June 13, 2008

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 080120

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is Common Council Resolution File Number 080120, being an amendment to a special privilege for change of ownership to Jonas Builders, Inc. Restated Pension Plan for encroachment into the public right-of-way of a guard house, an overhead electric line and a tunnel for the premises at 2748 North 32nd Street.

Briggs and Stratton Corporation requested permission for a guard house, tunnel and overhead electric transmission line in the public right-of-way. Permission to keep and maintain said guard house was granted in 1955 under Common Council File Number 73517-a. Permission to construct and maintain the tunnel was granted in 1950 under Common Council Resolution File Number 50-1074. Finally, permission to construct and maintain the overhead electric power transmission line was granted in 1953 under Common Council Resolution File Number 50-1074.

We are not aware that the presence of said items has had or will have an adverse effect on the general use of the public right-of-way. We have, therefore, prepared the attached special privilege resolution, which, if adopted, will amend the ownership of the above special privileges and will formally allow said building facades to continue to occupy the public right-of-way.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

Martin G. Collins, Commissioner Department of Neighborhood Services

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Attachments

c: Alderman Willie Hines Jr.