



City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave. West Allis, WI 53214

File Number		Title			Status			
2010-0089		Communication		Int	Introduced			
		Communication from the Downtown West Allis Business Improvement District requesting an amendment to their Fiscal Year 2010 Community Development Block Grant project application.						
		Introduced: 2/2/2010		Controlling Body: Administration & Finance Committee				
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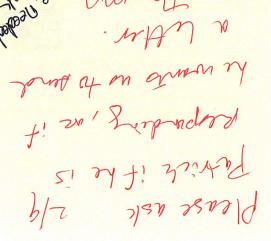


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January 27, 2010

City of West Allis Department of Development Attn: Patrick Schloss 7525 W. Greenfield Avenue West Allis, WI 53214

Dear Patrick,



RE: Downtown West Allis Business Improvement District 2010 Community Development Block Grant Reallocation of Funds

On behalf of the Downtown West Allis Business Improvement District Board of Directors, we are requesting the reallocation of CDBG funds to offset assessment costs to our property owners for alley reconstruction and resurfacing. It has been brought to our Board's attention that those individuals who own property on the north side of Greenfield Avenue between 72nd and 73rd Streets are being assessed for improvements to their alleyway. The Downtown West Allis, Inc. and BID Board of Directors have voted to allocate not more than \$9,000 of its \$10,000 CDBG funds to compensate for these property owners' financial responsibilities. We have decided to use a portion of these 2010 funds to help building owners defray expenses associated with this project.

The Downtown West Allis, Inc. and BID feel restructuring and resurfacing of the alleyway will improve the appearance of the area and neighborhood which in turn will increase customer traffic as well as business development. This improvement will also give the City of West Allis an alley that will be easier to maintain in the future.

Enhancements to this specific alleyway will help 9 businesses and 6 households in having a better thoroughfare to Greenfield Avenue and public parking. In addition, these businesses will have a better, safer accessibility through their rear alleyway entrances. We are thankful the City of West Allis is taking on this project as this alleyway is in much need of repair. If you have any questions, please call the DWA-BID office at 414-774-2676.

Sincerely,

Chet Parker

DWA-BID President

Douglas J. Persich DWA, Inc. - President

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