TO:

CITY MANAGER

DATE: 1993 05 06

FROM:

DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

FILE: 50-02-03

SUBJECT:

STREET LIGHTING - 4400 VICTORY STREET

PURPOSE:

To provide background information to the appearance of Mr. Peter Hansen of

4441 Victory Street as a delegation to Council.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Mr. Peter Hansen be sent a copy of this report. 1.

REPORT

BACKGROUND

Appearing elsewhere on this agenda is a letter from Mr. Peter Hansen concerning the level of street lighting on 4400 Block Victory Street. Mr. Hansen is scheduled to appear as a delegation and staff has been in touch with Mr. Hansen relative to a previous letter to the Mayor which was referred to staff for action.

POLICY

The following sketch (Exhibit 1) shows the approximate location of the existing lighting in the area of the 4400 block of Victory Street. Council's policy regarding the placement of interim lighting requires the installation of lighting at intersections and mid block if the distance between intersections exceeds 700 feet (213m). The intersection of Victory and Sussex is lit by the Cityowned lighting on Sussex Avenue and the intersection of Victory and Dow is lit by the Cityowned lighting on Dow Avenue. The distance between the intersections is less than 140 metres.

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DISCUSSION

As a result of Mr. Hanson's letter to Mayor Copeland dated 1993 April 08, Engineering staff had conducted a preliminary investigation and found that the conditions of the interim lighting policy had been satisfied. Staff had prepared an information letter regarding the installation of lighting to a finished standard under the Local Improvement Program. This letter has now been received by Mr. Hanson. Mr. Hanson has been advised that a written request must be received from the property owner to allow the inclusion of Victory Street in an LIP program. We note that in the immediate neighbourhood; Sussex Avenue (Rumble Street to Imperial Street) and Dow Avenue (Watling Street to Imperial Street) have City standard lighting provided through LIP. In addition we anticipate 1994 LIP lighting initiatives along Watling Street (West of Frederick Avenue) Imperial Street and Gray Avenue (Victory Street to Imperial Street). Other streets are lit to interim standard.

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Exhibit 1 - Lighting in the Vicinity of 4400 Block Victory Street

