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May 18, 2012

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Milwaukee Room 205 – City Hall

Attn: James R. Owczarski, City Clerk

Re: Resolution authorizing the City Attorney to represent Willie Hines,

Robert Bauman, and Ashanti Hamilton in Milwaukee et al. v. Stepp & Huebsch

Case No. 12-CV-1902

Dear Council Members:

Attached is a resolution authorizing the City Attorney to represent Willie Hines, Robert Bauman, and Ashanti Hamilton in their individual capacities in the above-captioned lawsuit, and to indemnify these individuals.

The City of Milwaukee, along with the City of Madison, has commenced litigation against the Secretaries of the WDNR and the State Department of Administration seeking, among other things, restoration of the full amounts of Recycling Grant funding. The three named individuals have joined as plaintiffs in their individual capacities.

We respectfully request the Common Council to approve this resolution under immediate adoption.

Very truly yours,

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