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To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Honorary Street Name Request – Bishop Sedgwick Daniels
West Hampton Avenue from North Teutonia Avenue to North 32nd Street

Dear Honorable Members,

This letter is in reply to an application dated May 27, 2025 regarding a request for an honorary street name of Bishop Sedgwick Daniels on West Hampton Avenue from North Teutonia Avenue to North 32nd Street.

Chapter 113-3 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances provides the guidelines to consider when reviewing honorary street name requests. The guidelines provided in the code have been reviewed and the following comments are offered.

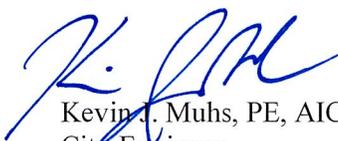
Bishop Daniels was the senior pastor of Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God in Christ at 3500 West Mother Daniels Way. People looked up to him as a graceful leader who inspired thousands of people for over half a century. With his pursue of the biblical principle of “seeking to understand” his influence went from Milwaukee to all over the world.

The request to honor Bishop Sedgwick Daniels with an honorary street name of “Bishop Sedgwick Daniels” includes 23 letters and spaces. The letter size of the honorary street name will be sized to fit the standard honorary street sign.

Six (6) blue honorary street signs will be needed. Please refer to the attached map showing where the honorary street name signs will be located. The petitioner may choose to furnish the honorary street signs, but they must be fabricated to established City standards. The City can fabricate the signs at \$50 each. In either case, the City will install the honorary street signs at a cost of \$50 per sign. The petitioner is to deposit \$300 to the City if they furnish the signs or \$600 if the City fabricates and installs the signs. If a sign needs to be replaced in the future, the City is to be notified of the missing or damaged sign and the petitioner is to cover the cost to fabricate and mount the sign as described above. The City’s cost to fabricate and install future signs is subject to change. West Hampton Avenue will remain the official street name so addresses will not change.

Provided that the honorary street name request meets the established design criteria and that the Department of Public Works does not incur any costs as a result of this action, we can support this resolution.

Sincerely,



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City Engineer

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Attachments

