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Honorable Paul A. Henningsen  
Alderman, 4th Aldermanic District  
Room 205, City Hall

Subject: 4TH ALD. DIST. – FILE #030104  
REMOVE ONE WAY ON WEST STATE STREET  
AND ON WEST WELLS STREET FROM  
NORTH 35TH STREET TO NORTH 11TH STREET

Dear Alderman Henningsen:

Avenues West, on behalf of the impacted neighborhood and businesses, has requested the conversion of the subject sections of West State and West Wells Streets from one-way operation to two-way operation. Following the conversion, the three-lane segments of West Wells Street will operate with two inbound traffic lanes and one outbound traffic lane while West State Street will operate with two outbound traffic lanes and one inbound traffic lane.

We believe that this conversion will enhance traffic circulation and encourage slower traffic speeds in the area.

We will prepare the necessary legislation for the next Public Safety Committee meeting, so that you may support it to final passage.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.  
City Engineer

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