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Tiffany Glasper, Senior Project Coordinator
Community Planning & Economic Development, City of Minneapolis
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RE: Salvation Army Harbor Light Center - Emergency Solutions Grant Application

Dear Ms. Glasper:

I am writing to you on behalf of the Downtown Minneapolis Neighborhood Association Board of Directors with regards to the Salvation Army's application to the City's Emergency Solutions Grant Program for the Harbor Light Center located at 1010 Currie Avenue.

The Salvation Army's Contract and Grants Manager Colnese Hendon recently notified the DMNA about the grant application. Hendon indicated that she is seeking \$195,000 in grant funds from the City to help support the purchase and installation of LED exterior lighting, security cameras, AED units, two-way radios, HID badge/key access, and a card reader (computer/scanner). The application also includes plans renovate the front desk area to improve security. She asked for the DMNA's support of the application.

The DMNA is happy to provide a letter of support for Harbor Lights grant application. The DMNA Board recognizes the value of the work that the Salvation Army does to help support the homeless population living in the downtown community. If you have any questions regarding this letter of support, please feel free to contact me at christie@thedmna.org, or 320-583-4573.

Sincerely,

Christie Rock Hantge
DMNA Coordinator

cc. Colnese Hendon, Salvation Army Harbor Light Center
Joe Tamburino, DMNA Board Chair
Ward 3 Council Member Steve Fletcher