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MANA	GER'S	REPORT	NO.	15
COUN	CIL ME	EETING	Feb.	25/74

Re: Street Light Improvements

a) 6000 Block of 9th Avenue

## b) Curtis Street Between Holdom and Sperling Avenues

Following are requests from the Engineer for authorization to improve the quality of lighting in the middle of the 6000 block of 9th Avenue and on Curtis Street between Holdom and Sperling Avenues.

Additional illumination has been requested on 9th Avenue as the result of a recent burglary and incidents of vandalism in the area. The proposal complies with our policy which provides for installation of a mid-block light if the distance between intersections or existing lights exceeds 700 feet.

## RECOMMENDATION: .

THAT approval be given for the lighting improvements, subject to the rates noted in the body of this report.

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER

FEBRUARY 21, 1974

FROM: MUNICIPAL ENGINEER

RE: 6000 BLOCK 9th AVENUE

Council's approval is requested for the installation of a 300 Watt Mercury Vapour light to illuminate the middle of the 6000 Block 9th Avenue.

The light is to be leased from the B. C. Hydro and Power Authority at a cost of 4.15 per month. No installation cost will be charged to the Corporation.

CURTIS STREET - HOLDOM AVENUE TO SPERLING AVENUE

Since the opening of the new skating rink in Kensington Park, we have received requests for additional street lighting on Curtis Street.

As this facility and the Park and School complex generate high pedestrian volumes and as Curtis Street is serving the function of a major arterial, we feel that the present interim lease lighting is insufficient.

It is recommended, therefore, that the present interim lease lighting be upgraded on Curtis Street between Holdom and Sperling Avenues by leasing sufficient 400 Watt Mercury Vapour lights to provide spacings of about 220 feet or 10 additional lights.

The lighting is to be leased from the B. C. Hydro and Power Authority at a cost of 5.15 per light per month.

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