December 2, 2009

To the Public Works Committee

Subject: Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement

South Sixth Street Bridge over the Kinnickinnic River

File No. 090779

Dear Honorable Members:

Please find the attached, proposed resolution, to fill the file for Resolution No. 090779, authorizing the City of Milwaukee to enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD) for the purposes of establishing the responsibilities of the City and MMSD with respect to the design and construction of the replacement of the South Sixth Street Bridge over the Kinnickinnic River in the City of Milwaukee.

The City received funding by the Federal Highway Administration under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) for the construction of the bridge. MMSD has agreed to fund the design of the bridge and the non-ARRA eligible relocation and construction cost of the MMSD-owned sewers, the City-owned water main, the City-owned combined sewer, and the City-owned communication cables.

We have prepared and recommend adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the City to enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with MMSD. We have also included a copy of the proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey S. Polenske, P.E. City Engineer

Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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