December 19, 2005

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Hazard Elimination Safety Program

ID 2265-01-07/77

South Layton Boulevard and West National Avenue Intersection

Milwaukee County

## Dear Council Members:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation has transmitted the attached project agreement to be executed by the City of Milwaukee for programming and construction of traffic signal improvements.

The proposed improvements were recommended in the safety audit conducted as part of the Roadway Improvement Demonstration Program sponsored by the American Automobile Association and are intended to improve safety at the intersection of South Layton Boulevard and West National Avenue through median island reconfiguration and alteration and traffic signal and signing improvements. The total cost of the project will be \$132,998.00. The City's estimated cost share will be \$1,734.80 for design and \$11,565.00 for construction.

We have prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Public Works and the City Comptroller to execute this project agreement. The resolution also authorizes and directs the City Comptroller to transfer funds to the project subaccount for the City's share of preliminary engineering costs.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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c: Honorable Robert G. Donovan