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## PEOPLES MERCHANTS BUILDING MASSILLON, OHIO

**TEMPLE 3-3173** 

Mr. James A. Bower Service Director City Hall Massillon, Ohio March 11, 1960

Re: Lease of Canal Property, Campbell Oil Company

Dear Mr. Bower:

The Campbell Oil Company of Massillon, Ohio, distributors of Cities Service products in this vicinity, have entered into a contract for the purchase of the former Cope Bros. service station and bulk storage plant on the west side of South Erie Street, immediately south of the Pennsylvania Railroad underpass.

In checking the title to said property we find that a 0.198 acre, irregularly shaped tract of land lying immediately north of the property being purchased belongs to the City of Massillon and has never been leased, although lying between two parcels now leased to the Pennsylvania Railroad and Owight Blackwelder, Jr.; the latter being assigned to Campbell Oil Company.

I am enclosing a sketch of the 0.198 acre tract (outlined in red) together with the surrounding land. The Canal Lands are marked by a green line.

On behalf of Campbell Oil Company, I wish to make formal application for a fifteen year lease of said property, with the annual rental to be determined by the City's established formula for the lease of the Canal Lands; said land to be used subject to the usual rules and restrictions where there is a conduit or sewer underneath said land.

I would appreciate your checking into this matter as soon as possible, to enable Campbell Oil Company to make plans for the use of this land to supplement the property purchased, in the event that the City sees fit to lease this tract.

Sincerely,

Attorney for Campbell Oil Company

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