August 17, 2009

Honorable Kevin A. McCarthy State Representative 8951 West 151st Street Orland Park, Illinois 60462

Dear Representative McCarthy:

Illinois Public Act 96-0004 established \$150 million for the Emergency Repair Program (ERP) for preliminary engineering, construction engineering, and contract costs for construction, extension, and improvement of state and local roads and bridges. The department has approved the following project(s) submitted by your office for funding not to exceed the dollar amount(s) listed below:

Village of Orland Park, Cook County

Project Location	Scope	Estimated Project Cost	ERP Funding
Various streets within IL House	Resurfacing, patching, &		
District 37	curb repairs	\$306,710.00	\$300,000.00
Totals		\$306,710.00	\$300,000.00

Village of Tinley Park, Cook County

Project Location	Scope	Estimated Project Cost	ERP Funding
Oak Park Ave., from 159 th St. to Centennial Dr.	Patching, dowel bar replacement, curb repair	\$335,000.00	\$335,000.00
Totals		\$335,000.00	\$335,000.00

All local agencies are required to follow the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) Motor Fuel Tax procedures. This includes entering into a state/local intergovernmental agreement and obtaining department plan approval. The funds are not grants to be given directly to local agencies. The department will reimburse local agencies for the project cost after a formal construction contract for the specific project(s) has been executed. If the local agency wishes to downsize the project, based on the ERP funding, that will be allowed.

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Please notify the local agency of project selection and inform them to contact their IDOT District Bureau of Local Roads and Streets (see attached map) prior to project initiation. If the local agency has not contacted the district within 14 days of this letter, the district will follow up directly with the local agency.

Thank you for your interest in the Illinois transportation system. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Mr. Nick Williams, Director of Governmental Affairs, 2300 South Dirksen Parkway, Room 300, Springfield, Illinois 62764, or telephone him at (217) 785-5139, or fax him at (217) 782-8809.

Sincerely,

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Gary Hannig Secretary

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