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## City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave. West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
2003-0208	Communication	In Committee
	Communication from City Engineer requesting a Grant of Privilege to William T. Bohn, 979 S. 61 Street for the installation of a wooden fence on the south side of the above property.	
	Introduced: 4/2/2003	Controlling Body: Public Works Committee

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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Ted Atkinson, Director, Building Inspections & Zoning

Michael Lewis, City Engineer

FROM:

Sharon R. Lesak, Real Estate Agent

DATE:

March 26, 2003

**SUBJECT**: Grant of Privilege -

Address:

979 South 61st Street

Owner:

William T. Bohn

Tax Key:

439-0045-000

Attached is information received by the Board of Public Works in support of the applicant's request that a "Grant of Privilege" be approved for the installation of a wooden fence on the south side of the property located at 979 South 61st Street.

Please review the proposed construction as related to the R.M.C. and report your findings to the sender. Also, please process this request so that it can be presented to the Board's recess meeting at the next regularly scheduled Common Council meeting on Wednesday, April 2, 2003.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

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cc:

Terry Tauschmann (w/attach.)

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William T. Bohn 979 south 61st street West Allis, WI 53214

Dear Board of Public Works,

I am writing you to ask your permission to use the public right of way to the south of my property to have a wood 6 foot tall privacy fence installed. This fence will be constructed of a higher quality cedar lumber which will add beatification to mineral street. The encroachment onto the city right of way will be 4ft. 1in. from my lot line. The total length of encroachment will be approximately 37ft. The proposed fence will be a minimum of 12in. off the sidewalk at all places and will not cause any sight obstructions for vehicles travailing on mineral or in the alley to west of my property. I will make arrangements with home owners insurance for a certificate of insurance listing the City of West Allis as an additionally insured party.

My reasons for asking for this encroachment are. First is safety for children and pets playing in my backyard since there is quite a bit of traffic on mineral and there is nothing to prevent them from darting out into the street. The second reason is do to the small yard I have by installing the fence at the line would greatly reduce the useable size of my yard and defeat the purpose of having the fence built in the first place. The last reason is for privacy from mineral street traffic.

By granting me permission for this encroachment, it will add beatification to the neighborhood, safety and privacy for my family and will not obstruct any views which could cause tragedy to moving vehicles or pedestrians.

Thank you for your consideration of my proposal and if you should have any questions please feel free to call me at 476-9626 or contact me at the above address.

Sincerely, William T. Bohn

Will T. B.L.

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## CITY OF WEST ALLIS



City Clerk/Treasurer



April 7, 2003

Mike Lewis City Engineer

Dear Mike:

On April 2, 2003, the Common Council approved your request for the Grant of Privilege to William T. Bohn, 979 S. 61 Street for the installation of a wooden fence on the south side of the above property and approved your communication regarding Illegal Encroachment/Use of City Unimproved Alley located between S. 82 St. and S. 83 St., W. Lapham St. and W. National Ave.

Sincerely,

Paul M. Ziehler

Acting City Clerk/Treasurer

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cc:

Ted Atkinson

Terry Tauschmann

Sharon Lesak Darilyn Adams