September 20, 2007

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Marsupial Bridge Improvements Project I.D. 2984-23-02, 72

Dear Council Members:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) has approved an application for grant funding under the High Priority Project program for a project known as the Marsupial Bridge Improvements. The project involves enhancements to the approaches to the Marsupial Bridge as well as construction of a mid-span connection.

WISDOT has provided the attached Project Agreement to be executed by the City of Milwaukee for the programming and construction of the subject project with 80 percent grant funds. The remaining 20 percent funding shall be provided by TID 22.

We have prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution that authorizes the Commissioner of Public Works to execute the Project Agreement and authorizes the City Comptroller to create the proper accounts for the project.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachments

c: Mr. W. Martin Morics, Comptroller