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CITY OF PITTSBURGH
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
CITY-COUNTY BUILDING

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Via Email

City Council
City of Pittsburgh
414 Grant Street, 5th Floor
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Re: Solar Remediation Project at Nine Mile Run by the URA.

President and Members of City Council:

Attached is a proposed Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Director of the Department of Finance to enter into an Agreement, Agreements, and/or Amendments with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh (“URA”) for the purpose of solar remediation at Nine Mile Run in Swisshelm Park, at no cost to the City; respectfully requesting a **Waiver of Rule 8** in order to initiate construction as soon as possible and as to align with the timeline of grant funding for this project.

Your favorable consideration of the attached proposed Resolution is hereby requested.

Sincerely,


Chris Hornstein
Department Director

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cc: Bill Crean, DPW Deputy Director
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