

October 15, 2007

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Project I.D. 1009-00-17/77
Hopkins Elementary School Improvements
(Intersection of West Hadley Street and North 16th Street)

Dear Council Members:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) has informed the City of Milwaukee that the project has been approved for funding under the Safe Routes to School (SRTS) program. The project consists of installing six permanent radar speed limit signs on approaches to Hopkins Elementary School, installing six R1-6 signs at locations marked on map, re-striping the crosswalks with thermo-plastic, installing eight-foot wide pedestrian refuge islands at the intersection of West Hadley Street and North Teutonia Avenue, and installing a traffic circle at West Hadley Street and North 16th Street

WISDOT has submitted the attached Project Agreement to be executed by the City of Milwaukee for the programming of the subject project with 100 percent SRTS funds.

We have prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution, which authorizes the Commissioner of Public Works to execute the Project Agreement, authorizes preliminary engineering, and authorizes the City Comptroller to create the proper accounts for the project.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.
City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantel
Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachments
c: W. M. Morics