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To: Public Infrastructure Committee

From: Greg Minikel, Engineering Division Manager

Date: September 3, 2019

Re: Memo from Greg Minikel – Flooding Concerns at 1112 North 12th Street

Sarah Musial who resides at 1112 N. 12th Street has requested that the City do something to eliminate the street and property flooding on North 12th Street.. Her daughter's car was severely damaged by the flooded street recently. This low point on North 12th Street has been flooding during very heavy rain events for more than 25 years.

The City of Manitowoc owns and maintains both the roadway and the storm sewer system on North 12th Street. The DOT has installed a larger storm sewer pipe as part of the current reconstruction project. This will help to alleviate flooding of the 10 year storm. However, the larger rainfall events still may cause flooding of the roadway at this low point. In addition, whenever the City reconstructs N. 12th Street, we should be installing more inlets at the low point to help capture more water.

Attached is a copy of the Ms. Musial's Report-A-Concern and her request for something to be done.

I recommend the City move forward with the following work as soon as it can be incorporated into an upcoming annual budget:

1. The reconstruction of North 12th St. from Waldo Blvd. to Windiate St. or Fairmont Lane should be moved up in priority on the 5 Year Capital Improvement Plan.
2. The City shall replace all of the existing storm sewers and shall also install additional inlets at the low point to better accommodate heavy rainfall events.