

March 3, 2004

To the Public Improvements Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 031293

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is an amending resolution granting permission to 224 West Vine Street Condominium Association, owners of the property at 224 West Vine Street, to continue to have the porch and stairs of their building encroach into West Vine Street.

Permission for this encroachment was granted in September of 1988 under Common Council Resolution File Number 880937. The encroachment consists of a porch and the encroachment is approximately 5 feet for a total length of approximately 26 feet along the north side of West Vine Street.

It appears that then, as now, the amount of pedestrian traffic has been accommodated in the 6-foot wide sidewalk, which is the width in the remainder of the block. We are not aware of any adverse impact upon the general usage of the sidewalk in this area. We have, therefore, prepared the attached resolution that, if adopted, will change the name of the grantee for these encroachments.

Very truly yours,

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City Engineer

Mariano A. Schifalacqua
Commissioner of Public Works

Martin G. Collins
Commissioner
Department of Neighborhood Services

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Attachment