

Department of City Development City Plan Commission Redevelopment Authority of the City of Milwaukee Neighborhood Improvement Development Corporation Lafayette L. Crump Commissioner

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To the Honorable Members of the Zoning, Neighborhoods and Development Committee City of Milwaukee City Hall, Room 205

Dear Committee Members:

File No. 191899 relates to a substitute resolution approving the Connecting the Corridor Strategic Action Plan and amending the Near North Side Area Comprehensive Plan to include Connecting the Corridor Strategic Action Plan as part of the City of Milwaukee's Overall Comprehensive Plan, in the 1st, 6th, and 7th Aldermanic Districts.

Since the adoption of the Near North Side Area Comprehensive Plan, there have been multiple projects, proposals, or initiatives in and around the 30th Street Corridor involving sustainable economic development, stormwater management, transportation improvements or recreational facilities. Different stakeholders recognized that there was a need to unify all of these efforts to further the goals of the plan and related projects in the 30th Street Corridor and surrounding neighborhoods. The creation of the Connecting the Corridor Strategic Action Plan involved extensive public outreach, input and cooperation with the public and neighborhood stakeholders similar to the public process followed in the development of the City's fourteen Area Comprehensive Plans.

During the October 19, 2020 City Plan Commission meeting Senior Planner Amy Oeth and community partners from the Triangle Park Neighborhood Association and the Northwest Side Community Development Corporation provided an overview of the planning process and its goals, initiatives, and action items. Since the file and plan further the goals of the Near North Side Area Comprehensive Plan, the City Plan Commission at its meeting on October 19, 2020 recommended approval of the subject file.

Sincerely,

Lafayette L. Crump Executive Secretary City Plan Commission of Milwaukee

cc: Ald. Hamilton cc: Ald. Coggs Cc: Ald. Rainey

