Mayor John Dickert & the Common Council 730 Washington Ave. Racine, WI 53403

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Department would like to meet with the Finance and Personnel Committee to request formal bidding be waived and the Purchasing Agent be authorized to negotiate with Specialty Coatings Solutions as the sole source provider and installer for the replacement of the Mound Cemetery fountain's specialized epoxy liner.

The fountain's liner has failed and requires replacement during the warm weather. Typical fountain liner repair contractors do not replace epoxy fountain liners.

Funds are available in the following account: 207.993.5230.

Staff will be available at the meeting to discuss this in greater detail.

Respectfully requested,

Tom Molbeck Director