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To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Milwaukee County Project WA163-11602
General Mitchell International Airport
Perimeter Road and Bridge over South Howell Avenue
Municipal Utility Agreement

Dear Council Members:

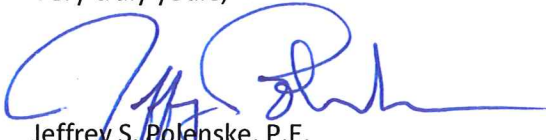
The Milwaukee County is proposing to construct a perimeter road and bridge across South Howell Avenue. This project is located within the vicinity of South Howell Avenue and Citation Way. The project is scheduled to be constructed in 2013. The Department of Public Works has assisted the Milwaukee County in how best to design the project to best meet the needs of the citizens and has worked diligently to minimize costs.

The reconfiguration/realignment of the perimeter road will, however, result in alterations to City of Milwaukee communication conduit and street light systems. All City of Milwaukee utilities affected by the project will be funded by Milwaukee County. In order to be reimbursed for the 100 percent County share of the work, it is necessary for the City of Milwaukee to enter into a utility agreement which defines the work and costs of the project. Milwaukee County has provided the City of Milwaukee with the necessary agreement for the project.


The Department of Public Works has reviewed the estimates and find them to accurately reflect the required utility alterations. As such, we have prepared the attached resolution which, if adopted, will approve the utility agreement associated with the project and will allow for the City of Milwaukee's participation in the alteration of sewer, communication conduit and street lighting systems as necessary and will provide 100 percent cost to be paid by Milwaukee County. Said resolution will also authorize the Commissioner of Public Works to execute the agreement as well as take actions necessary to accomplish the work and will authorize the City Engineer and the Comptroller to make periodic payments and billings in accord with the established procedures to properly account for the costs associated with said work. We respectfully recommend adoption of the resolution.

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Very truly yours,



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Attachment

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