

April 6, 2010

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Resolution Regarding Funding for  
Highway Safety Improvement Program Project  
West Kilbourn Avenue at  
North 16<sup>th</sup> Street and North 17<sup>th</sup> Street

Dear Council Members:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation is soliciting applicants for funds under the Federal Highway Safety Improvement Program. The program is intended to reduce the number and severity of vehicle and pedestrian crashes.

The Department of Public Works intends to submit an application for the installation of traffic control signals at the intersections of West Kilbourn Avenue at North 16<sup>th</sup> Street and North 17<sup>th</sup> Street.

The successful grant applications are expected to be announced this year. All projects will be funded 90 percent by the grant with a 10 percent local match. We have, therefore, prepared the attached resolution authorizing the department to apply for these grants.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.  
City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes  
Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachment