LRB – FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

FEBRUARY 10, 2004 AGENDA

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Resolut ion #04139 2 is a

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

JAMES CARROLL

resolution relating to application for, acceptance and funding 2005 of a U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 2005 Pilot Grant titled "Milwaukee Collections Awareness Campaign"

BACKGROUND and DISCUSSION

- 1. This grant will provide \$75,000 for a public awareness campaign on waste reduction strategies disposal and changes in the City's bulky and brush collection operations.
- The public awareness campaign will be targeted at Milwaukee's youth through a partnership with Strive Media Institute and its teen produced Gumbo Magazine and Gumbo TV.
- Strive Media Institute is a non-profit mentoring program that provides at-risk high school students with the opportunity to gain knowledge and experience in the field of mass communications.
- 4. Gumbo Magazine is published bi-monthly and is distributed to MPS middle, schools, high schools, Milwaukee Public Libraries and Boys and Girls Clubs.
- 5. Gumbo TV is shown monthly on WTMJ TV.
- 6. The grant does not require City matching funds.
- 7. The period of the grant is from May 1, 2005 through April 30, 2006.

FISCAL IMPACT

 The resolution authorizes the application, acceptance and the expenditure of \$75,000 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 2005 Pilot Grant titled "Milwaukee Clean Collections Awareness Campaign".

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