February 7, 2004

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Raised Median Island Removal

South 1st Street between

West Lincoln Avenue and West Becher Street

Dear Council Members:

The subject raised medial islands, located in the 14th Aldermanic District on South 1st Street midway between West Lincoln Avenue and West Becher Street, have frequently been hit by traffic, are in a state of severe disrepair, are no longer needed for purposes of traffic control, and are creating a hazard in the roadway. As such, it is recommended that these islands be removed.

We have, therefore, prepared and recommend passage of, the attached Ordinance, which, if adopted, would allow the removal of these islands. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Bob Bryson, of our staff, at 286-3244.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachments
c: Alderman Tony Zielinski
Mr. Jeff Dellemann
Mr. Ray Russell