

Ordinance No. 956

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Tidewater Oil Company, a Delaware corporation, to construct, maintain, and operate pipe lines under the surface of a portion of North Royal Street and Wythe Street in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the Tidewater Oil Company, a Delaware corporation, be and it is hereby authorized to construct, maintain, and operate three pipe lines of a diameter not to exceed eight inches for the purpose of transporting petroleum or petroleum products beneath the surface of North Royal and Wythe Streets in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, said pipe lines to cross North Royal Street at right angles at a point approximately one-half way between Madison and Wythe Streets and to cross Wythe Street at right angles at a point just west of the intersection of Fairfax and Wythe Streets and then to run along the south side of Wythe Street in an easterly direction through the intersections at North Fairfax and North Lee Streets to a dock located near the channel of the Potomac.

Section 2. That said Tidewater Oil Company, a Delaware corporation, shall install said pipe lines so they shall be at least two feet beneath the surface of the streets presently constructed or to be constructed and in such a manner as not to interfere with the use of said streets by the public and shall install said pipe lines in accordance with all applicable safety laws and shall maintain and keep said pipe lines and their contents in a safe and proper condition and shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Alexandria, Virginia, from and against any and all liability or loss to persons or property by reason of the construction, maintenance or operation of said pipe lines on public property and shall also close as soon as practicable any excavations made for the purpose of constructing, installing, operating, or maintaining said pipe lines, and shall restore the streets to the condition in which they were before any of said excavations.

Section 3. That said pipe lines shall be located in accordance with the drawings of the Tidewater Oil Company, a Delaware corporation, filed with the Director of Planning entitled "Tidewater Oil Company, Alexandria, Va. Terminal," Sketch No. 2-A, Dated 3-1-57.

Section 4. That the location and installation of said pipe lines shall be under the supervision of the City Manager of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, or his duly authorized representatives.

Section 5. That the Tidewater Oil Company shall not disturb, break or dig up any portion of a public street for the purpose of locating, installing, constructing or maintaining said pipe lines without first having obtained a written permit from and deposited adequate security with the City of Alexandria, Virginia, as required by the laws of said City.

Section 6. That this ordinance shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City not later than five days following its introduction together with a notice containing the time and place for a public hearing. The Clerk of the Council shall note the date of introduction and first reading, the date of publication, the date of the public hearing, and the date of the second reading and final passage in the minutes of the meeting. This ordinance shall become effective the date of its final passage.

LEROY S. BENDHEIM
Mayor

Final Passage: May 28, 1957