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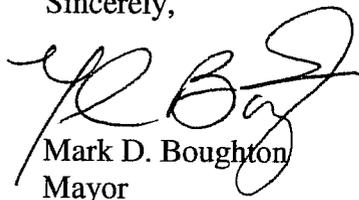
Honorable Members of the Common Council
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Common Council Members:

At the May Council meeting, you adopted an ordinance authorizing the appropriation of \$9,980,000 for various public improvements. That authorization included funding for a number of recreational initiatives, such as the Highland Avenue Playground and the Rogers Park Sprayscape, which I believe will amuse and delight not just the children, but all the residents of our city. I now wish to propose yet another recreational element, to be added to that authorization package, which will dramatically improve the athletic opportunities available within our public school system.

Enclosed please find a proposed revision to the ordinance, incorporating an additional appropriation in the amount of \$950,000 for a new artificial turf All Purpose Field at Broadview Middle School that will be able to support a broad range of athletic uses. I recommend that you refer this ordinance revision to public hearing and then adopt it in the usual fashion in time to present it to the voters at a special city meeting next November.

Sincerely,


Mark D. Boughton
Mayor

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AGGREGATING \$9,980,000 FOR VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$9,980,000 BONDS OF THE CITY TO MEET SAID APPROPRIATIONS AND PENDING THE ISSUANCE THEREOF THE MAKING OF TEMPORARY BORROWINGS FOR SUCH PURPOSE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DANBURY:

Section 1. Section 1 (b) of the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriations Aggregating \$9,980,000 For Various Public Improvements And Authorizing The Issuance Of \$9,980,000 Bonds Of The City To Meet Said Appropriations And Pending The Issuance Thereof The Making Of Temporary Borrowings For Such Purpose", adopted by the Common Council on May 3, 2005 (the "Ordinance"), is hereby amended by adding the following new appropriation:

<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<u>Parks and Recreation:</u>	
Artificial Turf All Purpose Field- Broadview Middle School	\$950,000

thereby increasing (i) the Sub-Total for Twenty Year Projects by \$950,000 from \$8,210,000 to \$9,160,000, (ii) the Total All Projects by \$950,000 from \$8,710,000 to \$9,660,000, and (iii) increasing the Aggregate Appropriations in Section 1 by \$950,000 from \$9,980,000 to \$10,930,000.

Section 2. Section 7 of the Ordinance shall be applicable to the appropriation added by this amendment, as of the date of adoption of such amendment.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon its approval at a Special City Meeting called by the Mayor for such purpose, pursuant to the revised City Charter.

Enacted by the Common Council: _____

Approved by the Mayor: _____ Date: _____

Operative And In Effect: _____