May 6, 2009

Honorable James N. Witkowiak Alderman, 12th Aldermanic District Room 205, City Hall

SUBJECT: 12th ALD. DIST. - FILE #081692

INSTALL MID-BLOCK CROSSING ON WEST BRUCE STREET AT A POINT 530 FEET EAST

OF SOUTH MUSKEGO AVENUE

Dear Alderman Witkowiak:

This is in response to your request on behalf of Mid-City Foundry to install a mid-block pedestrian crossing in the 1400 block of West Bruce Street to improve pedestrian safety between their employee parking lot and their main plant. Since, there are no intersections in close proximity to this location that provides a pedestrian crosswalk we recommend the installation of the above captioned traffic control device.

We will prepare the necessary legislation for the next Public Safety Committee meeting so that you may support it to final passage.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

RWB: ns

c: City Clerk, Public Safety