August 18, 2011

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 100609

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is Common Council Resolution File Number 100609, being a resolution to grant a special privilege to Kulwinder Singh to construct and maintain a barrier free access ramp with steps and a set of wooden steps in the public right-of-way for the premises at 200 East Chambers Street.

The applicant is requesting permission to construct and maintain a concrete barrier free access ramp with platform, steps and handrail and a wooden platform with steps in the east, 20-foot sidewalk area of North Palmer Street. Said barrier free access ramp projects 4 feet 5 inches into the public way, commencing at a point 2 feet south of the northline of East Chamber Street and extending 32 feet 6 inches to the north. Said wooden steps project 2 feet 10 inches into the public way, commencing at a point 44 feet north of the northline of East Chambers Street and extending north 7 feet 10 inches. Neither structure impedes usage of the paved public sidewalk.

We are not aware that the presence of said items will have an adverse effect on the general use of the public right-of-way. We have, therefore, prepared the attached special privilege resolution, which, if adopted, will allow said items to occupy the public right-of-way.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Ghassan Korban, Special Deputy Commissioner of Public Works

Art Dahlberg, Commissioner Department of Neighborhood Services

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