October 20, 2014

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 140598

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is Common Council Resolution File Number 140598, being a resolution to grant a special privilege to Meraki LLC to construct and maintain an ADA ramp and gas meter in the public right-of-way for the premises at 939 South 2nd Street.

The applicant is renovating the existing building to create a new restaurant and, as part of the project, is constructing a barrier free access ramp. A site visit revealed the presence of a gas meter in the public right-of-way. Both items are located in the north sidewalk area of West Mineral Street between the paved public sidewalk and the property line. Neither item presents an obstacle to pedestrians using the main paved public sidewalk.

We are not aware that the presence of said items will have an adverse effect on the general use of the public right-of-way. We have, therefore, prepared the attached special privilege resolution, which, if adopted, will allow said items to occupy the public right-of-way.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Ghassan Korban Commissioner of Public Works

Art Dahlberg Commissioner Department of Neighborhood Services

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Attachment

c: Alderman Jose Perez