

July 31, 2008

Mayor Tom Barrett  
City of Milwaukee  
City Hall, Room 201  
200 E. Wells St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53201

Re: Business Improvement District II #36

Dear Mayor Barrett:

The Riverworks Business Improvement District (RBID) #36 is recommending the following person for appointment.

Mr. L. C. Whitehead owns the property at 3400 N. Holton Street and operates RET Lounge. RET Lounge is a family owned business that has served the Riverwest and Harambee neighborhoods since 1996. The establishment has done a number of upgrades over the years, both internally and externally. The renovation of the building has helped to spur other improvements in the Riverworks Center area.

Mr. Whitehead has been involved with the Riverworks Business Improvement District and Riverworks Development Corporation. We look forward to more of his involvement in this community. I have attached Mr. Whitehead's resume.

Thank you in advance for your assistance. If you have any questions, please call me at 906.9650.

Sincerely,

Darryl Johnson  
Executive Director

CC: Rhonda Manuel  
Department of City Development