November 17, 2009

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Subject: Street Lighting

Mitchell Interchange Reconstruction

Phase II Street Lighting

Dear Council Members:

Reconstruction of the Mitchell Interchange will include modifications to local streets. Due to the magnitude of this project, it is being divided into phases. This second phase will affect the area including West Layton Avenue from South 20th Street to South 13th Street, South 20th Street from West Layton Avenue to West Van Norman, West Whitaker Avenue from South 13th Street to South 15th Street, South 16th Street from West Vogel Avenue to a point north West Holmes Avenue, and under deck lighting at the overpasses at West Edgerton Avenue, West Bolivar Avenue, and West Ramsey Avenue and adjoining streets.

Street lighting facility modifications being done in conjunction with this project will include installation of interim lighting, installation of permanent lighting improvements, and the removal of the interim lighting in the above-named area. Funding for the street lighting work is provided by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WISDOT) by means of a Local Force Account (LFA) contract. One hundred percent of the total cost will be funded by WISDOT.

The attached resolution authorizes the Commissioner of Public Works to execute an LFA contract with WISDOT that allows City forces to install the interim lighting, permanent lighting improvements, and removal of the interim lighting in conjunction with the work in the above named areas.

Very truly yours,

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Jeffrey J. Mantes Commissioner of Public Works

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