

August 12, 2013

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 130412

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is Common Council Resolution File Number 130412, being a resolution to grant a special privilege to Melanie Sobelman to install and maintain an awning with legs, two decorative line fences, six moveable planters and a bench in the public right-of-way for the premises at 1900 West St. Paul Avenue.

The applicant has requested permission to install and maintain an awning with legs that projects 3 feet 7 inches into the north, 11-foot wide sidewalk area of West St Paul Avenue. The awning extends across the entire front of the building for a total length of 41 feet 9 inches. During the winter months, sidewalls have been observed attached to the awning in order to provide shelter to patrons outdoors. A site visit also revealed the presence of decorative line fences, moveable planters and a bench adjacent to the subject property.

We are not aware that the presence of said items have 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 allow said items to continue to occupy the public right-of-way.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.  
City Engineer

Ghassan Korban  
Commissioner of Public Works

Art Dahlberg  
Commissioner  
Department of Neighborhood Services

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Attachment

c: Alderman Robert Donovan