

May 18, 2009

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Common Council Resolution File Number 081605

Dear Honorable Members:

Returned herewith is the Common Council Resolution File Number 081605, granting a special privilege to Ramon Arteaga for a monitoring well in the public right-of-way for the premises at 1601 West Becher Street.

The applicant, under the direction of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, is conducting an environmental remediation of his property at 1601 West Becher Street. As part of the environmental remediation, that applicant is requesting permission to install a monitoring well in the east sidewalk area of South 16th Street in order to determine the extent of any contamination that may be located within the public right-of-way. The monitoring well, which has been installed, is located within the paved public and is flush with the sidewalk pavement.

We are not aware that the presence of said monitoring well will have an adverse effect on the general use of the public right-of-way. We have, therefore, prepared the attached special privilege resolution, which, if adopted, will allow said monitoring well to occupy the public right-of-way.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E.
City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes
Commissioner of Public Works

Art Dahlberg, Commissioner
Department of Neighborhood Services

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Attachment

c: Alderman James Witkowiak