



January 8, 2009

City of West Allis
City Administrative Officer
Paul Ziehler
7525 W Greenfield Avenue
West Allis WI 53214-4688

Re: Proposed 116th Resurfacing

Dear Mr. Ziehler:

I am the owner of West Allis Blueprint & Supply located at 2063 S 116th Street. Unfortunately due to business commitments I was not able to attend the public hearing on January 6th. I would like to submit my formal objection to the proposed resurfacing of S 116th Street between Rogers & Lincoln Ave.

In my opinion the street is not in need of resurfacing and going forward on this project is not financially prudent. I would object to this project even if the city elected to proceed and bear 100% of the cost via property tax revenue.

As a business owner we are diligently working to satisfy present operating expenses and maintaining current employment levels during the current economic conditions. A special assessment levied to my company would force an expense resulting in unwanted job losses, and/or additional profit reductions.

Please reconsider to put this project on hold and review when the economy and current business condition recover. Sometime in the future S 116th Street may deteriorate to a level that would warrant repair.

Thank you for your timely response.

Respectfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Charles Naber".

Charles Naber
Owner
West Allis Blueprint & Supply
2063 S 116th Street
West Allis WI 53227

cc: Mike Lewis