Committee Report

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Management Committee

Item: SW 2008-368

For the Metropolitan Council meeting of December 10, 2008

ADVISORY INFORMATION

Date Prepared: December 4, 2008

Subject: Authorization to Enter into a Labor Agreement with the International Association of

Machinists and Aerospace Workers, District Lodge No. 77, AFL-CIO

Proposed Action/Motion

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Summary of Committee Discussion / Questions

The Management Committee will review this business item on December 10 and, since this is a same week item, any concerns or issues raised by the Management Committee will be verbally communicated to the Council.

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No. 77, AFL-CIO

District(s), Member(s): All

Policy/Legal Reference: Minn. Stat. 179.a (PELRA)

Staff Prepared/Presented: Sandi Blaeser, Asst. Human Resources Director, 651-602-1582

Division/Department: Human Resources

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Issues/Background

The IAM contract expired on July 31, 2008. IAM represents approximately 42 employees.

Rationale

The parties reached a tentative agreement on December 1, 2008. The IAM membership ratified the agreement on December 2, 2008. Council policy requires the Council to approve all labor agreements.

Funding

The labor agreement was negotiated within the parameters set by the Council.

Known Support / Opposition

Supported by IAM.