

May 10, 2007

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: South Layton Boulevard (STH 57) Intersection  
with West National Avenue (STH 59)  
Hazard Elimination Safety Project

Dear Council Members:

Common Council Resolution File Number 051255, adopted on February 13, 2006, authorized and directed the Commissioner of Public Works to execute a project agreement with the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) for safety improvements at the intersection of South Layton Boulevard and West National Avenue with 90 percent Federal and/or State aid, under the Hazard Elimination Safety (HES) program.

Since that time, the phase of the agreement associated with signal improvements at the intersection has been undertaken and completed. The remaining safety improvements associated with the median reconfigurations in the intersection are scheduled to take place in the summer of 2007. Since the time of executing the original project agreement, additional work has been requested by the WISDOT which was incorporated into the intersection design. Consequently, we have requested, and the WISDOT has authorized, additional funds for preliminary engineering and construction associated with the reconfiguration of the medians in the intersection. The amounts are reflected in the attached revised project agreement.

The attached resolution authorizes the Commissioner of Public Works to execute the revised project agreement. In addition, this resolution also authorizes the City Comptroller to establish the necessary sub accounts for the construction costs on the project.

Very truly yours,

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City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes  
Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachment

c: Alderman Robert G. Donovan