August 24, 2004

To the Honorable Common Council

Subject: South 6th Street,

West Ohio Avenue to West Hayes Avenue

Dear Council Members:

Common Council Resolution File Number 990562, adopted July 29, 1999, authorized the execution of a project agreement with the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) for the programming and improvement of South 6th Street between West Ohio Avenue to West Hayes Avenue. The project agreement provided funding participation of 80 percent State/Federal Aid with 20 percent City participation.

The roadway design proposes a bus passenger loading area to be located south of West Dakota Street on land owned by Milwaukee County. We have requested and the County has agreed to grant the City a permanent easement on this land at no cost to the City.

We have, therefore, prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Public Works to execute a Permanent Highway Easement agreement with the Milwaukee County.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

CAW:dle Attachment

c: Mr. W. Martin Morics

Alderman Witkowiak Alderman Zielinski

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