October 1, 2003

To the Honorable Common Council

Subject: West State Street (USH 18)

North 17th Street to North 12th Street

Dear Council Members:

The improvement of West State Street (USH 18) from North 17th Street to North 12th Street is included on the Department of Public Works Long-Range Major Street Program.

This project is eligible for Federal/State cost participation for improvements under the State Trunk Highway Improvement Program. We have requested and received preliminary approval from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) along with a project agreement to be executed by the City for programming and construction.

We have, therefore, prepared the attached resolution which authorizes and directs the Commissioner of Public Works to execute the project agreement with the WISDOT for the programming and construction of the improvements to West State Street (USH 18) from North 17th Street to North 12th Street with Federal/State aid. This resolution also directs the City Comptroller to transfer funds and establish the necessary project/grant chartfield values for the preliminary engineering work for the project.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Mariano A. Schifalacqua Commissioner of Public Works

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