September 8, 2006

To Public Works Committee

Subject: Hazard Elimination Safety Program

ID 2984-76-00/70 and ID 2984-06-07/77 LED Retrofit Projects 162 Signalized Intersections

Milwaukee County

Common Council File Number 060596

Dear Honorable Members:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) has transmitted the attached two project agreements to be executed by the City of Milwaukee for programming and construction of traffic signal improvements.

The proposed improvements will increase safety at intersections by installing Light Emitting Diode (LED) signal heads to increase visibility of signal indications. The total cost of the project will be \$950,000. The City's estimated cost will be \$9,500 for design and \$85,500 for construction.

We have prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Public Works and the City Comptroller to execute these two project agreements. The resolution also directs the City Comptroller to transfer funds to the project sub-account for the City's share of preliminary engineering costs.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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c: Ms. Lila Gorney

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