NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF A
PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT

State of Ohio,)
) ss:
County of Summit)

Gerald Holland, being first duly sworn, says that:
(Signature)

1. Affiant is the Director of Public Service of the City of Akron, 166 S. High Street, Akron, Ohio 44308.

2. The Public Authority will be commencing a public improvement identified as follows: **Street Tree Replacement 2005**

3. The following lists the name, address and trade of each of the principal contractors working on this public improvement:

Name: Landscape By Design
Address: 923 Dogwood Drive, Hubbard, OH 44425
Trade: General Contractor
Date - First Executed Contract for the Public Improvement: March 14, 2005

4. The following lists the names and addresses of the sureties for all of those principal contractors:

Principal Contractor: Landscape By Design
Name of Surety: American Contractors Indemnity Company
Address of Surety: 9841 Airport Boulevard, 9th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90045

5. For the purpose of serving an affidavit pursuant to Revised Code 1311.26, service may be made upon the following representative of the Public Authority: Gerald Holland, Director of Public Service, at 166 S. High Street, Akron, Ohio 44308.

SWORN TO before me and subscribed in my presence this 28th day of March, 2005.

Notary Public

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My commission expires 11-6-07