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TO: Terry Wolterstorff

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DATE: 6/24/2014

RE: Exception to Section 7.40 of the Construction Specifications – Reduce the amount

of work done by the general contractor to 35%

Seger Drive Reconstruction – Dyess Ave. to 143rd Ave.

Project No. 13-2086, CIP 50277.1-3

City Staff believes it is in the best interest of the City to reduce the requirement, stated in the City of Rapid City Standard Specifications, Section 7, General Conditions, Paragraph 7.40 entitled "Subletting of Contract," that the Contractor must perform 50% of the work on the contract. The Seger Drive Reconstruction Project consists of multiple disciplines and the Contractor may not be able to meet the 50% requirement. Therefore, in order allow for a more competitive bidding climate, we are requesting that this percentage be reduced to 35%.

