

ORDINANCE NO. 74

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE UNITED MOTOR FUEL CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON, A CORPORATION EXISTING UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN PIPE LINES UNDER THE SURFACE OF A PORTION OF FRANKLIN AND UNION STREETS, AND TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN A SIDE TRACK ACROSS THE EASTERN END OF JEFFERSON STREET, IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Alexandria:

Section 1. That the United Motor Fuel Corporation of Washington, a corporation existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, be and it is hereby authorized to construct, operate, and maintain four six-inch pipe lines for the purpose of transporting petroleum, or petroleum products, beneath the surface of Franklin Street from the west side of Union Street eastwardly to the established pierhead line of the west bank of the Potomac River, and also beneath the surface of Union Street from the north side of Franklin Street southwardly to a point 179 feet, more or less, south of the side line of Franklin Street, paralleling the tracks of the Southern Railway Company now located on Union Street, together with the right to lay in Union Street, beneath the surface thereof, additional pipes running east and west connecting the property lying at the southwest corner of Franklin and Union Streets and lying adjacent to the pipes in Union Street as aforesaid, with the pipe lines authorized, as aforesaid, to be laid in Union Street.

The said United Motor Fuel Corporation of Washington, shall install said pipes at least 2 feet beneath the surface of the street and in such manner as not to interfere with the use of the said street by the public and shall maintain and keep said pipes and their contents in safe and proper condition, and shall save harmless the City of Alexandria from any liability to persons using the said street by reason of the location of said pipe therein and shall also close as soon as practicable any excavation made for the purpose of installing or maintaining said pipes, and shall restore the street to the condition in which it was before any of said excavations.

Section 2. That the said United Motor Fuel Corporation of Washington, is hereby authorized to construct, operate and maintain a side track extending from a point on the Southern Railway track as now constructed near the east end of Jefferson Street, said point being just south of the intersection of the said Southern Railway with the south line of Jefferson Street, and extending said side track from said point northwardly across the said Jefferson Street to the property on the north side of Jefferson Street now owned by M. B. Harlow, and the said corporation shall maintain the said Jefferson Street between its tracks and on each side thereof within two (2) feet of said tracks in such manner and with such material as the adjoining part of said street is maintained.

Approved this 1st day of December, 1927.

W. A. SMOOT,
Mayor.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in effect from its passage.