June 25, 2008

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Resolution Regarding Application for Highway Safety Improvement Program Projects

Dear Council Members:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation is soliciting applications for funds under the Highway Safety Improvement Program. The program is intended to reduce the number and severity of vehicle and pedestrian crashes.

The Department of Public Works intends to submit ten applications for various intersections Citywide. The successful grant applications are expected to be announced this year. All projects will be funded 90 percent by the grant with a 10 percent local match.

We have, therefore, prepared the attached resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works to apply for these grants.

Very truly yours,

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Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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Attachment