

ITEM 3

MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 36

COUNCIL MEETING June 5/72

3. Re: Letter from Mrs. C. A. Moore  
3796 McGill Street  
Vancouver Heights Reservoir Park Site

Appearing on the Agenda for the June 5, 1972, Council meeting is a letter dated May 29, 1972, from Mrs. C. A. Moore complaining of the dust from the parking lot area at the Vancouver Heights Reservoir Park Site and asking for standard curbs and pavement on Esmond Avenue.

The Parks and Recreation Administrator advises that this area is being developed in stages. The lot is now just a rough graded gravel area. The next stage of the development includes a building and, if financing permits, paving of the lot. The building is being designed in 1972 and we hope to put it forward for approval for construction in 1974.

We will calcium chloride or oil treat the lot as a maintenance item as soon as convenient after the termination of the strike.

As for construction of curbs and pavement widening of Esmond, this work is already included in our 1972-1973 Local Improvement Program, which was approved in principle earlier this year by Council. This particular work is presently shown in Stage 3 of the program. For the information of Council, Stage 1 has been initiated, amended as a result of petitions against some works being received, and tenders have been called and recently awarded for the work. Stage 2 was in the process of initiation when we were struck. Stage 3 would normally not be initiated until late this year or early next year. If the work in question on Esmond which is included in Stage 3 is not petitioned against, it would likely not be constructed until sometime in 1973.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT a copy of this report item be sent to Mrs. Moore and the Parks and Recreation Commission.