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MEMORANDUM

TO: Council Member Paul Ostrow, Chair
Ways and Means Budget Committee

FROM: Jack Byers, Planning Supervisor

SUBJECT: Item 27 of the Ways and Means Budget Committee Agenda: Feb. 5, 2007
Proposed study area for 2007 Federal Certified Local Government (CLG) Grant application

DATE: February 5, 2007

CC: Ways and Means/Budget Committee
Zoning and Planning Committee
Anne Roth, Council Committee Coordinator
Barbara Sporlein, Planning Director

Council Member Ostrow,

I am writing in regard to Item 27 of the Ways and Means Budget Committee Agenda for February 5, 2007. At the Zoning and Planning Committee meeting last Thursday (from which this item was referred), I presented a map indicating areas of the City that have previously been surveyed using Certified Local Government Funds since 2001.

In the time since I presented that map, I've discovered several errors on my part in the overall extent of areas surveyed since 2001. More specifically, the neighborhoods of Lowry Hill, Kenwood, Cedar-Isles-Dean, East Isles, West Calhoun, ECCO, and CARAG were surveyed in 2006. The neighborhoods of Armitage, Kenny, Windom, Bryant and Bancroft have not been surveyed since 2001. The attached map corrects those errors.

The updated map indicates two potential options for survey work in 2007.

- Option A includes the areas originally recommended by staff (with the addition of Bryant and Bancroft).
- Option B includes one of the neighborhoods that was recommended by the Zoning and Planning Committee that has not yet been surveyed: Lowry Hill East. Because it is much more efficient to conduct surveys in contiguous areas, if option to pursue a survey in Lowry Hill East is chosen, staff recommends inclusion of Loring Park and Elliot Park neighborhoods as well.

I hope this new information is helpful to the Committee. My apologies for the error and thank you for your indulgence.

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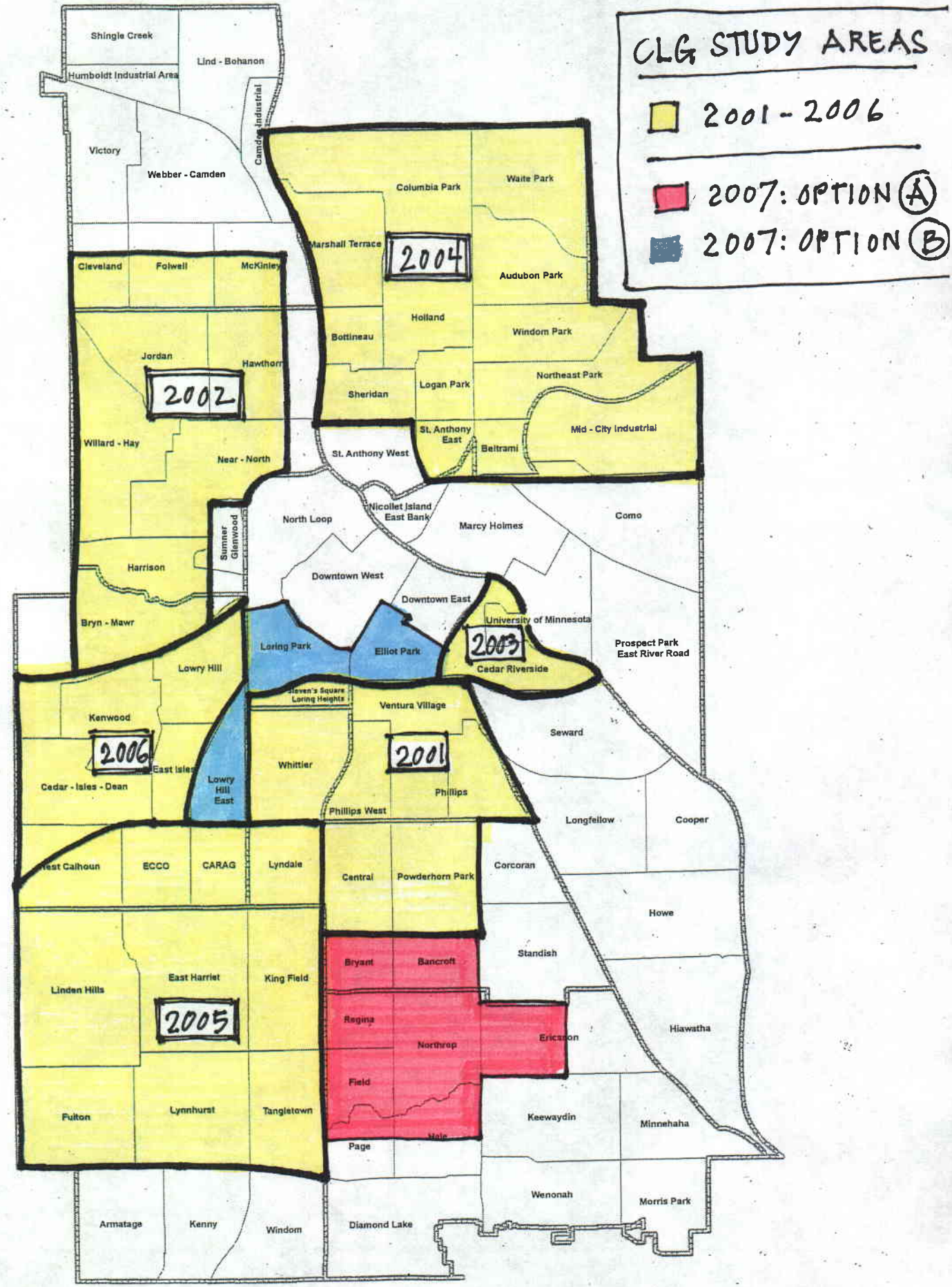

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