November 24, 2014

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 140508

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is Common Council Resolution File Number 140508, being a resolution to grant a special privilege to Marshall & Wells LLC to construct and maintain a stationary raised planter in the public right-of-way for the premises at 807-09 North Marshall Street.

The applicant is requesting permission to keep and maintain a stationary planter which has been present in the public right-of-way for several years. The 2-foot tall timber planter projects 4 feet into the 22-foot wide sidewalk area of North Marshall Street. Said planter is located behind the paved public sidewalk and does not interfere with pedestrian traffic.

We are not aware that the presence of said stationary planter 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 planter 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 Bauman