, Wein- gartner & D'Ambro- sio, 198 Navy St., Brooklyn.		Charles M. Schultz Inc., 308 W. 20th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.01	\$1.75	\$0.01	\$1.75	\$0.01	\$1.75	\$3.50	\$612.50
0.38	2,850.00	0.35	2,625.00	0.39	2,925.00	0.34	2,550.00
3.00	210.00	2.25	157.50	2.50	175.00	5.50	385.00
0.07	210.00	0.05	150.00	0.06	180.00	0.10	300.00
<b>\$3,271.75</b>		<b>\$2,934.25</b>		<b>\$3,281.75</b>		<b>\$3,847.50</b>	

Avenue and Hanson Place, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, bids for which were received July 26, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of

sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for constructing concrete sidewalk in vicinity of running track, Victory Field, Forest Park, Borough of Queens, bids for which were received November 1, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

On motion at 3 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, November 15, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke; Commissioner Hennessy in the Chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read as follows:

*Borough of Queens.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of bridge, new roadways and paths, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of Manhattan.*

2. For constructing walks where required on the grounds surrounding Grant's Tomb in Riverside Park.

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for paving with asphalt upon concrete foundation, certain walks in Chelsea and Colonial Parks, where directed, together with all work incidental thereto.

*Borough of The Bronx.*

4. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of park land between Jerome Avenue and River Avenue, between 165th Street and 167th Street, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of Bridge, New Roadways and Paths, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, November 15th, 1927.

Items and Quantities	Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.		Slattery Contg. Co., Inc., 9518 80th St., Woodhaven, L. I.		Welsh Bros. Contg. Co., 35 Purvis St., L. I. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Rustic bridge, 1..	.....	\$4,500.00	.....	\$4,800.00	.....	\$4,450.00
2. Regulating and grading, 5,000 cu. yds. ....	\$0.60	3,000.00	\$0.80	4,000.00	\$0.75	3,750.00
3. Steam cinder sur- facing, 810 cu. yds.	2.00	1,620.00	1.75	1,417.50	2.25	1,822.50
4. Top soil, 300 cu. yds. ....	2.00	600.00	2.00	600.00	2.00	600.00
5. Sod, 22,000 sq. ft.	0.05	1,100.00	0.06	1,320.00	0.07	1,540.00
		\$10,820.00		\$12,137.50		\$12,162.50

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Reconstructing Walks  
Borough of Manhattan,

Items and Quantities

Excavation, 180 cu. yds. ....
Cement walk pavement, 14,500 sq. ft. ....

William Kreisberg,  
331 W. 59th St.,  
N. Y. C.

Items and Quantities	Price	Amount
Excavation, 180 cu. yds. ....	\$3.20	\$576.00
Cement walk pavement, 14,500 sq. ft. ....	0.35	5,075.00
		\$5,651.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Paving with Asphalt  
Directed, Borough of Manhattan,

Charles D. Beck-  
with, Inc.,  
Seneca Ave. &  
Bronx River,  
Bronx.

Items and Quantities	Price	Amount
Concrete edging, 400 lin. ft. ....	\$0.68	\$272.00
Concrete, 250 cu. yds. ....	7.48	1,870.00
Asphalt wearing surface, 17,500 sq. ft. ....	0.1425	2,493.75
		\$4,635.75



Where Required on the Grounds Surrounding Grant's Tomb in Riverside Park, November 15th, 1927.

Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. & Sedgwick Ave., Bronx.		Fleming & Shepard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 E. 125th St., N. Y. C.		Grossmann, Weingartner & D'Ambrasio, 198 Navy St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$6.00	\$1,080.00	\$2.00	\$360.00	\$2.00	\$360.00	\$0.01	1.80
0.25	3,625.00	0.225	3,262.50	0.25	3,625.00	0.33	4,785.00
	\$4,705.00		\$3,622.50		\$3,985.00		\$4,786.80

Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.		Charles M. Schultz, Inc., 308 W. 20th St., N. Y. C.		M. S. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.		Valatia Const. Co., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.50	\$270.00	\$0.01	\$1.80	\$2.00	\$360.00	\$0.01	\$1.80
0.24	3,480.00	0.25	3,625.00	0.20	2,900.00	0.24	3,480.00
	\$3,750.00		\$3,626.80		\$3,260.00		\$3,481.80

Upon Concrete Foundation Certain Walks in Chelsea and Colonial Parks, Where November 15th, 1927.

Fleming & Shepard, Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Rice & Monaghan, 101 Park Ave., N. Y. C.		The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y. C.		Valatia Const. Co., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.90	\$360.00	\$1.00	\$400.00	\$1.00	\$400.00	\$0.50	\$200.00
11.50	2,875.00	12.00	3,000.00	10.00	2,500.00	12.00	3,000.00
0.22	3,850.00	0.17	2,975.00	0.25	4,375.00	0.12	2,100.00
	\$7,085.00		\$6,375.00		\$7,275.00		\$5,300.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of  
Streets Borough of The Bronx,

Items and Quantities

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1.	Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....
2.	Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....
3.	Concrete sidewalk, 37,000 sq. ft. ....
4.	W. I. fence, 3,100 lin. ft. ....
5.	2 Rail pipe railing, 7,100 lin. ft. ....
6.	Top soil, 7,500 cu. yds. ....
7.	Sodding, 10,000 sq. ft. ....
8.	Seeding, 390,000 sq. ft. ....
9.	Trees, 200 ....
10.	Catch basins, 19 ....
11.	12" Vitr. pipe, 200 lin. ft. ....
12.	8" Vitr. pipe, 1,500 lin. ft. ....
13.	2" Galv. W. I. water pipe, 800 lin. ft. ....
14.	Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....
15.	Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....
16.	Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....
17.	Concrete stairway, A, 1 ....
18.	Concrete stairway, B, 1 ....
19.	Concrete stairway, C, 1 ....
20.	Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....
21.	Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....
22.	Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....

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Items and Quantities

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1.	Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....
2.	Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....
3.	Concrete sidewalk, 37,000 sq. ft. ....
4.	W. I. fence, 3,100 lin. ft. ....
5.	2 Rail pipe railing, 7,100 lin. ft. ....
6.	Top soil, 7,500 cu. yds. ....
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14.	Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....
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16.	Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....
17.	Concrete stairway, A, 1 ....
18.	Concrete stairway, B, 1 ....
19.	Concrete stairway, C, 1 ....
20.	Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....
21.	Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....
22.	Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....

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Park Land between Jerome Avenue and River Avenue, between 165th and 167th November 15th, 1927.

Atwell, Gustin, Morris, Inc., 137th St. & St. Nicholas Ave., N. Y. C.		John C. Brady Corp., 300 Madison Ave., N. Y. C.		Anthony Cianciulli, 923 Nepperhan Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.		F. De Vito & Co., Inc., 158 17th St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.25	\$18,750.00	\$0.50	\$7,500.00	\$1.00	\$15,000.00	\$1.00	\$15,000.00
1.60	16,000.00	1.50	15,000.00	1.85	18,500.00	1.70	17,000.00
0.40	14,800.00	0.30	11,100.00	0.28	10,360.00	0.27	9,990.00
9.00	27,900.00	9.65	29,915.00	13.00	40,300.00	5.20	16,120.00
2.10	14,910.00	1.90	13,490.00	2.00	14,200.00	2.00	14,200.00
2.75	20,625.00	2.50	18,750.00	3.75	28,125.00	1.85	13,875.00
0.08	800.00	0.07	700.00	0.11	1,100.00	0.06	600.00
0.0125	4,875.00	0.025	9,750.00	0.01	3,900.00	0.005	1,950.00
25.00	5,000.00	15.00	3,000.00	22.00	4,400.00	28.00	5,600.00
100.00	1,900.00	75.00	1,425.00	100.00	1,900.00	200.00	3,800.00
0.85	170.00	2.00	400.00	1.00	200.00	1.75	350.00
0.60	900.00	1.50	2,250.00	0.70	1,050.00	1.60	2,400.00
0.65	520.00	1.00	800.00	0.65	520.00	1.50	1,200.00
1.10	1,210.00	1.00	1,100.00	1.25	1,375.00	0.95	1,045.00
3.00	300.00	1.00	100.00	3.50	350.00	3.00	300.00
10.00	1,000.00	1.00	100.00	0.01	1.00	3.50	350.00
.....	500.00	.....	760.00	.....	640.00	.....	1,500.00
.....	1,100.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	1,320.00	.....	2,500.00
.....	1,300.00	.....	1,300.00	.....	1,920.00	.....	2,500.00
.....	600.00	.....	800.00	.....	920.00	.....	2,000.00
.....	400.00	.....	750.00	.....	720.00	.....	2,000.00
.....	400.00	.....	750.00	.....	720.00	.....	1,500.00
<u>\$133,960.00</u>		<u>\$120,740.00</u>		<u>\$147,521.00</u>		<u>\$115,780.00</u>	

Louis Di Menna, 4778 Third Ave., Bronx.		Tony Di Roma, 33 Evelyn Pl., Bronx.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Foley & Pizzo, 649 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.00	\$15,000.00	\$1.50	\$22,500.00	\$1.50	\$22,500.00	\$1.20	\$18,000.00
1.50	15,000.00	1.50	15,000.00	1.35	13,500.00	2.49	24,900.00
0.30	11,100.00	0.30	11,100.00	0.28	10,360.00	0.32	11,840.00
10.00	31,000.00	11.00	34,100.00	13.00	40,300.00	10.62	32,922.00
1.70	12,070.00	2.00	14,200.00	2.50	17,750.00	1.89	13,419.00
2.50	18,750.00	2.50	18,750.00	2.75	20,625.00	2.49	18,675.00
0.05	500.00	0.05	500.00	0.06	600.00	0.06	600.00
0.01	3,900.00	0.01	3,900.00	0.02	7,800.00	0.075	2,925.00
27.00	5,400.00	35.00	7,000.00	20.00	4,000.00	19.50	3,900.00
60.00	1,140.00	100.00	1,900.00	100.00	1,900.00	49.50	940.50
2.00	400.00	1.50	300.00	1.00	200.00	2.00	400.00
1.50	2,250.00	1.20	1,800.00	0.80	1,200.00	1.00	1,500.00
1.50	1,200.00	1.25	1,000.00	2.00	1,600.00	0.40	320.00
1.300	1,430.00	1.10	1,210.00	1.00	1,100.00	0.99	1,089.00
2.00	200.00	1.00	100.00	3.00	300.00	4.00	400.00
3.00	300.00	5.00	500.00	6.00	600.00	7.00	700.00
.....	700.00	.....	320.00	.....	325.00	.....	950.00
.....	1,100.00	.....	600.00	.....	750.00	.....	1,850.00
.....	1,800.00	.....	600.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	2,300.00
.....	600.00	.....	320.00	.....	525.00	.....	1,500.00
.....	700.00	.....	300.00	.....	350.00	.....	900.00
.....	700.00	.....	250.00	.....	350.00	.....	900.00
<u>\$125,240.00</u>		<u>\$136,250.00</u>		<u>\$147,635.00</u>		<u>\$140,930.50</u>	

## Items and Quantities

1. Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....	
2. Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....	
3. Concrete sidewalk, 37,000 sq. ft. ....	
4. W. I. fence, 3,100 lin. ft. ....	
5. 2 Rail pipe railing, 7,100 lin. ft. ....	
6. Top soil, 7,500 cu. yds. ....	
7. Sodding, 10,000 sq. ft. ....	
8. Seeding, 390,000 sq. ft. ....	
9. Trees, 200 ....	
10. Catch basins, 19 ....	
11. 12" Vitr. pipe, 200 lin. ft. ....	
12. 8" Vitr. pipe, 1,500 lin. ft. ....	
13. 2" Galv. W. I. water pipe, 800 lin. ft. ....	
14. Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....	
15. Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	
16. Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....	
17. Concrete stairway, A, 1 ....	
18. Concrete stairway, B, 1 ....	
19. Concrete stairway, C, 1 ....	
20. Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....	
21. Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....	
22. Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....	

Thomas O'Dowd,  
2086 Washington  
Ave., Bronx.

Items and Quantities	Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.	
	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....	\$1.25	\$18,750.00
2. Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....	1.30	13,000.00
3. Concrete sidewalk, 37,000 sq. ft. ....	0.23	8,140.00
4. W. I. fence, 3,100 lin. ft. ....	8.00	24,800.00
5. 2 Rail pipe railing, 7,100 lin. ft. ....	0.80	5,680.00
6. Top soil, 7,500 cu. yds. ....	2.00	15,000.00
7. Sodding, 10,000 sq. ft. ....	0.06	600.00
8. Seeding, 390,000 sq. ft. ....	0.0025	975.00
9. Trees, 200 ....	13.50	2,700.00
10. Catch basins, 19 ....	200.00	3,800.00
11. 12" Vitr. pipe, 200 lin. ft. ....	2.00	400.00
12. 8" Vitr. pipe, 1,500 lin. ft. ....	2.00	3,000.00
13. 2" Galv. W. I. water pipe, 800 lin. ft. ....	1.90	1,520.00
14. Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....	1.30	1,430.00
15. Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	2.00	200.00
16. Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....	3.00	300.00
17. Concrete stairway, A, 1 ....		600.00
18. Concrete stairway, B, 1 ....		500.00
19. Concrete stairway, C, 1 ....		400.00
20. Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....		400.00
21. Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....		400.00
22. Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....		400.00
		<u>\$102,995.00</u>

Fox, Reynolds Co., Inc., 81 E. 125th St., N. Y. C.		Abraham M. Gold- smith, 2511 Grand Central Term. Bldg., N. Y. C.		Katon Contr. Co., 2804 Third Ave., Bronx.		Morris Park Contr. Co., Inc., 7991 Cruger Ave., Bronx.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.00	\$15,000.00	\$1.50	\$22,500.00	\$1.70	\$25,500.00	\$0.01	\$150.00
2.35	23,500.00	2.00	20,000.00	2.00	20,000.00	2.40	24,000.00
0.30	11,100.00	0.30	11,100.00	0.30	11,100.00	0.30	11,100.00
7.50	23,250.00	16.63	51,553.00	12.25	37,975.00	8.00	24,800.00
2.25	15,975.00	1.60	11,360.00	1.10	7,810.00	2.00	14,200.00
3.00	22,500.00	3.00	22,500.00	3.10	23,250.00	3.00	22,500.00
0.07	700.00	0.05	500.00	0.09	900.00	0.10	1,000.00
0.01	3,900.00	0.005	1,950.00	0.01	3,900.00	0.00	0.00
30.00	6,000.00	22.00	4,400.00	15.00	3,000.00	30.00	6,000.00
40.00	760.00	150.00	2,850.00	115.50	2,194.50	100.00	1,900.00
1.80	360.00	1.50	300.00	2.00	400.00	2.00	400.00
1.50	2,250.00	1.00	1,500.00	1.50	2,250.00	1.00	1,500.00
1.50	1,200.00	1.00	800.00	2.00	1,600.00	1.00	800.00
1.00	1,100.00	1.00	1,100.00	1.25	1,375.00	1.50	1,650.00
1.50	150.00	2.70	270.00	2.25	225.00	0.01	1.00
3.00	300.00	5.00	500.00	5.00	500.00	0.01	1.00
.....	900.00	.....	600.00	.....	397.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	1,600.00	.....	1,200.00	.....	780.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	2,200.00	.....	1,500.00	.....	950.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	1,000.00	.....	800.00	.....	514.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	1,000.00	.....	550.00	.....	350.00	.....	1,000.00
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\$135,745.00		\$158,333.00		\$145,320.50		\$116,002.00	

Joseph Palladino, Inc., 4179 Park Ave., Bronx.		Remo Realty Co., Inc., 645 East Tremont Ave., Bronx.		M. C. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.		Albert A. Volk Co., Inc., 1819 Broadway, N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.60	\$24,000.00	\$0.70	\$10,500.00	\$1.00	\$15,000.00	\$1.00	\$15,000.00
1.90	19,000.00	2.10	21,000.00	0.80	8,000.00	1.00	10,000.00
0.25	9,250.00	0.28	10,360.00	0.40	14,800.00	0.30	11,100.00
.....	32,500.00	10.00	31,000.00	9.83	30,473.00	9.00	27,900.00
.....	14,910.00	2.00	14,200.00	1.51	10,721.00	1.50	10,650.00
2.80	21,000.00	2.70	20,250.00	2.60	19,500.00	3.00	22,500.00
0.08	800.00	0.07	700.00	0.08	800.00	0.10	100.00
0.0025	975.00	0.01	3,900.00	0.01	3,900.00	0.02	780.00
37.50	7,500.00	29.00	5,800.00	25.00	5,000.00	25.00	5,000.00
75.00	1,425.00	150.00	2,850.00	25.00	475.00	100.00	1,900.00
1.50	300.00	3.00	600.00	3.00	600.00	3.50	700.00
1.00	1,500.00	2.50	3,750.00	2.00	3,000.00	2.50	3,750.00
0.60	480.00	1.25	1,000.00	1.50	1,200.00	1.00	800.00
1.10	1,210.00	1.20	1,320.00	0.80	880.00	1.25	1,375.00
2.25	225.00	0.01	1.00	1.00	100.00	1.25	125.00
7.50	750.00	0.01	1.00	2.00	200.00	5.00	500.00
.....	320.00	.....	300.00	.....	320.00	.....	600.00
.....	525.00	.....	600.00	.....	780.00	.....	1,200.00
.....	775.00	.....	750.00	.....	778.00	.....	1,500.00
.....	475.00	.....	400.00	.....	480.00	.....	800.00
.....	274.00	.....	300.00	.....	300.00	.....	400.00
.....	274.00	.....	300.00	.....	300.00	.....	400.00
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\$138,518.00		\$129,882.00		\$117,607.00		\$117,080.00	

There being no objection the Chairman directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for constructing walks where required on the grounds surrounding Grant's Tomb in Riverside Park, received by the Park Board November 15, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for paving with asphalt upon concrete foundation, certain walks in Chelsea and Colonial Parks, where directed, together with all work incidental thereto, received by the Park Board November 15, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of contract No. 84729 for lumber, with J. A. Maloney & Co., 1170 Broadway, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase, June 15, 1927, be hereby extended to October 31, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of Contract No. 85159 for furnishing and erecting artificial granite balustrade complete, along the easterly boundary of the Harlem River Driveway between 193rd and 198th Street, with Ascher Engineering and Construction Co., 1457 Broadway, bids for which were received by the Park Board June 7, 1927, be hereby extended to December 1, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

By request Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the stipulated date for the completion of contract with Bernard Knopp, 156 East 47th Street (No. 85256) for erection of a platform in the Exhibition Hall of the School Service Building, American Museum of Natural History, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended thirty days, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for the completion of deliveries in Contract No. 85014, with D. J. Singleton, 82 Duane Street, N. Y. C., for furnishing and delivering playground equipment for Department of Parks, Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase June 1, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to October 20, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all bids received by the Park Board, on October 4, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for repaving roadway across the southerly portion of Crotona Park from Claremont Parkway and Fulton Avenue, to Crotona Park East and Wilkins Avenue be rejected, it being deemed to the best interest of the City so to do.

(Commissioner Hennessy explained that his action was taken by direction of the Mayor, as Chairman of the Board of Estimate in Committee of the Whole.)

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—3.

In order that all of the Commissioners should have the opportunity to discuss it, Commissioner Hennessy gave notice that he would introduce the following resolution at the next meeting of the Park Board:

*Resolved*, That the Park Board acting as a committee of the whole shall arrange for an appointment with his Honor, Mayor James J. Walker, to apply for consideration of the request to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for increases in the Park Board Pay Roll.

On motion at 3:45 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, November 22, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing, delivering and installing three (3) chlorinating apparatuses, scales and appurtenances in Pelham Bay Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing, Delivering and Installing Three (3) Chlorinating Apparatuses, Scales and Appurtenances in Pelham Bay Park, Borough of The Bronx, November 22nd, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Wallace & Tiernan Co., Inc., Belleville, N. J. ....	\$4,150.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of contract of the Terminal Supply Company, 2 Lafayette Street, for playground equipment, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase April 12, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to November 24, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of contract between this Department and Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Avenue, The Bronx, for narrowing the sidewalk on the north side of West 40th Street, from 5th Avenue to the existing curb line at Bryant Park, Contract No. 85264, bids for which were received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended thirty (30) days, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries in Contract No. 82234, with the H. R. McNeill Lumber Company, 2095 Broadway, for furnishing and delivering lumber for the Department of Parks, Manhattan, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase December 15, 1926, be and the same is hereby extended to September 1, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries in Contract No. 83,216 with the Barrett Co., 40 Rector Street, New York City, for furnishing, delivering and spreading tar road oil for Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase March 14, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to November 30th, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract (No. 85,102) between this Department and D. J. Singleton for furnishing Playground Equipment for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated August

22, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase August 2, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to October 31, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of bridge, new roadway and paths, Kissena Park, Borough of Queens, together with all work incidental thereto, bids for which were received by the Park Board November 15, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Browne called up the subject of the proposed tree nursery on the land of the Sea View Hospital, Staten Island, concerning which Commissioner Herrick had been in correspondence with Commissioner Bird S. Coler of the Department of Public Welfare.

Commissioner Browne said that question of securing tree stock for the parks of this City is becoming more serious every day, and it is almost impossible to secure any.

All the other Commissioners reported that they had found the same trouble in their efforts to do reforestation work.

After considerable discussion it was decided to consult with the Mayor as to what steps to take.

Commissioner Herrick presented the following letter, which was read by the Secretary:

"Nov. 22, 1927.

Hon. Walter R. Herrick,  
Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan.

Re—Change of title.

Dear Sir:

The City Recreation Committee held an executive meeting at 151 Fifth Avenue, New York City, on last Friday afternoon at which the Supervisors of Recreation of the respective boroughs were present. All agreed on a change of title for Playground workers from Playground Attendant to Playground Director and requested me to have the same officially changed by the Park Board.

Each Supervisor was to take the matter up with his individual Commissioner but they have all agreed that the proper title should be that of Playground Director.

I wrote you some time ago to the effect that one Mr. Flannelly, Assistant Examiner in charge of the examination for Playground workers, has also stated that the title of Playground Attendant was misleading, and should be changed.

It is suggested that proper action be taken by the Park Board and the matter also referred to the Civil Service Commission.

I, therefore, request that the following resolution be passed by the Park Board:

*Resolved*, That the title of Playground Attendant be changed to that of Playground Director.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES V. MULHOLLAND,  
Supervisor of Recreation."

After all the Commissioners had expressed themselves on the subject, Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the title of Playground Attendant in the Department of Parks be, and the same hereby is, changed to the title of Playground Director subject to the approval of the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

On motion at 3:30 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.



## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, November 29, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read as follows:

### *Borough of The Bronx.*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of an addition to greenhouse range at nursery in Van Cortlandt Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for installing electrical lighting equipment and electrical lighting fixtures in addition to present electric system at the Museum Building in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

### *Borough of Manhattan.*

3. For repaving with asphalt and otherwise improving the walks in Riverside Park between 135th and 153rd Streets.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Construction of an Addition to Greenhouse Range at Nursery in Van Cortlandt Park, Borough of The Bronx, November 29th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
English Construction Co., 15 West 91st St., N. Y. C. ....	\$12,400.00
Hitchings & Co., Elizabeth, N. J. ....	11,990.00
Katon Contr. Co., 2804 Third Ave., N. Y. C. ....	12,461.00
Lord & Burnham, Irvington, N. Y. ....	9,990.00
Wm. H. Lutton Co., 267 Kearney Ave., Jersey City, N. J. ....	9,577.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Installing Electrical Electric System at the Museum Building, in the New York Botanical

Items and Quantities	W. E. Blume, Inc., 1482 Broadway, N. Y. C.		Elgin Electric Corp., 204 E. 26th St., N. Y. C.		Erickson Eng. Co., Inc., 452 Lexington Ave., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
A. Installing electrical lighting equipment, exclusive of lighting fixtures. ....		\$1,543.00		\$1,720.00		\$1,600.00
B. Installing electrical lighting fixtures. ....		535.00		610.00		600.00
C. Installing electrical lighting equipment including electric lighting fixtures. ....		2,078.00		2,330.00		2,100.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Repaving With Asphalt Streets, Borough of Manhattan,

Items and Quantities

Concrete edging, 1,250 lin. ft. ....	
Concrete, 80 cu. yds. ....	
Asphalt Wearing Surface, 12,000 sq. ft. ....	

There being no objection the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of contract of the Terminal Supply Company, 2 Lafayette Street, for Playground Equipment (No. 83833), bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase April 12, 1927, be and the same is hereby further extended to December 20, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Browne offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of the contract between this Department and the Utility Oil Corporation for furnishing Gasoline for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated September 30, 1927, for which bids were received by the Department of Purchase June 20, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to October 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for repaving with asphalt and otherwise improving the walks in Riverside Park between 135th and 153rd Streets, bids received by the Park Board November 29, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President, for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the construction of an addition to greenhouse range at nursery in Van Cortlandt Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, for which bids were received by the Park Board November 29, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract

Lighting Equipment and Electrical Lighting Fixtures, in Addition to Present Garden, in Bronx Park, Borough of The Bronx, November 29th, 1927.

Liberty Eng. and Electrical Supply Co., 25 New Bowery, N. Y. C.		E. P. Gleason Mfg. Co., Inc., 37-39 Murray St., N. Y. C.		Pyramid Electric Cont. Co., Inc., 209 E. 43rd St., N. Y. C.		The Simes Co., Inc., 22 W. 15th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
.....	\$1,379.00	.....	\$2,425.00	.....	\$1,690.00	.....	.....
.....	487.00	.....	732.23	.....	535.00	.....	\$630.50
.....	.....	.....	3,157.23	.....	2,200.00	.....	.....

and Otherwise Improving the Walks in Riverside Park Between 135th and 153rd November 29th, 1927.

Charles D. Beckwith, Inc., Seneca Ave. & Bronx River, Bronx.		Fleming & Shepard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y. C.		Valatia Const. Corp., 15 E. 40th St., N. Y. C.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.60	\$750.00	\$0.75	\$937.50	\$1.50	\$1,875.00	\$0.60	\$750.00
8.00	640.00	11.00	880.00	20.00	1,600.00	12.00	960.00
0.14	1,680.00	0.20	2,400.00	0.35	4,200.00	0.19	2,280.00
	\$3,070.00		\$4,217.50		\$7,675.00		\$3,990.00

for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for installing electrical lighting equipment and electrical lighting fixtures in addition to present electric system at the Museum Building, in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, for which bids were received by the Park Board November 29, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President, for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals, received by the Park Board November 15, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of Park land between Jerome Avenue and River Avenue, between 165th and 167th Streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the Park Board hereby approves the modification of the contract with Tony Di Roma for the construction and general improvement of park lands along Grand Boulevard and Concourse, between 161st Street and 164th Street, Borough of The Bronx, for which bids were received by the Park Board on March 1, 1927.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, O'Rourke—4.

On motion 2:50 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY, Acting Secretary, Park Board.

EXHIBIT A  
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 OFFICIAL RECORDS  
 CITY OF NEW YORK

December 13, 1927]

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, December 13, 1927, 2:30 p. m.  
 Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened, and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to published advertisement, were opened and read as follows:

*Borough of The Bronx*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for erecting chain link wire fence at Golf Links in Van Cortlandt Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.
2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for improving portion of McComb's Dam Park, near the intersection of E. 161st Street and Doughty Avenue, The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Erecting Chain Link Wire Fence at Golf Links in Van Cortlandt Park, Borough of The Bronx, December 13th, 1927.

Bidders	Unit price 1,200 lin. ft.	Amount
American Fence Const. Co., 221 W. 57th St., N. Y. C. ....	\$2.33	\$2,796.00
Anchor Post Fence Co., 9 East 38th St., N. Y. C. ....	Informal	
Ascher Eng. and Contr. Co., Inc. ....	2.25	2,700.00
Atlas Fence Co., 35-49 Verona Ave., Newark, N. J. ....	2.32	2,784.00
Cyclone Fence Co., 796 Frelinghuysen Ave., Newark, N. J. ....	2.733	3,279.60
Independent Wire Works, 418 3rd Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. ...	2.38	2,856.00
Page Steel and Wire Co., 2629 Grand Central Term., N.Y.C.	2.93	3,516.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Improving Portion of Street, Borough of The Bronx,

Items and Quantities	Joseph L. Brennan, 167th St. & Sedgwick Ave., Bronx.	
	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 4,000 cu. yds. ....	\$0.50	\$2,000.00
2. Rubble masonry wall, 3,500 cu. ft. ....	0.25	875.00
3. Concrete walks, 6,000 sq. ft. ....	0.15	900.00
4. Top soil, 500 cu. yds. ....	1.50	750.00
5. Sod, 3,500 sq. ft. ....	0.05	175.00
6. Inlet basins, 4 ....	191.00	764.00
7. 6" Vitrified drain pipe, 20 lin. ft. ....	1.00	20.00
8. 8" Vitrified drain pipe, 130 lin. ft. ....	1.50	195.00
9. Concrete stairway, 1 ....	2,000	2,000.00
		<b>\$7,679.00</b>

McCombs Dam Park Near the Intersection of East 161st Street and Doughty  
December 13th, 1927.

Tony Di Roma, 33 Evelyn Place, Bronx.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Abraham M. Gold- smith, 2511 Grand Central Term., N. Y. C.		James D. Larkin, 771 E. 169th St., Bronx.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.00	\$4,000.00	\$0.40	\$1,600.00	\$0.50	\$2000.00	\$0.48	\$1,920.00
0.35	1,225.00	0.60	2,100.00	0.60	2,100.00	0.55	1,925.00
0.25	1,500.00	0.25	1,500.00	0.30	1,800.00	0.28	1,680.00
2.50	1,250.00	3.00	1,500.00	3.00	1,500.00	2.00	1,000.00
0.05	175.00	0.06	210.00	0.10	350.00	0.08	280.00
75.00	300.00	100.00	400.00	50.00	200.00	40.00	160.00
1.00	20.00	1.00	20.00	1.50	30.00	1.00	20.00
1.00	130.00	1.20	156.00	2.00	260.00	1.00	130.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	2,460.00	2,460.00	1,740.00	1,740.00	1,395.00	1,395.00
	\$10,100.00		\$9,946.00		\$9,980.00		\$8,510.00

Items and Quantities	McCarthy & Rush Contr. Co., 79 West Tremont Ave., Bronx.		John Meehan & Son, 90 West St., N. Y. C.	
	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 4,000 cu. yds.	\$0.40	\$1,600.00	\$1.25	\$5,000.00
2. Rubble masonry wall, 3,500 cu. ft. ....	0.10	350.00	0.65	2,275.00
3. Concrete walks, 6,000 sq. ft. ....	0.40	2,400.00	0.30	1,800.00
4. Top soil, 500 cu. yds. ....	0.40	200.00	2.50	1,250.00
5. Sod, 3,500 sq. ft. ....	0.30	1,050.00	0.15	525.00
6. Inlet basins, 4 ....	50.00	200.00	100.00	400.00
7. 6" Vitrified drain pipe, 20 lin. ft. ....	1.00	20.00	3.00	60.00
8. 8" Vitrified drain pipe, 130 lin. ft. ....	1.00	130.00	3.00	390.00
9. Concrete stairway, 1 ....	2,500.00	2,500.00	862.00	862.00
		\$8,450.00		\$12,562.00

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

The following resolution was adopted by the Park Board:

*Resolved*, That no employee of the Park Board shall absent himself from duty without first obtaining permission from said Board.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That Section 6, Art. 2—Ordinances, Rules and Regulations of the Department of Parks, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

6. Carriers of offensive refuse or heavy materials. No garbage, ashes, manure or other offensive material shall be carried by any city department or other agency over any parkway or through any park, except on a permit from the Park Commissioner. When such refuse is to be removed from residences fronting on any park or park-street, the vehicle collecting the same must leave the park or street as soon as the collection has been accomplished, and within the time prescribed by the Commissioner. No trucking of any kind shall be allowed in any park, or over any parkway or park road without a permit.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for furnishing, delivering and installing three (3) chlorinating apparatuses, scales and appurtenances in Pelham Bay Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, together with all work incidental thereto, for which bids were received by the Park Board on November 22, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into, and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of deliveries on contract No. 84738 with John T. Sexton, 425 East 92nd Street, for furnishing lumber for Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, bids for which were received by the Department of Purchase on June 15, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to November 30, 1927, the reason for the delay being beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of a platform in the Exhibition Hall of the School Service Building, S. W. Court, American Museum of Natural History, on Contract No. 85256 with Bernard Knopp, 156 East 47th Street, bids for which were received by the Park Board August 16, 1927, be further extended to December 15, 1927, the reason for the delay being beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

On motion at 3:05 p. m. the Board adjourned.

JOHN J. McCARTHY, Acting Secretary, Park Board.

Morris Park Contr. Co., Inc., 1991 Cruger Ave., Bronx.		Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx.		Sachs Const. Corp., 2 Lafayette St., N. Y. C.		M. C. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.01	\$40.00	\$0.85	\$3,400.00	\$1.65	\$6,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
0.50	1,750.00	0.42	1,470.00	0.60	2,100.00	0.60	2,100.00
0.35	2,100.00	0.28	1,680.00	0.29	1,740.00	0.20	1,200.00
4.00	2,000.00	2.50	1,250.00	3.00	1,500.00	3.10	1,550.00
0.10	350.00	0.06	210.00	0.06	210.00	0.08	280.00
100.00	400.00	50.00	200.00	35.00	140.00	40.00	160.00
1.00	20.00	2.00	40.00	1.60	32.00	0.80	16.00
2.00	260.00	2.00	260.00	2.00	260.00	0.80	104.00
1,200.00	1,200.00	750.00	750.00	600.00	600.00	1,197.00	1,197.00
	<u>\$8,120.00</u>		<u>\$9,260.00</u>		<u>\$13,182.00</u>		<u>\$6,607.00</u>

**PARK BOARD.**

Stated meeting, Tuesday, December 20, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read as follows:

*Borough of The Bronx*

1. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of park land between Jerome Avenue and River Avenue, between 165th and 167th Streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto.
2. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for repaving the roadway across the southerly portion of Crotona Park from Claremont Parkway and Fulton Avenue to Crotona Park East and Wilkins Avenue, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for the Improvement of 167th Street, Borough of The Bronx,

Items and Quantities

1. Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....	
2. Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....	
3. Concrete sidewalks, 37,000 sq. ft. ....	
4. W. I. fence, 3,100 lin. ft. ....	
5. 2-Rail pipe railing, 7,100 lin. ft. ....	
6. Top soil, 7,500 cu. yds. ....	
7. Sodding, 10,000 sq. ft. ....	
8. Seeding, 390,000 sq. ft. ....	
9. Trees, 200 ....	
10. Catch basins, 19 ....	
11. 12" Vitr. pipe, 200 lin. ft. ....	
12. 8" Vitr. pipe, 1,500 lin. ft. ....	
13. 2" Galv. W. I. pipe, 800 lin. ft. ....	
14. Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....	
15. Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	
16. Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....	
17. Concrete stairway, A, 1 ....	
18. Concrete stairway, B, 1 ....	
19. Concrete stairway, C, 1 ....	
20. Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....	
21. Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....	
22. Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....	



Park Land Between Jerome Avenue and River Avenue, Between 165th Street and December 20th, 1927.

John C. Brady Corp., 300 Madison Ave., N. Y. C.		I. F. Cavalluzzo, 1300 Cromwell Ave., Bronx.		Anthony Cianciulli, 923 Nepperhan Ave., Yonkers.		Connor Bros., 629 Albany Ave., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.01	\$150.00	\$1.00	\$15,000.00	\$0.85	1.00	0.001	1.00
1.50	15,000.00	1.50	15,000.00	1.35	\$12,750.00	\$0.80	\$12,000.00
0.29	10,730.00	0.23	8,510.00	0.30	13,500.00	1.50	15,000.00
10.25	31,775.00	14.00	43,400.00	10.00	11,100.00	0.29	10,730.00
1.80	12,780.00	1.00	7,100.00	1.90	31,000.00	10.00	31,000.00
2.50	18,750.00	2.00	15,000.00	2.00	13,490.00	1.70	12,070.00
0.07	700.00	0.08	800.00	0.11	15,000.00	2.50	18,750.00
0.01	3,900.00	0.03	11,700.00	0.01	1,100.00	0.06	600.00
15.00	3,000.00	15.00	3,000.00	22.00	3,900.00	0.005	1,950.00
150.00	2,850.00	175.00	3,325.00	100.00	4,400.00	20.00	40.00
5.00	1,000.00	2.00	400.00	1.00	1,900.00	60.00	1,140.00
3.50	5,250.00	2.00	3,000.00	0.70	200.00	1.75	350.00
1.20	960.00	2.00	1,600.00	1.00	1,050.00	1.50	2,250.00
0.75	825.00	0.80	880.00	1.25	800.00	1.00	800.00
1.40	140.00	2.00	200.00	0.01	1,375.00	1.00	1,100.00
5.00	500.00	0.01	1.00	0.01	1.00	2.50	250.00
.....	760.00	.....	180.00	.....	640.00	.....	700.00
.....	1,040.00	.....	350.00	.....	1,320.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	1,300.00	.....	350.00	.....	1,800.00	.....	1,300.00
.....	820.00	.....	180.00	.....	800.00	.....	800.00
.....	740.00	.....	160.00	.....	600.00	.....	750.00
.....	740.00	.....	160.00	.....	600.00	.....	750.00
	<b>\$113,710.00</b>		<b>\$130,296.00</b>		<b>\$117,327.00</b>		<b>\$117,291.00</b>

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1.	Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....	.....
2.	Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....	.....
3.	Concrete sidewalks, 37,000 sq. ft. ....	.....
4.	W. I. fence, 3,100 lin. ft. ....	.....
5.	2-Rail pipe railing, 7,100 lin. ft. ....	.....
6.	Top soil, 7,500 cu. yds. ....	.....
7.	Sodding, 10,000 sq. ft. ....	.....
8.	Seeding, 390,000 sq. ft. ....	.....
9.	Trees, 200 ....	.....
10.	Catch basins, 19 ....	.....
11.	12" Vitr. pipe, 200 lin. ft. ....	.....
12.	8" Vitr. pipe, 1,500 lin. ft. ....	.....
13.	2" Galv. W. I. pipe, 800 lin. ft. ....	.....
14.	Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....	.....
15.	Bluestone curb, 100 lin. ft. ....	.....
16.	Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....	.....
17.	Concrete stairway, A, 1 ....	.....
18.	Concrete stairway, B, 1 ....	.....
19.	Concrete stairway, C, 1 ....	.....
20.	Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....	.....
21.	Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....	.....
22.	Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....	.....

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1.	Regulating and grading, 15,000 cu. yds. ....	.....
2.	Macadam walks, 10,000 sq. yds. ....	.....
3.	Concrete sidewalks, 37,000 sq. ft. ....	.....
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10.	Catch basins, 19 ....	.....
11.	12" Vitr. pipe, 200 lin. ft. ....	.....
12.	8" Vitr. pipe, 1,500 lin. ft. ....	.....
13.	2" Galv. W. I. pipe, 800 lin. ft. ....	.....
14.	Concrete curb, 1,100 lin. ft. ....	.....
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20.	Concrete stairway, D, 1 ....	.....
21.	Concrete stairway, E, 1 ....	.....
22.	Concrete stairway, F, 1 ....	.....

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Louis Di Menna, 47-78 3rd Ave.,		Tony Di Roma, 33 Evelyn Place, Bronx.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. C.		Foley & Pizzo, 649 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.00	\$15,000.00	\$0.50	\$7,500.00	\$1.20	\$18,000.00	\$1.17	\$17,550.00
1.50	15,000.00	1.40	14,000.00	1.35	13,500.00	1.50	15,000.00
0.30	11,100.00	0.25	9,250.00	0.28	10,360.00	0.30	11,100.00
10.00	31,000.00	11.00	34,100.00	10.90	33,790.00	8.75	27,125.00
1.70	12,070.00	1.80	12,780.00	2.00	14,200.00	1.50	10,650.00
2.50	18,750.00	2.60	19,500.00	2.65	19,875.00	2.50	18,750.00
0.05	500.00	0.05	500.00	0.05	500.00	0.06	600.00
0.01	3,900.00	0.005	1,950.00	0.01	3,900.00	0.005	1,950.00
27.00	5,400.00	25.00	5,000.00	25.00	5,000.00	18.00	3,600.00
60.00	1,140.00	75.00	1,425.00	80.00	1,520.00	100.00	1,900.00
2.00	400.00	1.50	300.00	1.75	350.00	2.00	400.00
1.50	2,250.00	1.20	1,800.00	1.25	1,875.00	1.00	1,500.00
1.50	1,200.00	1.00	800.00	1.75	1,400.00	0.12	96.00
1.30	1,430.00	1.00	1,100.00	1.20	1,320.00	1.00	1,100.00
2.00	200.00	0.01	1.00	3.00	300.00	3.00	300.00
3.00	300.00	0.01	1.00	5.00	500.00	3.00	300.00
.....	700.00	.....	320.00	.....	325.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	1,100.00	.....	600.00	.....	750.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	1,800.00	.....	600.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	600.00	.....	320.00	.....	525.00	.....	1,000.00
.....	700.00	.....	300.00	.....	350.00	.....	500.00
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\$125,240.00		\$112,397.00		\$129,690.00		\$116,921.00	

Morris Park Contr. Co., Inc., 1991 Cruger Ave., Bronx.		Joseph Palladino, Inc., 4179 Park Ave., Bronx.		M. C. Seelig Co., 44 Court St., Brooklyn.		Croce Sylvestri, 44 Linn Ave., Yonkers.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.01	\$150.00	\$1.20	\$18,000.00	\$1.05	\$15,750.00	\$0.50	\$7,500.00
2.90	29,000.00	1.70	17,000.00	0.80	8,000.00	0.75	7,500.00
0.30	11,100.00	0.23	8,510.00	0.40	14,800.00	0.50	18,500.00
7.50	23,250.00	9.00	27,900.00	10.03	31,093.00	13.50	41,850.00
1.50	10,650.00	1.90	13,490.00	1.51	10,721.00	2.70	19,170.00
2.00	15,000.00	2.50	18,750.00	2.50	18,750.00	3.00	22,500.00
0.10	1,000.00	0.06	600.00	0.05	500.00	0.15	1,500.00
0.00	0.00	0.0025	975.00	0.005	1,950.00	0.01	3,900.00
20.00	4,000.00	30.00	6,000.00	17.50	3,500.00	10.00	2,000.00
100.00	1,900.00	60.00	1,140.00	50.00	950.00	100.00	1,900.00
2.00	400.00	1.50	300.00	1.00	200.00	2.00	400.00
1.00	1,500.00	1.00	1,500.00	1.00	1,500.00	1.00	1,500.00
1.00	800.00	0.60	480.00	1.00	800.00	0.50	400.00
1.50	1,650.00	1.10	1,210.00	0.80	880.00	1.50	1,650.00
0.01	1.00	2.50	250.00	1.00	100.00	3.00	300.00
0.01	1.00	7.50	750.00	2.00	200.00	2.00	200.00
.....	1,500.00	.....	320.00	.....	320.00	.....	500.00
.....	1,500.00	.....	525.00	.....	880.00	.....	500.00
.....	1,500.00	.....	775.00	.....	900.00	.....	500.00
.....	1,500.00	.....	475.00	.....	480.00	.....	500.00
.....	1,500.00	.....	274.00	.....	300.00	.....	500.00
.....	1,500.00	.....	274.00	.....	300.00	.....	500.00
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\$109,402.00		\$119,498.00		\$112,874.00		\$133,770.00	

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials for Repaving the Roadway  
Fulton Avenue to Crotona Park East and Wilkins

Items and Quantities

1. Excavation, 1,000 cu. yds. ....
2. Concrete in foundation, 1,200 cu. yds. ....
3. Concrete curb, 4,000 lin. ft. ....
4. Sheet asphalt, 7,000 sq. yds. ....
5. Broken stone, 100 cu. yds. ....
6. Catch basins, 5 ....
7. 8" Vitr. drain pipe, 150 lin. ft. ....
8. 10" Vitr. drain pipe, 100 lin. ft. ....
9. Rock excavation, 100 cu. yds. ....
10. Additional fill, 500 cu. yds. ....
11. Concrete flush headers, 150 lin. ft. ....
12. Rock excavation for sewer, 10 cu. yds. ....
13. Earth excavation for sewer, 100 cu. yds. ....

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

The Secretary read the following communication from the Municipal Civil Service Commission:

"December 15, 1927.

Willis Holly, Esq.,  
Secretary, Park Board.  
Arsenal, Central Park,  
New York City.

Dear Sir:

At its meeting held December 14th, the Municipal Civil Service Commission considered your communication of November 23rd and a report of the Director of Examinations dated December 12th relative to the matter of changing the title of Playground Attendant to Playground Director.

I was directed by the Commission to inform you that if the Board of Estimate and Apportionment modifies the budget of your Department by eliminating the titles "Playground Attendant" and "Play Leader" and substituting therefor "Playground Director," such change will be approved by this Commission.

Very truly yours,

J. McDONALD,  
Assistant Secretary."

Whereupon the following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the application to eliminate the titles of "Playground Attendant" and "Play Leader" in the Bureau of Recreation of the Department of Parks and to substitute therefor the title of "Playground Director", having been approved by the Municipal Civil Service Commission subject to the consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, is hereby endorsed and approved by the Park Board, and a request to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the necessary modification of the Park Board Budgets is hereby authorized.

Across the Southerly Portion of Crotona Park from Claremont Parkway and Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, December 20th, 1927.

The Asphalt Const. Co., 208 Broadway, N. Y. C.		Charles D. Beckwith, Inc., Seneca Ave. and Bronx River, Bronx.		Brusstor Const. Co., Inc., E. 151st St. & Harlem River, N. Y. C.		Gaffney Const. Corp., Zerega & Story Aves., Bronx.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$2.50	\$2,500.00	\$2.08	\$2,080.00	\$2.57	\$2,570.00	\$2.55	\$2,550.00
9.00	10,800.00	10.14	12,168.00	9.50	11,400.00	9.00	10,800.00
1.50	6,000.00	1.67	6,680.00	1.63	6,520.00	1.60	6,400.00
2.38	16,660.00	2.64	18,480.00	2.83	19,810.00	2.95	20,650.00
3.50	350.00	3.05	305.00	3.25	325.00	3.60	360.00
200.00	1,000.00	310.00	1,500.50	250.00	1,250.00	180.00	900.00
3.00	450.00	2.75	412.50	3.75	562.50	3.25	487.50
3.00	300.00	3.20	320.00	4.00	400.00	4.00	400.00
10.00	1,000.00	18.00	1,800.00	15.00	1,500.00	9.00	900.00
0.50	250.00	0.65	325.00	0.75	375.00	0.40	200.00
1.00	150.00	1.90	285.00	0.40	60.00	1.05	157.50
20.00	200.00	24.00	240.00	30.00	300.00	20.00	200.00
3.00	300.00	3.50	350.00	5.50	550.00	3.10	310.00
<b>\$39,960.00</b>		<b>\$44,995.00</b>		<b>\$45,622.50</b>		<b>\$44,315.00</b>	

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of Contract No. 83535 for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the Improvement of the Park Plot known as Van Nest Memorial Square with J. Carotenuto & Son of Grinnell Place and Barry Street, Bronx, N. Y., bids for which were received by the Park Board on April 12, 1927, be hereby extended to December 15, 1927, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the contractor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the time stipulated for completion of contract with Fred Medart Manufacturing Co. of 511 West 42nd Street, New York City, for delivering and installing Playground apparatus, bids for which were received by the Board of Purchase June 1, 1927, be and the same is hereby extended to December 31, 1927, the reasons for the delay being beyond the control of the contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, received by the Park Board December 13, 1927, for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for improving portion of McComb's Dam Park, near the intersection of E. 161st Street and Doughty Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Butler, O'Rourke—4.

On motion at 3:20 p. m. the Board adjourned.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

## PARK BOARD.

Stated meeting, Tuesday, December 27, 1927, 2:30 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Herrick (President), Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals, which had been received, pursuant to duly published advertisement, were opened and read, as follows:

*Borough of Queens.*

1. Repairs to King Manor House, King Park, Jamaica, Borough of Queens.

*Borough of Richmond.*

2. For felling and uprooting all trees and stumps and removing and disposing of fallen trees, logs and stumps, for the construction of a golf course in Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond.

*Borough of Brooklyn*

3. For furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of playground at Avenue S and E. 14th Street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials Necessary or Required for Repairs to King Manor House, King Park, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, The City of New York, Dec. 27th, 1927.

Bidders	Amount
Julius Auserehl, 139-11 Queens Blvd., Jamaica, L. I., N. Y. ....	\$3,104.00
Alfonso Bizzigotti, 104-37 47th Ave., Corona, L. I. ....	2,950.00
Donald McKay Bldg Co., Inc., 151 West 42nd St., N. Y. City ....	3,579.00
J. Rosenblum, 1001 East 167th St., Bronx, N. Y. ....	2,940.00

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials Necessary or Required for Fallen Trees, Logs and Stumps, for the Construction of a Golf Course

Items and Quantities	Evans Clearing Corporation, 98 Pine Street, New York City.	
	Price	Amount
1. Trees, 3" to 6" to fell, etc, 775 .....	\$1.00	\$775.00
2. Trees, 6" to 12" to fell, etc., 443 .....	3.00	1,329.00
3. Trees, 12" to 24" to fell, etc., 237 .....	12.00	2,844.00
4. Trees, above 24" to fell, etc., 110 .....	14.00	1,540.00
5. Stumps to pull, etc., 1,100 .....	7.00	7,700.00
		\$14,188.00

Felling and Uprooting All Trees and Stumps and Removing and Disposing of  
in Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond, December 27th, 1927.

The H. & J. Construction Co., 106 W. 47th St., New York City.		Joseph Johnson's Sons, Inc., 455 Broadway, West New Brighton, S. I.		Kendricks Land Clearing Corpora- tion, Hollis, L. I., N. Y.		John J. O'Rourke, Inc., 238 Gordon St., Stapleton, S. I.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$1.00	\$775.00	\$3.50	\$2,712.50	\$2.02	\$1,565.50	\$3.00	\$2,325.00
3.00	1,329.00	11.00	4,873.00	8.52	3,774.36	9.00	3,987.00
12.00	2,844.00	26.00	6,162.00	19.48	4,619.13	19.00	4,503.00
12.00	1,320.00	40.00	4,400.00	27.99	3,078.90	24.00	2,640.00
5.00	5,500.00	19.00	20,900.00	6.02	6,622.00	8.50	9,350.00
	<u>\$11,768.00</u>		<u>\$39,047.50</u>		<u>\$19,659.89</u>		<u>\$22,805.00</u>

Table of Bids for Furnishing All Labor and Materials Necessary or Required of Brooklyn,

Items and Quantities

1. Regulating and grading, 7,000 cu. yds. ....
2. Concrete housing, 152 cu. yds. ....
3. Additional concrete, 10 cu. yds. ....
4. Manholes, complete, 2 .....
5. Field basins, complete 2 .....
6. Water supply system .....
7. 12" Vitrified pipe drains, 465 lin. ft. ....
8. New cement walks, 400 sq. ft. ....
9. Picket fence and gates, 150 lin. ft. ....
10. Removing and resetting fence, 995 lin. ft. ....

H. A. & R. J.  
Moore,  
1508 Avenue S,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Items and Quantities	Price	Amount
1. Regulating and grading, 7,000 cu. yds. ....	\$0.93	\$6,510.00
2. Concrete housing, 152 cu. yds. ....	.....	7,039.00
3. Additional concrete, 10 cu. yds. ....	10.40	104.00
4. Manholes, complete, 2 .....	No. 1—393.00 } No. 2—328.00 }	721.00
5. Field basins, complete, 2 .....	218.00	
6. Water supply system .....	.....	577.00
7. 12" Vitrified pipe drains, 465 lin. ft. ....	1.38	641.70
8. New cement walks, 400 sq. ft. ....	0.27	108.00
9. Picket fence and gates, 150 lin. ft. ....	3.70	555.00
10. Removing and resetting fence, 995 lin. ft. ....	3.25	3,233.75
		<u>\$19,925.45</u>

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.

Commissioner Herrick offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the date stipulated for the completion of Contract No. 83833, for Playground Equipment with the Terminal Supply Company, 2 Lafayette Street, bids for which were received by the Board of Purchase April 12, 1927, be hereby extended up to and including January 10, 1928, the delay being due to reasons beyond the control of the Contractors.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner O'Rourke offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for felling and uprooting all trees and stumps for the construction of a golf course in Silver Lake Park, Borough of Richmond, received by the Park Board December 27, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

There being no objection, the President directed that the reading of the Minutes of the previous Meeting be dispensed with.



For the Improvement of Playground at Avenue S and East 14th Street, Borough  
December 27th, 1927.

C. R. Contracting Co., 2266 Gravesend Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.		Alfred Di Gero- nimo, 2086 East 2nd St., Brooklyn, N. Y.		Fleming & Shep- pard Co., Inc., 116 Broad St., N. Y. City.		P. Hand & R. De Lia, 123 Parkside Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$0.50	\$3,500.00	\$0.20	\$1,400.00	\$0.25	\$1,750.00	\$0.67	\$4,690.00
.....	7,600.00	.....	4,000.00	.....	6,300.00	.....	3,750.00
20.00	200.00	.....	.....	5.00	50.00	10.00	100.00
500.00	1,000.00	280.00	560.00	300.00	600.00	225.00	450.00
200.00	400.00	160.00	320.00	100.00	200.00	150.00	300.00
.....	1,000.00	.....	600.00	.....	690.00	.....	800.00
4.00	1,860.00	3.00	1,395.00	2.25	1,046.25	1.25	581.25
0.40	160.00	0.30	120.00	0.30	120.00	0.35	140.00
11.00	1,650.00	10.00	1,500.00	6.00	900.00	5.00	750.00
6.50	6,467.50	1.60	1,592.00	2.70	2,686.50	2.50	2,487.50
\$23,837.50		\$11,487.00		\$14,342.75		\$14,048.75	

James R. Nugent, 1744 70th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.		Thomas O'Dowd, 2086 Washington Ave., Bronx, N. Y.		Carmine Petracca, 59 Taaffe Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.		Pizzo - Foley, 649 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.	
Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount	Price	Amount
\$65.00	\$4,550.00	\$50.00	\$3,500.00	\$0.45	\$3,150.00	\$0.70	\$4,900.00
.....	2,826.00	.....	3,500.00	.....	5,500.00	.....	4,100.00
16.00	160.00	10.00	100.00	18.00	180.00	10.00	100.00
250.00	500.00	150.00	300.00	210.00	420.00	300.00	600.00
200.00	400.00	175.00	350.00	120.00	240.00	200.00	400.00
.....	850.00	.....	500.00	.....	270.00	.....	1,100.00
2.25	1,046.25	2.00	930.00	2.40	1,116.00	1.00	465.00
0.33	132.00	0.30	120.00	0.36	144.00	0.25	100.00
5.25	787.50	4.00	600.00	6.00	900.00	5.00	750.00
3.50	3,482.50	1.50	1,492.50	3.90	3,880.50	2.50	2,487.50
\$14,734.25		\$11,392.50		\$15,800.50		\$15,002.50	

Commissioner Hennessy offered the following:

*Resolved*, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the improvement of park land between Jerome Avenue and River Avenue, between 165th Street and 167th Street in the Borough of The Bronx, together with all work incidental thereto, received by the Park Board December 20, 1927, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties, and when so approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

Commissioner Butler offered the following:

*Resolved*, That all the bids or proposals received by the Park Board December 27, 1927, for repairs to King Manor House, King Park, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, be rejected, it being deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Herrick, Hennessy, Browne, Butler, O'Rourke—5.

The Commissioners discussed at some length the question of furnishing the Park Board room in the Arsenal Building, consulting a diagram presented by Charles Schmieder, Architect. Suggestions of changes were developed in discussion and Mr. Schmieder was directed to make a new diagram embodying these changes.

On motion Meeting adjourned at 4:10 p. m.

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.