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Ald. Sandy Weidner, Chairwoman Public Works and Services Committee Racine, Wisconsin

RE: Waiving of Formal Bidding for Purchase of a Tar Melter Applicator

Dear Ald. Weidner:

I am requesting that formal bidding procedures be waived for the purchase of a tar melter applicator, which is included in the 2012 CIP budget.

I would request that the Purchasing Agent be authorized and directed to negotiate the purchase of a Crafco Supershot 125 tar melter applicator with Sherwin Industries, Inc., they being the supplier of this unit.

The estimated cost of this equipment is \$42,000.00. Funding to defray the cost of this purchase is available in Account 101.630.5770, Machinery & Equipment-St. Maint.

Sincerely,

Thomas M. Eeg, P.E.

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Attachment

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