

establishing said commission; but the Chief Engineer shall have power and is hereby authorized to delegate from time to time the Buildings Engineer to act for him as member of said commission, with the same powers and responsibilities as herein conferred upon the Chief Engineer.

The Chief Engineer shall have power and is hereby authorized to delegate from time to time any of his assistants with engineering knowledge or any of the bureau heads to act for him as member of the Board of Zoning Appeals as established under the provisions of Ordinance of the Mayor and City Council No. 922, approved May 19, 1923, with the same powers and responsibilities as conferred upon the Chief Engineer by said ordinance.

The Chief Engineer shall have power and is hereby directed to co-ordinate the functions and operations of the bureaus constituting the Department of Public Works, to the end that all unnecessary waste and duplication of effort may be eliminated. He shall see to it that no bureaus maintain duplicate equipment or personnel for work which should be centralized in one bureau, and for this purpose the Chief Engineer shall have power and is hereby directed, whenever expedient and proper, to require such work as surveying, testing, drafting, blue-printing, copying, etc., to be centralized in one or more bureaus; and the Chief Engineer shall have power to assign and reassign equipment from the custody of one bureau to any other bureau, as may be found expedient.

The Chief Engineer shall have power and is hereby authorized to enter and occupy any and all municipal property from time to time, for the installation, maintenance and repair of public works of any kind, such as the water, sanitary sewer and storm water drainage systems. Before entering upon any property under the jurisdiction or control of a special board, commission or department such as property under the control of the Board of Park Commissioners, the Chief Engineer, or the Bureau acting under his authority, shall serve due notice upon such special board, commission or department and shall, so far as possible, avoid any interference with the plans of such board, commission or department. The Chief Engineer shall restore or pay for the restoration of any property, so entered and occupied, to the condition in which it was before his entrance.

B.

All existing contracts and obligations of the officers, boards, commissions, departments or other municipal agencies hereby abolished or superseded shall remain in full force and effect, and shall be performed by the bureau to which the rights, powers, duties, obligations or functions of the agency so abolished or superseded are transferred.

C.

Wherever an existing office, board, commission, department, bureau or other municipal agency is abolished or superseded under the provisions