July 27, 2020

Honorable Tyisha Walker-Myers, President New Haven Board of Alders City of New Haven 165 Church Street New Haven, CT 06510

RE: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR, EXECUTE, ACKNOWLEDGE, IMPLEMENT AND DELIVER ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS AS MAY BE CONSIDERED NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE FOR THE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICES GRANT: HISTORIC PRESERVATION ENHANCEMENT GRANT

Dear Honorable President Walker-Myers:

I am pleased to submit for your consideration a grant application and resolution for the State Historic Preservation Offices grant: Historic Preservation Enhancement Grant. The City Plan Department is submitting this this application to the State Historic Preservation Offices for a Grant of up to \$20,000.00. The exact budget is to be determined. This grant does not require a match. The grant will serve to study possibilities for adaptive reuse in the River Street District, as well as other similar districts facing the similar combination of issues: remediation of contaminated land, adaptation to flood risks, and rehabilitation of historic resources. Such efforts would build on work on prior work by Economic Development Administration to advance the regeneration of the River Street industrial area.

Please let me know if I can provide you with any additional information or if you have any questions. I look forward to presenting this grant application to the Board of Alders.

Very truly yours,

Aicha Woods Exec Dir City Plan

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cc. Mike Piscitelli, Economic Development Administrator