LRB-FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

October 3, 2002 AGENDA PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

ITEM 11, FILE 020846 EMMA J. STAMPS

File #020846 is a resolution authorizing application, acceptance and funding of a State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Brownfields Site Assessment Grant for assessment and removal of underground storage tanks and demolition on various brownfields throughout the City of Milwaukee. (DCD)

Background and Discussion

- 1. The Department of City Development monitors Brownfield remediation efforts while referring litigating matters to the City Attorney or outside counsel. These sites are known as "do not acquire" property.
- 2. The City of Milwaukee appears to be eligible for grant funds from the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for assessment and remediation of various brownfield sites in the City.
- 3. The grant operates from December 1, 2002 to November 30, 2004.
- 4. The anticipated grant award is \$560,000 whereby \$280,000 (or 50%) will be provided by the grantor.
- 5. The City will provide in-kind contributions from the Development Fund and Community Development Block Grant funds.

Fiscal Impact

This resolution authorizes the expenditure of \$560,000 from anticipated Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Brownfields Site Assessment Grant awards for the purpose of funding consultant costs.

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