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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Mark D. Boughton via the Common Council

FROM: Dena R. Diorio, Director of Finance & Personnel *Dena*

DATE: March 29, 2005

SUBJECT: Ballot Question Regarding Vision 21-2 Bond Issue

Attached for your consideration is a resolution that requires adoption by the Common Council that would change the use of the North Main Street property as articulated in the Vision 21-2 bond issue from senior housing to a new police station.

If approved by the Common Council, the question would be presented to the voters at a referendum in November 2005.

Please feel free to contact me should you require any additional information. Thank you

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VIA E-MAIL AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

Dena Diorio
Director of Finance
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Dear Dena:

Enclosed is a form of resolution for the Council to adopt and a form of Question to be submitted to the voters at referendum changing the use of the North Main Street property from housing to a new police station. If you have any comments or suggestions, please let me know.

Very truly yours,



S. Frank D'Ercole

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Enclosures



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Council Resolution

WHEREAS the City has acquired certain parcels of land on North Main Street pursuant to an appropriation and bond authorization of \$1,500,000 under an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriations Aggregating \$16,640,000 For Various Public Improvements And Authorizing The Issue Of \$16,640,000 Bonds Of The City To Meet Said Appropriations And Pending The Issuance Thereof The Making Of Temporary Borrowings For Such Purpose" adopted by the Council on September 5, 2001 and approved at a referendum on November 6, 2001; and

WHEREAS it was initially found that the acquisition of such property on North Main Street would be for the purpose of eliminating blight and for the construction of housing for senior residents; and

WHEREAS as a matter of legislative determination this Council now finds that the highest and best use of such property by the City is for the construction of a new police station,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

Section 1. That a change in the reuse of those certain parcels on North Main Street for a new police station is hereby approved.

Section 2. This resolution shall become effective upon its approval by a majority of voters at a referendum to be held November 8, 2005.

Referendum Question

Q: Shall the resolution adopted by the Council authorizing the City to reuse certain parcels of land acquired on North Main Street for the construction of a new police station be approved?
YES NO