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North Little Rock City Council North Little Rock, Arkansas

RE: Glenmere Road Drainage Project Ord. 8919 and Pending Legislation O-17-54

Dear Council Members:

This communication is submitted in anticipation that insufficient members will be in attendance at the June 26, 2017 City Council meeting to act on pending legislation O-17-54.

Pursuant to Council direction in Ordinance 8919 the contractor began work on the Glenmere Road storm water drainage repair project. After excavating the site, it was discovered that the scope of the project was much larger than anticipated. City engineer, Chris Wilbourn, has estimated the new project cost to be \$90,000.

This project remains an emergency corrective action. If the City can't give notice to proceed right away, the contractor will demobilize and move to another job further delaying the repair work.

Council member Beth White has expressed to me her support for proceeding with the project. If the council members present at the June 26 meeting indicate their support for O-17-54, in Mayor Smith's absence I will order the work to continue as an emergency pending formal approval by the Council at a later time.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Chief of Staff

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