March 28, 2008

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: 2008 Highway Safety Improvement Program

West Vliet Street and North 40th Street

Dear Council Members:

The 2008 Capital Improvement Program includes the installation of a traffic control signal at the subject intersection in conjunction with improvements intended to reduce accidents. Federal cost participation is being provided for the improvement of traffic control devices in conjunction with the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP).

The total estimated cost of the project is \$55,068.32. Ninety percent of the total cost, or \$49,561.49, will be funded by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT). The local share, or \$5,506.83, will be provided through the Division's existing Capital Improvement Program.

We have, therefore, prepared the attached resolution, which authorizes the Commissioner of Public Works and Comptroller to execute a Local Force Account (LFA) – Local contract with WISDOT that allows City forces to install a traffic control signal under the 2008 HSIP at the intersection of West Vliet Street and North 40th Street in the 15th Aldermanic District.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachment
c: Honorable Willie L. Hines, Jr.
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