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Legistar Item: 12-7687

To: Alderman Q.A. Shakoor, Chairman
Finance and Personnel Committee

From: John Rooney 
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works/City Engineer

Re: State of Wisconsin DNR Waterways Commission Financial Assistance Grant –
Repaving of the 5th Street Boat Launch (Grant Control No. 2012-018)

I respectfully request, on behalf of the Racine Board of Harbor Commission and the Park, Recreation and Cultural Services Department, an appearance before the Committee to apply for the State of Wisconsin DNR Waterways Commission Financial Assistance Grant for repaving of the 5th Street Boat Launch (Grant Control No. 2012-018).

The project cost is estimated at \$250,000. The grant provides matching funds up to 50% of the project cost with an additional 10% for municipalities that conduct a boating safety and enforcement and education program approved by WisDNR.

The local share for this project will be budgeted jointly by the Racine Harbor Commission and the Park, Recreation and Cultural Services Department in the 2013 Capital Improvement Program.

If the Committee agrees, the appropriate action would be to give the City Engineer authorization to apply for the grant.

Cc: Joy Hansche
Harbor Commission Members
Tom Molbeck