

November 12, 2008

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Numbers 080399 & 080599

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith are Common Council Resolution File Numbers 080399 and 080599, being amendments to special privileges for change of ownership of items encroaching in the public right-of-way that were previously granted permission.

Common Council Resolution File Number 080399 changes the owner to Highbridge Condominium Owners Association Inc for a retaining wall and steps in the public right-of-way for the premises at 1888 North Water Street. Permission for said items was granted in 2000 under Common Council Resolution File Number 991711.

Common Council Resolution File Number 080599 changes the owner to Lyon Court Condominiums Inc for concrete steps with sidewalks and a covered walk in the public right-of-way for the premises at 1515 North Van Buren Street. Permission for said items was granted in 1999 under Common Council Resolution File Number 980666. The attached special privilege resolution also grants permission for four tree grates to encroach into the public right-of-way.

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 resolutions, which, if adopted, will amend the ownership of the above special privileges and will formally allow said items to continue to occupy the public right-of-way.

Very truly yours,

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Attachments
c: Alderman Nik Kovac