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To the Honorable Comman Council

of the City of San Diego, Galifornia. Gentlemen:-

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr.G.N.Gilbert, who we have asked to care for the road from Pacific Beach Race Track to Sorrento Store, at an expense of not to exceed \$9.00 per Month, which is in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance # 889, from your Honorable Body.

Mr.Gilbert says in part as follows:-

"For me to try and repair the road with the amount of money appropriated would be useless under the present condition of the road, it will take a great deal of heavy work, plowing and grading, to put the road in shape. The County grader can be had if kept in repair and I have a heavy road plow which I would use. I would put my teams in and do as much work in a day as possible in order to put the road in good shape. If once put in good repair it would not cost much to keep it so until the rains come again. According to my estimate it would require Six horses & three men ten days to complete the work."

As Mr. Gilbert can do the work very much cheaper than it is possible for the City to do it, and as we are well aware of the bad condition of this road, we would respectfully recommend that you authorise us to have Mr, Gilbert put this road in condition.

Respectfully Submitted,

Board of Public Works

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