

October 9, 2006

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: North Teutonia Avenue Bridge over
West Silver Spring Drive – Bridge Rehabilitation

Dear Council Members:

The above bridge rehabilitation project is eligible for 80 percent Federal and/or State cost participation for improvements under the Local Bridge Program. We have requested and received a revised project agreement from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) to be executed by the City of Milwaukee.

This revised agreement updates the construction funding from the previous project agreement with WISDOT for rehabilitation of the North Teutonia Avenue Bridge over West Silver Spring Drive. Previously the Local Bridge Program funding for construction on this project was \$400,000.

The revised agreement increases the construction funding to \$675,000 of which the City's share is \$135,000. The total estimated project cost for preliminary engineering and construction is \$839,000 for rehabilitation of the North Teutonia Avenue Bridge over West Silver Spring Drive. The subject project is scheduled to be constructed in 2008.

We have prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the Commissioner of Public Works to execute the revised State/Municipal Agreement (attached). This resolution also directs the City Comptroller to transfer funds and create the necessary Project/Grant Chartfield Values for the increased preliminary engineering work for this project.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.
City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes
Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachments

c: Ms. Lila Gorney
Ms. Cynthia Wisneski
Alderman Ashanti Hamilton